

# Monthly news & updates

August | 2023

## UPCOMING EVENTS

[2023 MidAmerican Pension Conference](#)

[2023 Carterville Seminar](#)

[23-2 Certified Trustee Program](#)

[2023 IPPFA Holiday Party](#)

## ONLINE TRAINING

[16 Hour Online CTP Course](#)

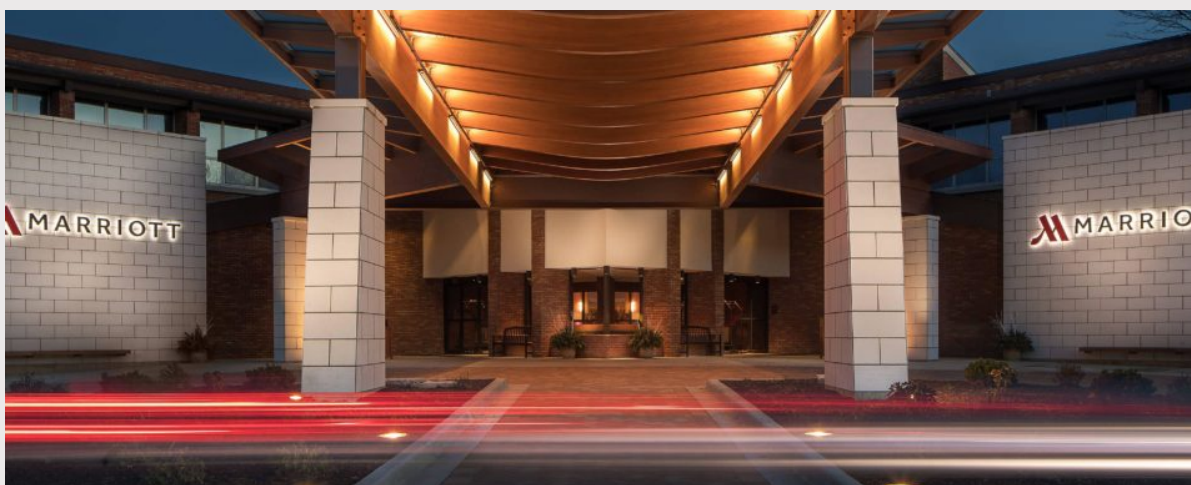
[8 Hour Online Training](#)

[4 Hour Online Cybersecurity Training](#)

## REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

### 2023 IPPFA MidAmerican Pension Conference

*October 4 - 6, 2023*



#### Marriott Lincolnshire Resort

10 Marriott Drive  
Lincolnshire, IL 60069

[Register Here](#)

[Hotel Information](#)

## CONFERENCE OPPORTUNITIES

[Sponsorship Information](#)

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### **Heroes Family Fund MidAmerican Charity Golf Outing**

*October 3rd, 2023*



#### **Crane's Landing Golf Club**

10 Marriott Drive  
Lincolnshire, IL 60069

[Register Now](#)

*This event is separate from the 2023 MidAmerican Conference.*

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Heroes Family Fund Police vs. Fire Whirlyball Charity Event**



**WhirlyBall - Vernon Hills**  
285 Center Drive  
Vernon Hills, IL 60061

*More information coming soon.*

**2023 Carterville Regional Seminar**  
*November 14th, 2023*



**John A. Logan College**  
700 Logan College Drive  
Carterville, IL 62918

[Register Now](#)

*This 8 Hour seminar fulfills the required continuing education requirements for pension trustees.*

**UPDATED FOR 2023**  
**Retirement Guide for Illinois Downstate Fire and Police**  
**Active and Retired Members**

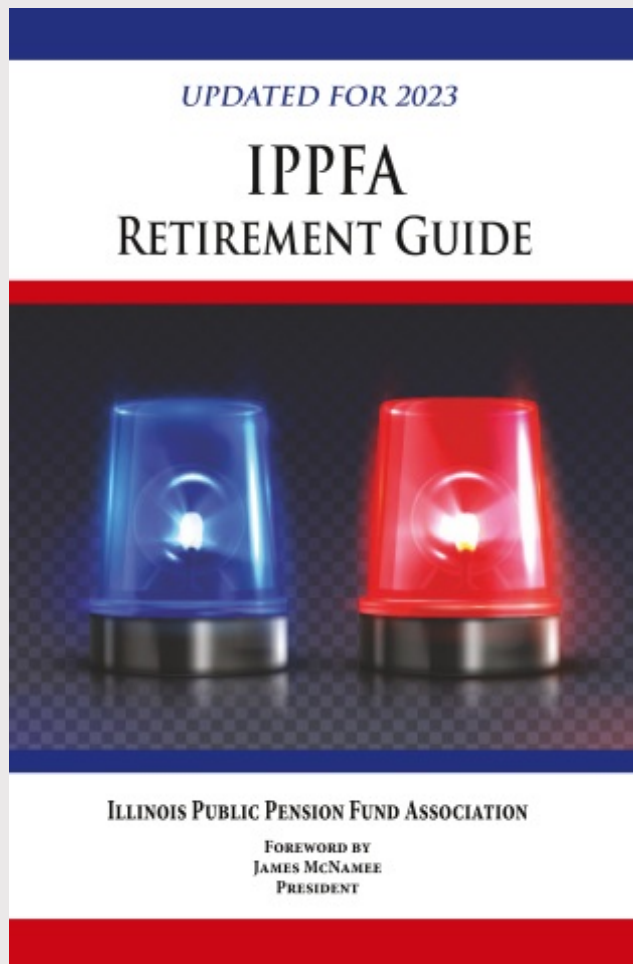
IPPFA is pleased to announce the publication of the *IPPFA Retirement Guide*.

The *IPPFA Retirement Guide* is written for anyone who serves or have served in Illinois as police officers and firefighters under the “downstate” Article 3 and Article 4 pension systems. The book provides both an overview and substantial detail on their well-earned benefits, including:

- Article 3 Police Pensions
- Article 4 Fire Pensions
- Social Security, for personnel both covered and not-covered at police/fire
- Public Employee Deferred Compensation
- Retirement Healthcare Funding Plans

Understanding these income sources is key for your members to plan and execute a successful retirement.

The book is available on Amazon.com for \$9.99 but is offered for bulk sale at \$7.50 to IPPFA Member Pension Funds (and their municipalities, fire districts unions, and foreign, fire insurance boards). This is a great price for any pension fund or related entity that wants to keep their membership informed on their retirement benefits. A minimum order of 10 books is required for bulk sale. Non-member organizations may purchase the book in bulk for \$9.00 per copy.



*\*Payment must be by check and accompany the order\**

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