# HAWTHORN AREA VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT



# 2025 Annual Fund Drive

## WE ANSWER YOUR CALL, PLEASE ANSWER OURS

For 66 years the Hawthorn Area Volunteer Fire Department has always been here when you need us most!

So far during 2025, our department has been dispatched to 255 calls including Fires, Vehicle accidents and Medical emergencies. Our volunteers donate their time, training and skills to assist you in a time of need. Additionally our crews work hard on fund raising activities for the department and many also serve the community by helping with other public events.

This year we ask for your continued support to our annual fund drive so we can always be here when you need us most.



Please also consider the HVFC for your annual giving and in your future estate planning.

"Thank You For Your Continued Support and Generous Contribution"

Facebook: HawthornFireDepartment Internet: www.hawthorn560.com



## HAVFD LEGACY FUND

## Help US Create a Permanent Lasting Legacy

To ensure our important work continues, we ask you to consider contributing to the founding of the *Hawthorn Volunteer Fire*Department Legacy Fund.

This permanently invested fund is being built as a long-term resource that will help ensure that this organization will continue being a vital part of your community.

### **Charitable Endowments**

Your will or trust can be used to create an endowed fund after you pass away. The principal is invested and the annual income used to support your chosen interest's. Here at the HAVFD this is a perpetual gift allowing you to leave a lasting legacy.

## **Ways to Leave A Legacy**

#### **GIFTS OF CASH**

Cash contributions are a quick and easy way to show your support

#### **BEQUEST**

A bequest to your will or Living Trust is a simple, long-lasting contribution.

#### **RETIREMANT PLAN ASSETS**

Naming the HAVFD as a beneficiary of your pension, 401K, IRA or other plan is a cost-effective gift that can help you avoid the possible double taxation on retirement plan assets left to your heirs.

#### SECURITIES STOCKS AND BONDS

Gifting appreciated securities has double tax benefits. You receive a charitable deduction and escape tax on the capital gain if they've been held for one year or more.

#### LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES

If you have a Life Insurance policy that has outlasted its original purpose, consider naming the HAVFD as the beneficiary.

# **How to Make A Gift**Consult with your Legal Advisor

All donations to the HAVFD are 100% tax deductible and be left as a bequest, memorial or other donation. For questions please contact is at (814) 365 5770 or HFEMS560@gmail.com

# **Example Bequest Language**

I bequest to the Hawthorn Area Volunteer Fire Department, a nonprofit 501c3 organization located at Box 125, Hawthorn, PA 16230 the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_% of the remainder of my estate to be used in support of its Legacy Fund

