

SUBSCRIPTION FORM



Become a Member of the NFSA!

Complete this form to become a Subscriber Member of the National Fire Sprinkler Association.

Serving the fire sprinkler industry since 1905, the NFSA is a trade association whose objectives are to:

- Promote, defend, enhance and improve the business of manufacturing and installing fire sprinkler devices and systems;
- Foster and promote the recognition of the fire sprinkler industry as a unique identity in itself;
- Conduct such programs and projects as are keeping with these objectives, including, but not limited to:

Engineering Services	Computer Networking
Insurance	Building and Fire Codes
Field Programs	Seminars and Workshops
Legislation	Publications
Exhibitions	Federal Liaison
Labor Relations	Technician Certification and Training

Subscriber Membership

In response to interest expressed by the fire services and code officials, NFSA created this special category of membership for "Authorities Having Jurisdiction" and other interested parties, such as insurance loss control managers, provided they are not eligible for any other category of membership.

Professional Membership

The Professional category of membership was created for architects, engineers, and other professionals. It is intended for people who are selfemployed or members of small firms. If you supply products or services, such as computer programs or technical services, directly to fire sprinkler contractors and others in the fire sprinkler industry, you are eligible for NFSA's "SAM" (Supplier and Manufacturer) membership category. Unlike other NFSA membership categories, Subscriber and Professional memberships are for individuals. Only one copy of member publications will be sent per membership. Larger firms with branch offices or more than five employees joining as professionals may find it to their advantage to enroll the company as a "SAM" member. Employees of fire sprinkler contracting companies are not eligible for Subscriber or Professional membership.

Publications

Subscriber/Professional membership in the NFSA will keep you fully informed in all areas of fire sprinkler protection through NFSA's four membership publications.

Sprinkler Quarterly

Published four times each year, this four-color magazine is packed with articles, opinions and information from the leading experts in the industry.

Code Watch

This quarterly newsletter, with special issues published as needed, keeps members informed of changes taking place in the National Model Codes; state and local laws and regulations; amendments to building codes and local ordinances; and other related issues affecting the fire sprinkler industry.

Sprinkler Technotes

Published bi-monthly, this newsletter keeps members up-to-date on changes and proposed changes to fire sprinkler codes and standards, as well as the rapidly developing fire protection technology.

Grass Roots

Filled with industry news events, this monthly newsletter covers the local, state, regional and national activities of NFSA members.

Other Benefits

NFSA Subscriber/Professional Membership entitles you to the same significant price reductions enjoyed by other industry members on a wide range of NFSA publications and seminars. You will have access to NFSA's professional staff for technical assistance. The Association also assists local jurisdictions interested in developing legislation to increase fire and life safety in their communities.

Annual Dues

NFSA Subscriber Dues \$ 85 Per Year **NFSA Professional Dues \$165 Per Year**

NOTE: Dues may be deductible to NFSA members for federal income tax purposes as ordinary and necessary business expenses. Dues are not deductible as charitable contributions. Please consult your tax advisor for individual assistance in specific member situations. If you have any questions, please call: 845-878-4200.

SUBSCRIBER MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION – NIFSAB

I, hereby apply for Subscriber Membership in the National Fire Sprinkler Association, Inc. (please print clearly)

NAME _____ COMPANY / DEPARTMENT _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ FAX _____ E-MAIL _____

SIGNATURE, hereby apply for Subscriber/Professional Membership in the National Fire Sprinkler Association, Inc. _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____

SUBSCRIBER MEMBERSHIP (Annual Dues: \$85.00) Fire Service Building Official Other _____

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP (Annual Dues: \$85.00) Architect Engineer Other _____

Enclose dues check with this application and send to: **NFSA Membership, P.O. Box 1000, Patterson, NY 12563**

If you wish to charge your membership dues to a credit card, complete the following and fax to: **845-878-4215**

Visa MasterCard American Express Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Exact Address as shown on Account: _____

Cardholder's Signature: _____

THE FIRE SPRINKLER TAX INCENTIVE ACT OF 2005

H.R. 1131 Needs Your Help!

To amend the International Revenue Code of 1986 to classify automatic fire sprinkler systems as a 5 year property for purpose of depreciation with 30% the first year versus the current 39 year schedule.

By passing a tax incentive act, Congress can have a critical role in the marking the places that our citizens live, work and play dramatically safer, protect the infrastructures and will act as an economic stimulate.

To support the bill, go to:

- 1/ www.firesprinklerassoc.org
- 2/ click under 60; Legislation61
- 3/ then NFSA Fire Sprinkler Incentive Legislation Interactive
- 4/ follow the CapWiz directions for your Representative and Senator.

Representative Melissa Bean (IL-8)

Representative. Danny Davis (IL-7),

Representative Rahm Emanuel (IL-5)

Representative. J. Dennis Hastert (IL-14)

Representative Jesse Jackson, Jr. (IL-2)

Representative Mark Kirk (IL-10)

Representative Don Manzullo (IL-16)

Representative Jan Schakowsky (IL-9)

Senator Richard Durbin and Senator Barack Obama still have not signed on and need to hear from you.

Lets do it this year!

Thank you for your effort.
