

Craig Wolf Attorney General State of Maryland
Maryland Candidates Questionnaire

1-Do you support maintaining Current level of Budget Funding for the Maryland State Firemen's Association?

Yes.

2-Will you support putting additional loan funds in the VCAF (Volunteer Company Assistance Loans) program so that more low interest loans can be made through the Maryland Military Dept and the Maryland State Firemen's Association?

Yes.

3-Do you understand the critical situation of the Volunteer Fire and Rescue System in Maryland and support additional State Benefit incentives (additional income tax deductions/reduction of state fees) for Volunteer Fire and EMS personnel?

Yes.

4-Would you support state funded accessibility to family Health insurance for volunteer fire and rescue personnel?

Yes.

5-Would you support modifying the Workmen's Compensation Insurance allocation model for Fire/EMS Assumption Claims to be pro-rated by the claimant's employment or volunteer service location rather than the current last exposure insured.

Yes.

6-Would you support additional funding models for fire and rescue services in Maryland?

Yes.

7- Would you support providing additional funding for the rural counties to raise the compensation level of EMT's and Paramedics in each jurisdiction to reduce the critical EMT/Paramedic Shortage in rural areas?

Yes.

Would you support legislation for any of the above issues – Please indicate below:

Yes.

As a former volunteer EMT with the Jefferson Volunteer Fire Company and the Frederick EMT Bike Team, as well as having served as a volunteer Ice Water Rescue and Recover Diver for the 5th District Volunteer Fire Department in Howard County, I understand the issues facing our fire departments and the crisis in the terms of funding. I also believe that we should provide appropriate benefits for those who put their lives on the line serving our state as firemen and EMT's.

Signature: Craig Wolf