



GIFT WAIVER FOR JAMES GREESON



Name of Agency: Indiana Department of Homeland Security (IDHS)

Name of Recipient: James Greeson

Title of Recipient: State Fire Marshal

Description of the Gift: Mr. Greeson has been offered travel, lodging, and lunches by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) so that he may attend the NFPA State Fire Marshal Forum on November 12-15, 2018. The approximate total value of this gift is \$1,200.

Date of Receipt: November 12, 2018

Name of Donor: National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)

Donor's Address: 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA, 02169-7471

Nature of Business Relationship with Agency: IDHS purchases code books from NFPA

Public Interest: The NFPA State Fire Marshal Forum is an annual event sponsored by NFPA and held at its headquarters in Quincy, MA. The Forum covers important topics that are at the forefront of fire safety and firefighter safety nationwide. There are several topics on the agenda that are of particular significance to initiatives being pursued by IDHS, such as (1) the inventory of aging buildings in the U. S. and the life cycle of these structures; (2) NFPA 2400 Standard on Unmanned Aerial Devices (Drone Technology); (3) current issues in building safety (Schools, Colleges, and Universities); and (4) personal protective gear and cancer in the fire service.

As our highest ranking fire official in the state, it is in the public's interest that Fire Marshal Greeson attends this event to represent Indiana and to bring back valuable information from the presentations mentioned above, as well as all of the other topics that will be discussed during this Forum.

Chelsea E. Smith, Ethics Officer

10/18/18

Date