



**Palmer Engine & Hose Co.
(Kinderhook Fire Department)**

39 Chatham St.
P.O. Box 191
Kinderhook, NY 12106-0191

Application for Membership

Date: ___/___/_____

I _____ hereby make application for active membership in the Palmer Engine & Hose Co. and promise to comply with all company by-laws, rules and regulations if voted in.

I understand the following sections of the company's by-laws specifically apply and must be observed:

Article VII, Section 1: Any active member voted into the company must comply with the officers checklist as specified in Article IV, Section 3 and must attend a NYS certified course as deemed appropriate by the Chief within the first two years or be subject to expulsion as specified in Article X, Section 2.

Article VII, Section 2: It shall be the duty of every active member to respond to as many alarms of fire, to attend as many fire drills and to attend as many meetings as possible. It is the duty of every active member to discharge all duties assigned by the commanding official and to use the utmost endeavors to prevent improper use of the company's property.

I give the Palmer Engine & Hose Co. permission to do a complete background check on me which may include arson, sex offender history and criminal background.

If accepted, I acknowledge that I will have to get a physical before responding to any alarm and that I will get one every year thereafter. The department will incur the cost of the physical.

I hereby signify that I am physically and mentally fit to perform such duties as my membership shall require.

Signature: _____ Age: _____
Date of Birth: _____ Social Security #: _____
Occupation: _____
Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Work #: _____

(A fee of \$10 must accompany this application)

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Application was received and read at trustees meeting on _____

The following Trustees have screened the above applicant and recommend that he/she be accepted for membership. Three signatures are required.

- (1) _____
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____

Applicant was voted on at the company meeting held on _____
and was: Accepted () Declined ()