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MEMBERSHIP

 **33,195** members belong to the NVFC.

 **99** posts are made each month in the NVFC's Volunteer Voices online member community.

 **4** fire service achievement awards were presented by the NVFC and award sponsors California Casualty, Lincoln Financial Group, VFIS, and Ward Diesel Filter Systems.


VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT

 **9,665** departments are registered with the NVFC's Make Me A Firefighter recruitment campaign.

 **5,696** volunteer opportunities are posted through the Make Me A Firefighter campaign.

 **3,847,245** clicks on opportunities and


 **38,696** volunteer applications have been completed through www.MakeMeAFirefighter.org.

 **\$2.9 million** was granted to the NVFC by FEMA through a Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response grant to support volunteer recruitment and retention.

HEALTH & SAFETY

 **4,903** copies of the *Directory of Behavioral Health Professionals* have been downloaded to provide local assistance to responders in need.

 **3,606** copies of the *Psychologically Healthy Fire Departments: Implementation Toolkit* have been downloaded to support healthy, successful departments.

 **4,053** copies of the Lavender Ribbon Report and Update have been downloaded to help reduce firefighter cancer risks.

25,000 printed copies of the seventh *Firefighter Strong* newsletter were distributed to volunteer and combination fire departments in the U.S.

7,088 downloads have been made of the NVFC and PHMSA's *Fire Department Pipeline Response, Emergency Planning, & Preparedness Toolkit*.

More than **55,000** visits were made to the 2023 Safety Stand Down web site and took the quiz. The theme focused on lithium-ion battery preparedness and response.

5,150 people



\$1.4 million was granted to the NVFC by FEMA through a Fire Prevention and Safety grant to support critical health and safety initiatives.

More than **300** packets containing health and safety-related posters and stickers were sent to fire departments across the U.S.



TRAINING

 **4,141** registrations were made for  **43** courses in the NVFC Virtual Classroom in 2023.

 **150** attendees participated in the NVFC Training Summit held June 23-24 in Oklahoma City, OK.

 **55** attendees received a travel stipend.

 **75** attendees participated in the NVFC's inaugural Regional Wildland Symposium held March 17-18 in Box Elder, SD.

18 attendees received a travel stipend.



205 attendees participated in **8** hazmat train-the-trainer courses across the country through the Partners In Training (PIT) Crew program, an initiative supported by a PHMSA grant.



 **17** Train Strong webinars were offered in 2023, with

2,908 live attendees.

\$35,000 was granted by the Motorola Solutions Foundation in the fall to support the NVFC's training initiatives.

ADVOCACY



3,803 letters to Congress were sent through the NVFC's Legislative Action Center.

COMMUNICATIONS

 **347,415** web site visits in 2023 www.nvfc.org

 **78,427** Facebook followers @nvfc1

 **12,623** X followers @nvfc

 **13,423** LinkedIn followers National Volunteer Fire Council

 **3,182** Instagram followers @mynvfc

 **855,856** YouTube views in 2023 – NVFCCommunications

PARTNERSHIPS



\$125,000
was granted

to the NVFC by General Motors to help increase responder safety at roadway incidents.



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NVFC members

received refurbished laptops thanks to CHEMTREC®.



2.5
million cans

of emergency drinking water were donated by Anheuser-Busch to **1,061** volunteer fire departments in **47** states to keep firefighters hydrated while battling wildfires.

\$15,000
was awarded

to the NVFC by Anheuser-Busch through its charitable Brew Across America event.

547,000
servings



of DripDrop's electrolyte drink mix were donated to fire departments to provide fast hydration to volunteer firefighters.



52
sets

of turnout gear and **52** helmets were awarded to **13** departments through MSA and DuPont's Globe Gear Giveaway, a partnership between MSA, DuPont, and the NVFC. MSA also sponsored



500 NVFC memberships.



2 NVFC members

received helmets through the MSA Cairns® XF1 Fire Helmet Giveaway.



2 NVFC members

received scholarships to attend Columbia Southern University.

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NVFC members

were each awarded **\$10K** through the CHEMTREC® HELP (Hazardous Materials Emergency Local Preparedness) Award to bolster their departments' hazardous materials incident response capabilities.



244

local screenings



of the new volunteer firefighting documentary, *Odd Hours, No Pay, Cool Hat*, were hosted or confirmed throughout the U.S. in 2023.

JOIN US

We've got your back. Join the NVFC and help support our initiatives while taking advantage of great benefits, including free training, the First Responder Helpline, Volunteer Voices, an AD&D policy, and more. www.nvfc.org/join

CORPORATE MEMBERS

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