



## Local No. 22

**PHILADELPHIA FIREFIGHTERS AND PARAMEDICS UNION**  
**International Association of Firefighters**  
**415 N. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Philadelphia, PA 19123**  
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DELAWARE VALLEY MARITIME TRADE COUNCIL • PENNSYLVANIA AFL-CIO

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Dear Local 22 Family:

The Philadelphia Board of Pensions & Retirement Employee Representative Election ballots have been mailed to all active city employees. Your official ballot will be received at your home address beginning on August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and must be returned by **September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021**. The elected employee representative hears & votes on matters relating to eligibility for various pension & disability benefits and monitors pension plan funds and investments.

**Brian Coughlin** was unanimously approved for endorsement by IAFF Local 22. We strongly recommend that you support our board member, Brian, in this election. Captain Coughlin is a 15 year Philadelphia Fire Department member, serves as Treasurer for IAFF Local 22 and has been the elected employee representative on the pension board since 2015.

The Board of Pensions Employee Representatives are elected from the four Philadelphia Unions. We strongly recommend your support for the following Union-endorsed candidates:

Ballot #2 Brian Coughlin, Firefighters Local #22

Ballot #1 Roosevelt Poplar, F.O.P. Lodge #5

Ballot #3 Paul Reed, District Council #33

Ballot #4 Carol Stukes-Baylor, District Council #47

Having strong, experienced, and determined representatives on our Board of Pensions is critical. The oversight and decisions made on behalf of **ALL ACTIVE MEMBERS** by the elected representatives will influence your future as well as your families. Therefore, it is imperative that you cast your ballot for Brian and the Union-endorsed candidates.

Fraternally yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Michael P. Bresnan'.

Michael P. Bresnan,  
President IAFF Local 22