

HB1602/103627/1

BY: Health Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1602  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**Delegate Griffith**” and substitute “**Delegates Griffith, Alston, Bagnall, Cullison, Guzzone, Hill, Hutchinson, S. Johnson, Kaufman, Kipke, Lopez, Martinez, M. Morgan, Reilly, Rosenberg, Ross, Taveras, White Holland, and Woorman**”; in line 2, after “**Volunteer**” insert “**and Retired Volunteer**”; in line 5, after “volunteering” insert “**and retired volunteer firefighters who volunteered**”; in line 8, after “firefighters” insert “**and retired volunteer firefighters**”; and in line 11, after “volunteer” insert “**and retired volunteer**”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 22, insert:

**“(2) “RETIRED VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER” MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS A RETIRED FIREFIGHTER WHO:**

**(I) VOLUNTEERED WITH A VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY IN A COUNTY;**

**(II) WAS ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN FIRE SUPPRESSION WHILE VOLUNTEERING WITH THE VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY;**

**(III) HAS COMPLETED A MINIMUM OF 3 YEARS OF VOLUNTEER SERVICE; AND**

(IV) ACCUMULATED AT LEAST 50 POINTS UNDER A LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM OR A POINT SYSTEM ESTABLISHED IN LIEU OF A LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM.”;

and in line 23, strike “(2)” and substitute “(3)”.

On page 2, in line 1, strike “(3)” and substitute “(4)”;

in line 2, after “FIREFIGHTER” insert “ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN FIRE SUPPRESSION AND”;

in line 7, after “VOLUNTEERS” insert “AND EACH RETIRED VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER WHO VOLUNTEERED”;

in line 10, after “VOLUNTEERING” insert “AND RETIRED VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS WHO VOLUNTEERED”;

in line 18, after the first “VOLUNTEER” insert “AND ALL RETIRED VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS WHO VOLUNTEERED”;

and in line 23, after “FIREFIGHTERS” insert “AND RETIRED VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS”.