

Zimmerman-Markley Community Service Award Scholarship at BGSU State Fire School

The Zimmerman-Markley Community Service Award has been established to assist the efforts of the continuing education and certification of current fire and rescue volunteers located in Champaign and Miami County, Ohio. Preference will be given to the following fire departments: Christiansburg Volunteer Fire Department, Casstown Volunteer Fire Department, and the St. Paris Volunteer Fire Department.

Multiple scholarships may be granted annually to a qualified member of the above named fire companies so that they may attend the BGSU State Fire School to enrich their training and preparation as a volunteer.

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1. The applicant must be an active firefighter, paramedic, or EMT on a fire department located in Champaign or Miami County, Ohio
2. Full-time, part-time, and volunteer firefighters and emergency service professionals are eligible to apply.
3. A selection committee, appointed by BGSU and the State Fire School Advisory Board, will review applications and give preference to applicants from fire departments with limited development funds.
4. Need will be determined based on information provided through a standard application form. This information will include fire district population, annual training budget, number of fire and emergency service personnel, and a brief narrative describing how attendance at State Fire School will benefit the applicant and community.
5. Preference will be given to the following fire departments:
 - Christiansburg Volunteer Fire Department
 - Casstown Volunteer Fire Department
 - St. Paris Volunteer Fire Department
6. Publicity generated by Bowling Green State University or the Zimmerman-Markley Community Service Award may include the scholarship's name and its purpose, as well as biographical information about the recipient.
7. Attach additional pages if necessary.



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Zimmerman-Markley
Community Service Award

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Scholarship Application

Name		Date
Home Address		Phone
City	State	Zip
Email		
Employment Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Full-time	<input type="checkbox"/> Part-time <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer
Class Name (list three choices)	First Choice	
	Second Choice	
Will you be paying for any of this training yourself? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
If yes, how much will you personally cover? _____		

Please attach a short essay (1-3 paragraphs) of how this training will benefit you, your department and the community.

I recognize that should I receive this scholarship, my name, biographical information, and the amount for the award may be included in publicity generated by Bowling Green State University or the Zimmerman-Markley Community Service Award in reference to the scholarship. Signature also indicated authorization to release all appropriate information as necessary to complete the scholarship process.

Applicant Signature: _____

Department Information

Department		
Department Address		
City	State	Zip
County	Work Phone	
District Population	Annual External Training Budget	# of Personnel on Department

Chief Authorization (required)

I certify that the above department information is, to the best of my knowledge, accurate. I agree to provide verification of this information if requested by representatives of State Fire School.

Signature	Print Name	Phone Number
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Scholarship is for registration fees only. Participant is responsible for housing, books, transportation, and meals. This need-based scholarship is open to Champaign and Miami County, Ohio municipal firefighters, paramedics, and EMTs - Full-time, part-time, and volunteer. Submit completed application using one of the four methods listed at the top of this page.

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