

## MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

**ARFF News** – The largest bi-monthly periodical published and devoted exclusively to ARFF issues. Members receive a print copy and access to download the most current issues. Archived issues are also available for review and download.

**Conferences** – Membership pricing for participation in the annual ARFF Leadership Conference and Annual Educational Conference and Training Symposium (the largest ARFF conference in the world).

**Section Seminars** – Membership pricing to participate in customized training held throughout the country with maximum training opportunities.

**Expert Assistance** – The ARFF Working Group can put members in contact with experts in the field to assist them with special problems or supply specific information.

**Networking/Teleconferences** – ARFF Working Group members will be invited to participate in teleconferences with their Sections and Airport Index/Classification. This is an invaluable membership benefit connecting you to ARFF personnel from all over.

**Members Only Website Section** – Members have access to the educational presentations that have been recently presented at conferences and seminars.

**Voting Privileges** – Members can help shape the ARFF Working Group by voting annually on Directors and Bylaws.

And much, much more!



## MISSION STATEMENT

*To Promote the Science & Improve the Methods of Aviation Fire Protection & Prevention*

Everyday there are thousands of specialized aircraft rescue firefighting (ARFF) professionals around the world working to protect airports and the millions of passengers utilizing air travel daily. The ARFF Working Group is dedicated to ensuring that ARFF personnel are prepared to safely and effectively complete their mission.

Established in 1990 the ARFF Working Group was organized to create an active network of information sharing among airport fire rescue professionals. We continue to develop and deliver comprehensive educational programs on a wide variety of topics effecting firefighters around the globe.

### Why Become a Member

Development of communication networks in areas such as training, facilities, operational procedures, and investigative information are essential as the science of aircraft rescue and firefighting continues to develop. Membership in the ARFF Working Group provides a networking avenue for all those concerned and involved with aviation fire safety.

We have developed a wide variety of memberships for individuals, military, corporations, government agencies, airports, and fire departments. Membership fees are invoiced annually.

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### Individual Membership

Membership in this category will possess voting and representational rights in the ARFF Working Group on an individual basis. Participation will not be interpreted or applied to a representation of their employer or affiliation.

Civilian Membership Fee: \$65

Military Membership Fee: \$55

### **Organizational (Supporting Member)**

Supporting Organizational Members shall represent institutes, societies, associations, boards, bureaus or commissions and departments of state, local and national governments. Includes one (1) voting member and one (1) “Associate” non-voting member.

Membership Fee: \$185

### **Organizational (ARFF Provider)**

ARFF Provider Organizational Members are fire departments, public safety departments, agencies of state, local, national and international governments that provide ARFF service or mutual aid to airports. Each Organizational Membership receives one Associate Member for each Voting Member in your category.

- **FAA Index GA/A and ICAO Category 1 – 5**  
Includes one (1) voting member and one (1) “Associate” non-voting member.  
Membership Fee: \$95
- **FAA Index B and ICAO Category 6**  
Includes two (2) voting members and one (2) “Associate” non-voting members.  
Membership Fee: \$145
- **FAA Index C and ICAO Category 7**  
Includes three (3) voting members and (3) “Associate” non-voting members.  
Membership Fee: \$195
- **FAA Index D and ICAO Category 8**  
Includes four (4) voting members and four (4) “Associate” non-voting members.  
Membership Fee: \$245
- **FAA Index E and ICAO Category 9/10**  
Includes five (5) voting members and five (5) “Associate” non-voting members.  
Membership Fee: \$295.00

### **Corporate Members/Sustaining Members**

Corporate/Sustaining Members are fire equipment suppliers, engineering firms, consulting firms, manufacturers, training institutions and other businesses desiring to recognize and advance the mission of the ARFF Working Group. Includes one (1) voting member and one (1) “Associate” non-voting member.

Membership Fee: \$395

### **Associate Members**

Supplemental Associate Members may be purchased at the time of Organizational/Corporate Memberships at a fee of \$10 per Associate Membership. “Associate Members” will receive all benefits as Individual Members with the exception of voting privileges and a printed/mailed copy of ARFF News. ARFF News will be available electronically from the ARFFWG website.

Memberships Fee: \$10