

# BE A HERO!



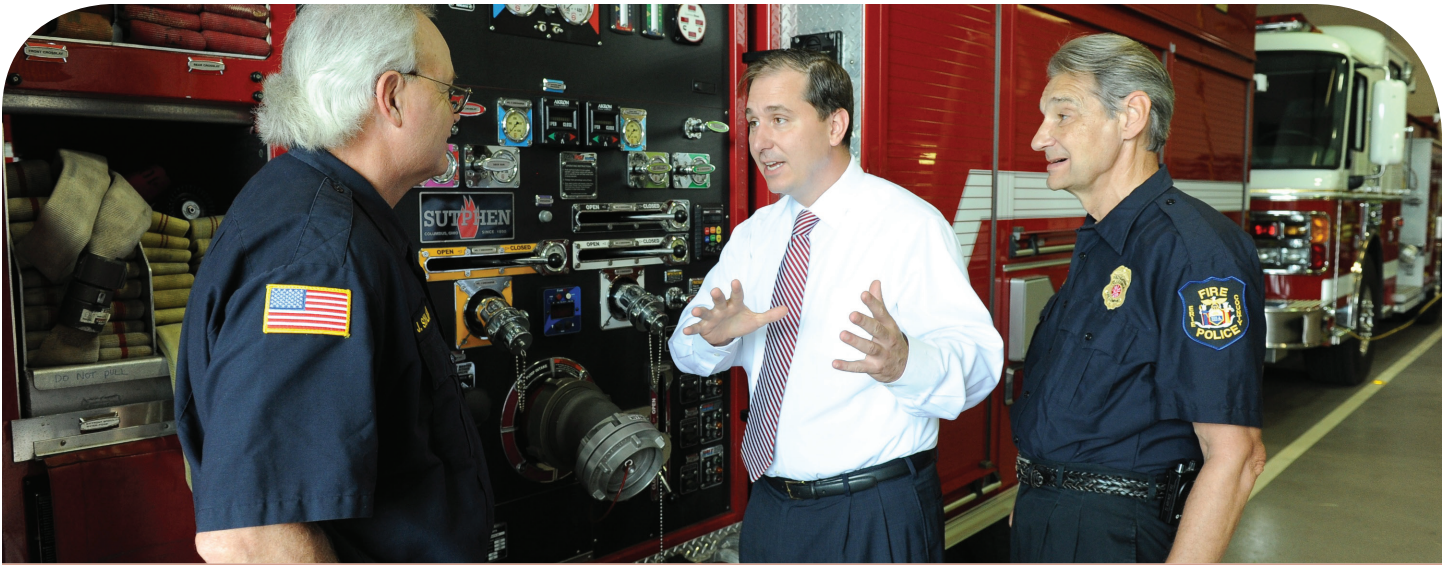
*Learn more about the benefits of being a volunteer firefighter or emergency responder inside...*



Our volunteer firefighters stand ready to assist those in need both day and night, 365 days of the year.

I would like to thank *all* of our volunteer firefighters for everything they do to protect our community.





Being a volunteer emergency responder, like an EMT or firefighter, gives you the opportunity to serve your community as well as offers you a plethora of incentives, including:

- **State income tax benefits;**
- **Free health check-ups;**
- **Free accident insurance;**
- **Financial assistance to pursue or finish your college degree;**
- **And more!**

To learn more about becoming a volunteer firefighter or emergency responder, please contact your local fire company or go online to [www.fasny.com](http://www.fasny.com).



There's a rich history of volunteer firefighting right here in New York State that goes back to 1737. Today, there are more than **100,000 volunteer firefighters** across the state that **save taxpayers \$3 billion annually** while protecting our property, lives and communities.

I have been very proud to work with many of our local volunteer fire companies to help pass legislation that extends the Volunteer Firefighters Benefit Law.

**Please join our efforts to support volunteer firefighters at “take action” at [www.fasny.com](http://www.fasny.com).**



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