



*Serving firefighters, their families  
and their communities*

## **CALIFORNIA FIREFIGHTERS BENEVOLENT FUND RELIEF APPLICATION**

The California Firefighters Benevolent Fund provides assistance and support to California firefighters displaced or impacted by fire or natural disaster (defined as fire, earthquake, flooding, landslides/mudslides).

**Eligibility and award:** California firefighters who have been impacted by fire or other natural disaster with a minimum of 25% damage to the property where they reside. Only one request will be considered per residence. Applications must be submitted within 30 days of the fire or natural disaster. Eligible firefighters will receive a \$500 check for immediate relief.

Applications will be considered on a rolling basis, and you will receive email confirmation upon receipt and review of your application. Applications must be verified and signed by leadership from your local or fire department.

**Please submit this application, along with supporting documentation (i.e. pictures) to the California Fire Foundation by emailing [cafirefoundation@cpf.org](mailto:cafirefoundation@cpf.org).** Please call the Foundation at 800-890-3213 with questions.

<b>Personal Information</b>	
Name: _____	
Address: _____	
Phone: _____	Email: _____
Fire Department & Title: _____	
Department Address: _____	
Local President/ Fire Department Contact: _____	
Position: _____	
Phone: _____	Email: _____

<b>Incident Description</b>
Was your loss due to a specific wildfire or natural disaster? If yes, please include date, name and/or description below:  _____

**Please describe your catastrophic loss and financial hardship necessitating a California Firefighters Benevolent Fund Grant:**

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California firefighters are eligible for assistance if they had a catastrophic loss of their primary residence that makes the dwelling unlivable. Applicants must provide evidence of home destruction (e.g. picture) and a statement that they were displaced from their home. Disbursements shall only be granted for immediate housing, food, medical supplies and services, clothing and other similar disaster relief. The maximum amount of any grant, per residence, shall be \$500 for any single disaster occurrence. Funds are NOT awarded for property repairs, renovation or construction. Funds are also NOT for replacement of food after loss of power NOR are funds awarded to those who were required to evacuate their homes prior or during the disaster but where catastrophic damage did not occur.

**Deposit Preferences**

How do you wish to receive these funds?

- Via mail (list address): \_\_\_\_\_
- Direct deposit to my bank account (please attach direct deposit information)

**Verification**

**Applicant Verification:**

- I attest that the information in this application is true and accurate.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Fire Department Verification:**

- I attest that the information in this application is true and accurate.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_