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## **ILLINOIS ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ARSON PREVENTION**

### **MISSION**

The Mission of the Illinois Advisory Committee on Arson Prevention is to bring together Law Enforcement, Firefighters, Public Officials and Insurance Industry personnel to jointly combat the crime of arson, to enhance community involvement in the apprehension of arsonists and to support fire prevention education for the public.

### **OBJECTIVES**

- A. To conduct Arson Awards Program acknowledging citizens and professionals whose cooperation led to the suppression of arson in Illinois.
- B. To foster cooperation amongst Law Enforcement, Firefighters, Public Officials, Insurance Industry personnel and other interested parties in furthering fire prevention activities and combating arson and related crimes.
- C. To support the education of Law Enforcement, Firefighters, Public Officials, Insurance Industry personnel and interested parties on fire prevention and the control, detection and prosecution of arson.
- D. To support the exchange of fire prevention and arson related technical information and developments between Law Enforcement, Firefighters, Public Officials and Insurance Industry personnel.
- E. To educate the public on fire prevention and the extent and seriousness of arson.
- F. To review and assist in creation of legislation regarding arson.