



Austin Fire Fighters
Relief And Retirement Fund

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To: **Pension Recipients**
 From: Bill Stefka
 Date: April 5, 2017
 Re: **Retiree BBQ On Tuesday May 2nd!**

Dear Retirees:

Whoa Nellie! Where did the year go? The 2017 AFD Retiree BBQ will be held Tuesday, May 2, 2017 at 6:00 PM with the badge presentation ceremony to follow! It will be at the VFW Hall again this year and there will be door prizes as usual. It's located at 500 VFW Road which is off the I-35 frontage rd. between Braker and Yager Lanes off exit 243. ***Directions: From the South:*** off I-35 take exit 243, stay on frontage road through the light at Braker Ln., then turn right on VFW Road. ***From the North:*** off I-35 take exit 243, turn left on Braker Ln., turn left on the frontage road, then turn right on VFW Road. **A flyer is attached outlining the program and our recent retirees to be honored at this event. As you can see it has been a busy year!**

We have lost the following retirees and widows since our last update:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Deceased</u>	<u>Benevolent Fund?</u>	<u>Spouse/Or Survivor?</u>
Vernile R. Kieke (Widow of John H. Kieke)	03/13/17	N/A	N/A

As a reminder, we now collect benevolent fund dues twice a year as a deduction from your pension check. *There is no need to make any payments manually.* The benevolent fund representatives are to let you know when and the amount to be deducted; at which time we can deduct the payment from your check.

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Check out our website at: www.afrs.org as we have heard your input about including the agendas and minutes on the website which are now available as well as more current plan information as requested. Thanks for all the ideas provided to us here at the pension office to enhance communication with our membership.

Our annual reports are available digitally. The 2016 report will not be published for a good while yet (perhaps August after the audit and actuarial valuation reports are completed). However, you can be put on a list now by contacting our office to request receiving these reports electronically in the future rather than the hard copy. Of course, the 2015 report is still available digitally for those interested. You can reach us by phone or email at: Linda@afrs.org.

Let us know if the pension office can be of assistance in any way. **We hope you are all doing well and we hope to see many of you at the BBQ!**

Sincerely,

William E. Stefka

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Administrator

Encl.: (1)

2017 AFD RETIREMENT PARTY

Come join us on May 2nd
VFW hall, 500 VFW Rd.

Dinner is served at 6 pm. Badge presentation ceremony to follow.
Door prizes will be drawn during presentation



Robert Acker	James Ash	Joseph Augeri
David Bearden	James Biddle	Robert Booher
David Bullock	John Cannon	Jody Cook
Jose Cortina	Mike Crabill	A.X. Dellert
Ken Erickson	Dennis Farris	Mark Fleischauer
Homer Flores	Frank Foley	Doug Fowler
William Ginac	Ron Gregoire	Scott Hall
Curtis Hopkins	Bart Hunter	Russell Kellar
Kelly Kidd	Robert Kimmons	Tony Klaer
Mark Klaus	Joe Kleiber	Don Klepac
Joseph Kralik	Doug Kusey	Pat Kylberg
David Leonard	Larry Meyer	Josh Miller
Stephen Mitchell	David Neighbor	Matt Orta
Lonnie Owen	Kevin Putnam	William Ramage
David Reyes	Pat Richardson	Shane Rodgers
David Rossorelli	Gilbert Selvera	Todd Shelgren
Jeff Shimek	Tracey Suire	Art Vieira
William Voges	Jon Wakefield	Craig Warner
Troy Wenzel	Robert Wilkins	Hugh Woodard

COME EAT SOME BBQ AND HELP US HONOR OUR MOST RECENT
RETIREEES