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## **MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM - COMMERCIAL**

The Karns Volunteer Fire Department has adopted a Membership Program to fund the fire department activities. **Karns receives NO TAX REVENUE to fund our operations.** The membership cost is set at 7 cents per square foot of the commercial building and includes heated and non-heated areas. Those not joining the department will be billed for service at the rates below and may be re-rated by their insurance company. Members will enjoy all services for the cost of their membership.

### **Examples of Membership Fees:**

\$50 per each apartment (25 apartments X \$50 = \$1250 per year)

5000 square feet X 0.07 = \$350.00 per year

10,000 square feet X 0.07 = \$700.00 per year

50,000 square feet X 0.07 = \$3500.00 per year

100,000 square feet X 0.07 = \$7000.00 per year

## **COMMERCIAL NON-MEMBER FEES PER EACH REQUEST**

<b>Structure Fire Call</b>	<b>\$3800 first hour \$1900 each additional hour, per engine</b>
<b>Brush Fire</b>	<b>\$ 950 per engine, per hour</b>
<b>Vehicle Accident with Extrication</b>	<b>\$1900</b>
<b>Vehicle Accident no Extrication</b>	<b>\$ 150</b>
<b>Vehicle Fire</b>	<b>\$ 950</b>
<b>Utility Emergency</b>	<b>\$ 950 per engine, per hour</b>
<b>Hazardous Materials</b>	<b>\$1900 per engine, per hour; plus all associated clean-up costs</b>
<b>Smoke Alarm No Fire</b>	<b>\$ 950</b>
<b>Carbon Monoxide</b>	<b>\$ 950</b>
<b>Emergency Medical Call</b>	<b>\$ 150</b>
<b>All Non-Listed Emergency Calls</b>	<b>\$ 950 per engine, per hour</b>

**Avoid these higher fees by becoming a member today**