



# ANSONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing this letter representing approximately 200 active volunteer firefighters who serve the City of Ansonia. We are strongly opposed to any cuts in funding to any of the regional fire schools and any cuts in funding to the fire service in general. As a small volunteer fire department, serving a depressed community, the only way we can meet OSHA regulations is through use of the regional schools to provide training to our organization. Without the support of the regional schools, we would be unable to meet the minimum training requirements placed upon us by Federal, State and Local government. I am sure I do not have to remind you about the monies the volunteers save their communities by providing fire protection and rescue services for free. We need you to support us so we can continue to help our community. Please help us by restoring the full funding to the regional schools that was promised to us in the past.

Thank you for your time.

Yours in Service,

Scott Trembley  
Chief  
Ansonia Fire Department