

Fraternal Order of Police Associates of Ohio Inc.

Member of the Year Award

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The Fraternal Order of Police Associates of Ohio **Member of the Year Award** is awarded by the State President of the FOPA and is given to recognize, statewide, an FOPA member who has demonstrated exceptional service and dedication to their own associate lodge and/or the State Lodge of Ohio. If you feel your fellow Brother or Sister deserves to be recognized for their service, please review the following guidelines and submit the application form.

Eligibility Considerations

- The nominee must be an active FOPA member in good standing for at least one year. A posthumous award may be made in the name of an FOPA member deceased in the past year.
- Performance above and beyond that which is normally expected in the course of regular lodge duties.
- Outstanding service to their community. Volunteer or charity work they do above and beyond their duties with the FOPA.
- Other notable achievements, awards or recognition they may have previously received for their volunteer or charitable contributions.

Documentation

The application form must be filled out in its entirety and submitted by April 15th to be considered. Other documentation that is encouraged, but not required, could include:

- A letter from an officer in the nominee's Associate Lodge or an officer of the FOPA State Lodge.
- A letter from an FOP member, or a community leader who has interactions with the nominee.
- Pictures or newspaper articles that highlight the nominee's achievements.

Mail completed nomination forms to:

Fraternal Order of Police Associates

C/O Member of the Year Award

222 E. Town St

Columbus, OH 43215

