

2012 RENEWAL APPLICATION

(ACTIVE / non-associate)

All dues are due Oct. 1st, 2011 ▶ Late Dues WILL result in roster removal & insurance, benefits & plate revocation ◀

[Please complete all areas and print legibly to keep lodge records accurate & updated]

LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____ M.I. _____
DATE OF BIRTH ____/____/____
CURRENT BENEFICIARY (only one name permitted) _____ (DO NOT leave blank!)
Beneficiary's Relationship to Member _____ Beneficiary D.O.B. ____/____/____
Religious Affiliation (only for bereavement purposes) _____

▶ **CONTACT INFORMATION:**

E-Mail Address: [Please PRINT in BLOCK letters – E-mails utilized to save postage for notices/events] _____
Street Address: _____ Apt/Floor/Unit #: _____
Borough/Town: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Home Phone: () _____ - _____ Cell Phone: () _____ - _____

▶ **LAW ENFORCEMENT OCCUPATION:** Still Working? Retired? Date Retired: _____

Department/Agency: _____ Command/Unit: _____ Phone: _____

▶ **STATE LODGE FOP LICENSE PLATES:** Do you currently possess FOP license plates registered in your name?

YES - You are required to list them: License Plate # _____ License Plate # _____ License Plate # _____
 NO - If you'd like information on how to participate in this optional program, please contact the lodge at 917-345-0164 or by E-mail at: fopnewyork38@aol.com

▶ **STATE LODGE MEMBER PHOTO ID CARD:** Do you currently possess a State Lodge Member Photo ID Card?

YES NO – For information on how to participate in this optional program, please contact the lodge at 917-345-0164 or by E-mail at: fopnewyork38@aol.com

▶ **LODGE 38 JANUARY DAILY DRAWING!** (See page 2 for details)

January 1st through January 31st, 2012 (\$5.00 donation per ticket number)

Pick below - each choice is a different 3-digit number from 000 to 999:

1st Choice: 2nd Choice:

3rd Choice: 4th Choice:

▶ **LODGE 38 RENEWAL DUES for 2012** \$40.00

(Optional) January Drawing / 1 ticket number = \$5.00 donation (\$5.00)

___ Additional ticket numbers x \$5.00 donation each additional = (____)

TOTAL ENCLOSED (Dues & Options)

- Payable to: FOP Lodge 38 (Deadline: October 1st, 2011)
- Mail to: FOP Lodge 38, PO Box 02-1501, Brooklyn, NY 11202-0032

▶ ▶ **SIGN HERE:** _____ **Date:** _____

Be sure to enclose a photocopy of Law Enforcement ID or confirmation letter on employer letterhead to avoid having your application returned!

To Be Completed By Lodge 38 Secretary: Date Received: _____ Check/M.O. # _____ Amount: _____ W - _____

QUALIFICATIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERSHIP

Responsibilities as a Member

I hereby declare my desire to renew my membership in the Fraternal Order of Police. I agree with the aims and objectives of the FOP as outlined in the local, State and National Constitution & Bylaws, and I shall conform to all said rules. I pledge to respect all laws of the United States, the State of New York, and to support law enforcement in every way I can. I also attest that I am qualified to renew my membership, and that the information supplied by me on the reverse is both accurate and truthful in renewing my membership, and that any misrepresentation or deception on my part will be grounds for the denial of my renewal or expulsion from the Order.

Membership Qualifications

Membership is open to any regularly appointed, full-time (or retired) law enforcement officer of the United States, New York State, cities, towns, villages and political subdivisions therein, permanently employed or temporarily detailed within the boundaries of the State of New York. A law enforcement officer is a *police officer* (as defined in N.Y.S. Criminal Procedure Law Art.1.20 Sect. 34), a *peace officer* (as defined in N.Y.S. Criminal Procedure Law Art. 2.10) or a *federal officer* (as defined in N.Y.S. Criminal Procedure Law Art. 2.15)

Regulations regarding FOP name, logo and paraphernalia

If you secure FOP license plates, such plates must be returned to the Department of Motor Vehicles if you resign or are removed from membership in this organization. The Fraternal Order of Police regulates the use of the copyrighted FOP name and emblem and prohibits the use of it in any way without the express written permission of the NYS Fraternal Order of Police.

Proof of Law Enforcement Officer Status

A **photocopy** of your law enforcement ID card (active or retired) **or** a letter from employer on official letterhead verifying your **present** law enforcement status **must** be attached in order for your renewal to be processed.

We have documented cases of non-law enforcement trying to join the FOP, as well as those who no longer work in law enforcement but are trying to remain in the FOP. In addition, the State and National Lodges periodically audit the member rosters of local lodges to maintain integrity.

Agreement and Signature

I have thoroughly read both sides of the membership renewal and hereby agree to all items as stated and affix my **signature and date** (on other side) in furtherance of my renewal.

MEMBER BENEFITS

Professional & Social Networking

Lodge 38 has nearly 1,000 members from over 55 different departments & agencies which provides a great deal of networking amongst members. Combine that with our regular meetings, Face book page, website, newsletters and numerous events and you have one of the most successful lodges in the FOP ranked third in statewide membership!

Accidental Death & Dismemberment Coverage

Members whose dues are up to date and who have joined prior to age 63 are eligible for an accidental death benefit of \$10,000 up to age 70. After age 70, the benefit is \$5,000.

Survivor Aid Benefit

Members whose dues are up to date and have joined prior to age 63 have a benefit payable to their named beneficiary upon their death. The benefit starts at \$250 and maxes out at \$1,000 contingent on 5 yrs continued membership. After age 63, the benefit is \$250.

Project Stork

Members who have a newborn child or adopt a child under age 18 may submit an application to receive a \$50 U.S. savings bond.

Educational Scholarships

High school and college scholarships are awarded yearly by lottery from the State Lodge to qualified members' children.

Miscellaneous Benefits

Discounts on a variety of goods and services which include: merchandise, theme parks, theatre & movies, accommodations, car rentals, airfare, auto & home insurance, dental & vision, police equipment, e-mail account, home mortgages, clothing & apparel, online college, tutorial programs, defensive driving, home alarms, financial services, credit card, legal defense plan, FOP vanity plates.

ANY ONE OF THE ABOVE DISCOUNTS AND SAVINGS CAN COVER YOUR YEARLY DUES. DON'T DELAY AND RISK LOSING YOUR BENEFITS AND INSURANCE...RENEW TODAY!!

JANUARY DAILY DRAWING

Tickets are \$5.00 each and the number you choose (or assigned if not available) is your number for 31 daily drawings during the month of January 2012.

Indicate 4 different choices of a 3-digit number from 000 through 999. If your number is already taken or you leave the box(es) blank, we will assign a number at random.

Example: 1st Choice

7	4	6
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 2nd Choice

0	3	8
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All entrants will be notified of their number. **All winners** will be paid within 30 days after the conclusion of the drawing.

Prizes: \$50.00 Monday through Saturday, \$100.00 on Sunday, \$150.00 on New Year's Day. You can win more than once during the 31-day drawing.

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YOUR RECORDS**