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Greetings,

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President Emeritus Addington Stewart The heart of the International Association of Black Professional Fire Fighters, Inc. (IABPFF) can be found in our members, partners and supporters. As African American Firefighters, we are diverse, and we continue to strive for equity and inclusion in the fire service and communities across the country. We would like for your organization to partner with us for our David J. Floyd Youth camp.

The IABPFF, Inc., David J. Floyd Youth camp will provide you girls and boys ages eleven through fifteen with a safe, dynamic, interactive, and physically challenging environment to gain strength and knowledge while building confidence and cultivating their leadership skills.

Camping teaches skills and values that campers can enjoy their entire lives. It fosters a tangible and tactile connection to nature that only comes from immersing oneself in it. Overcoming challenges as a group helps forge strong bonds of friendship. It allows each camper to realize how much stronger they are together. Each participant will also have an opportunity perform as group lead under the guidance of organization leaders to cultivate their leadership skills.

David James Floyd served as the first President of the IABPFF (1970 - 1980). He served as a firefighter with the Fire Department of New York and retired as Captain. This camp is dedicated to honoring his legacy. The first David J. Floyd Youth Camp will be held in Chattanooga, TN at the Booker T. Washington State Park July 3rd through 7th, 2023.

Your partnership will help support our efforts to bring the David J. Floyd Youth Camp to the children in the Chattanooga community. Please make checks payable to: The IABPFF, Inc. David J. Floyd Youth Camp, and mail to 900 Brentwood Rd. Unit 91104 Washington, DC 20090.

Please feel free to contact Executive Director Freddie Brooks, at 423-488-4897 or visit our website and click on the David J. Floyd Youth Camp logo for more information.

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