The American Legion
National Firefighter of the Year Award

Information Sheet

Purpose: The American Legion will give a National Firefighter of the Year Award to a firefighter who has exceeded the requirements expected of his or her position and has shown a distinct pattern of community service and professional achievement. The award, which takes into account heroic acts, will be given annually at the Legion's national convention.

Award: Trip to the National Convention; includes paid travel and hotel expenses. Also includes the presentation of a suitable award and letter of commendation signed by the National Commander.

Nominations: Nomination of one per Department

Deadline: January 4, 2027

Mail To: **Department of Tennessee**
318 Donelson Pike
Nashville, TN 37214
Email: mike@tnlegion.org

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Application Form

NOMINEE INFORMATION			
Nominee Name:		Gender:	
Street Address:		Age:	
City, State, Zip		Marital Status:	
Telephone No:		Length of Service as Law Enforcement Officer:	
Agency Name:			
Agency Director Name & Title:			
Nominee's Supervisor & Title:			
Agency Street Address:			
Agency City, State, Zip:			
Agency Telephone No:			
SUBMITTING DEPARTMENT INFORMATION			
Submitting Department:			
Department Law & Order Chairman:			
Street Address			
City, State, Zip			
Telephone No:			

Department Commander Signature: _____

Department Adjutant Signature: _____

Failure to use this form may result in the DISQUALIFICATION of your nominee. It should be the COVER SHEET for your 'packet' of materials supporting your candidate. Include an official photograph of the nominee. ORIGINAL COPY of entire application due NO LATER THAN February 1, to the National Security Division, 1608 K Street NW, Washington, DC 20006. The application packet should conform to instructions in the National Security memorandum entitled: "The American Legion National Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award," dated June 1, 1997. Additional copies of this memorandum may be obtained by contacting the National Security Division.