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The Minnesota Board of Firefighter Training and Education (MBFTE) is pleased to notify you that your fire department has been awarded redistribution funding under the training reimbursement program in the amount of $108,118.15. This training reimbursement redistribution award is for MBFTE approved training conducted between 7/1/2025 and 6/30/2026.

Your fire department's redistribution award funds are based on the Board's desire to award each department as much per firefighter as was available in the MBFTE budget but not to exceed a total of $1,199.78 per firefighter for all 772 Minnesota fire departments.

Your fire department submitted invoices to the MBFTE office in excess of your initial grant award of $115,393.00, which was based on the actual award of $257.00 per firefighter within your department. The MBFTE, through redistribution of unused training reimbursement funds, is able to award additional funding to the fire departments that exceeded their original training reimbursement award by submitting eligible training invoices to the MBFTE office.

Your redistribution funds from the training reimbursement program will be electronically deposited into the account that corresponds to the federal tax identification number and state vendor number on record with the MBFTE. Your fire department is not required to complete any additional paperwork with the MBFTE to receive this redistribution award.

The Minnesota Board of Firefighter Training and Education thanks your fire department for their participation in the Training Reimbursement Program. Coming in late August will be your Round 19 award letter for State Fiscal Year 2027 (7/1/2026 - 6/30/2027).

If you have questions regarding your redistribution award, please email me at steve.flaherty@state.mn.us or call me at 651-201-7258.

Respectfully,

Steve Flaherty

Steve Flaherty, Executive Director