

RICHARD W. MCGILL

WAUCONDA, IL 60084

HISTORY

- Joined Wauconda Volunteer Fire Department in 1967 – Volunteer
- Worked for Illinois Bell Telephone Company for 15 years
- One of the First of three paramedics hired by the Wauconda Volunteer Fire Department.
- Served as Secretary/Treasurer for the Wauconda Volunteer Fire Department for 15 years
- Chaired the Research Committee for Full-Time Firefighters/Paramedics
- Started Full-Time in 1971 as Captain
- Deputy Chief 1976
- Department Administrator 1981
- Assistant Chief 1985
- Deputy Chief 1997
- Retired with 40 years of dedicated service– May 2007
- Wauconda area volunteer for a multitude of social and philanthropic efforts for many years.

EDUCATION

Wauconda High School – Graduated 1964

Lake Forest College / School of Management – Graduated 1986

OTHER OUTSIDE INTERESTS

Soccer Coach for Tiny Kickers through U10 -5 years

Soccer Coach Travel Team Girls Soccer – U12 through U16 - 6 years.

Basketball Coach Girls Basketball Transfiguration School – 4 years

April 24th, 2014

Aaron Lawlor
Lake County Board Chairman
18 North County Street
10th Floor
Waukegan, IL 60085

Dear Mr. Lawlor,

Please accept my request for reappointment to the Wauconda Fire Protection District Board of Trustees. My current expires as of April 30, 2014.

I am a retiree from the Wauconda Fire Department with 40 years of service. My wife Cathy and I are life-long residents of the area. We have two grown children. My fire service career started as a volunteer while at the same time working for Illinois Bell Telephone Company. I rose through the various ranks with my last position being that of Deputy Chief. As one of the Department's first paramedics and a fire officer I helped lead the organization through much change. Successfully transitioning from an all-volunteer fire department to a combination full-time and volunteer group was a great achievement.

I feel my knowledge and experience from the positions I previously held will continue to help me uphold the values of the Wauconda Fire Protection District. It's very important to me to maintain a top notch Fire District and at the same time remain very cognizant of the tax burden many residents and businesses face today. My fellow trustees and I are very proud of the reputation of the Wauconda Fire District, the work of our personnel and all of the things we have collectively achieved throughout the years.

If further information is needed, please contact me at _____ or _____.

Thank you for considering my request for reappointment as a Wauconda Fire District Trustee.

Sincerely,



Richard W. McGill