



Indiana State Lodge Fraternal Order of Police 1934

August 26, 2025

RE: Legal Defense Fund Dues Increase

Dear LDF Members;

The Legal Defense Fund has experienced a significant increase in costs and expenses in representing and defending members across the state. We are seeing a tremendous increase in the number of officers having to defend themselves as a result of Brady/Giglio allegations and, at the same time, police action shootings and other critical incidents have increased.

In order to maintain adequate fund reserves, the LDF's Board of Directors voted on July 18, 2025, to increase LDF dues from \$195 per year to \$230 per year. The dues increase will be effective in March of 2026.

We must stand together through our Legal Defense Fund to insure our rights are protected. Your LDF membership card is the most valuable card that you carry. Don't leave home without it!

Please be safe and continue to look out for one another.

Fraternally,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Tom Ashcraft'.

Tom Ashcraft
State LDF/FOP Chairman
Board of Directors

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