

## THE AMERICAN LEGION

## DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON

## FIREFIGHTER OF THE YEAR APPLICATION

Award to be presented annually at the Department Convention to an outstanding Firefighter selected from local, county, state or federal agencies. The individual selected will be chosen from candidates submitted by Post Law & Order Committees. Nominations must be received by Department HQ by February 1<sup>st</sup> of each year. See Department of Washington Operating Procedure 28.

Candidates Name:	Cell Phone #:	Email:
Home Address:	City:	Zip:
Nominating Post:	Post Commander:	
Commanders Phone #:	Email:	
Post Address:	City:	Zip:
Agency Chief:	Phone #:	
Agency Address:	City:	Zip:

Please complete the answers to the below questions. Attach additional sheets of paper to fully explain your answers if needed. Also, attach all documentation that is available. If your candidate is selected as Firefighter of the Year you will be required to fill out additional applications so that the Firefighter can be put in for National Firefighter of the Year. The Law-and-Order Chair will assist you in this.

- 1. Why is candidate outstanding? Endorsed by his peers or superiors.
- 2. Did candidate commit and act of Valor? YES ( ) NO ( ).
- 3. If an act of valor occurred and given publicity, please attach newspaper clippings, photos, or time and date of radio or TV coverage.
- 4. Has the candidate received local recognition from other organizations, including the Legion Post?
- 5. Has the Legion Post presented The American Legion Law & Order Certificate and or plaque?