



LEMONT FIRE DISTRICT

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PRESS STATEMENT

The Lemont Fire Protection District's Board of Trustees wishes to announce they have unanimously selected Mr. Daniel Tasso as the next Fire Chief of the Lemont Fire Protection District.

Daniel began his career with the Lemont Fire District in 1987 as a cadet. He began working for Lemont FPD as a part-time firefighter and dispatcher in 1990. He was hired as a full-time Firefighter/Paramedic in 1992. In 2000, he left Lemont FPD to join the Downers Grove Fire Department. During this time, he continued his education and was promoted through the ranks: first to Battalion Chief of Training and Safety in 2012; second to Deputy Chief of Administration in 2017; third to Deputy Chief of Operations in 2021. He has over 34 years of experience within the fire service community.

Daniel holds an Associate's in Business Administration (2007); a Bachelor's in Management (2008); and a Master's in Public Safety Administration (2017). He has also completed the Illinois Office of the State Fire Marshal Chief Fire Officer program.

Mr. Daniel Tasso will be appointed Fire Chief at a regular board meeting on Thursday, October 20, 2022. He will be sworn in and recognized at the regular board meeting on Thursday, November 17, 2022 at 6:00 PM.