

February 26, 2016

CNY Memorial Stair Climb c/o Jeff Burkhart P.O. Box 420 Whitesboro, NY 13492

Dear Friends:

Thank you so much for your donation of \$2,000.00 for two logo bricks and fifteen name bricks on the Walk of Honor[®] in the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Park. Your generosity will help the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation build a lasting tribute to America's fire service. This special section in the Walk will honor firefighters who have died since responding to the World Trade Center recovery. The enclosed certificate is a symbol of our appreciation for your support. I have also enclosed letters and certificates for you to present to the families of those being honored.

The Foundation's Web site, <u>www.firehero.org</u>, lists each of the donated bricks and its location on the Walk, as well as images from the Park. Bricks ordered between January 1st and June 30th will be placed at the end of September. Those ordered between July 1st and December 31st will be placed in May.

When completed, the landscaped walkway will connect the different sections of the Memorial Park - the National Monument, the historic Fallen Firefighters Chapel and the Memorial Plaza. The fire service deserves a permanent National Memorial Park so that hundreds of thousands of visitors can learn more about the contributions firefighters make to their communities and neighbors. We are proud to add your name to the list of those making this Park a reality.

Sincerely,

Chief Ronald Jon Siarnicki

Executive Director

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In Memory of

Firefighter Michael Sofia

in the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Park by the CNY Memorial Stair Climb Committee A brick was placed on the Walk of Honor®





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