



**FIREFIGHTERS' UNIFIED RETIREMENT SYSTEM (FURS)
 OPTIONAL MEMBERSHIP ELECTION FOR PART- PAID FIREFIGHTERS**

EMPLOYEE INFORMATION – To Be Completed by Employer		
Last Name	First Name, MI	Social Security Number* - -
Date of Birth / /	Employing Agency	Hire Date
Employer Signature		Date
<p>A part-paid firefighter may elect to become a member of the Firefighters' Unified Retirement System (FURS) by filing this election form with the Board within 90 days of becoming a part-paid firefighter.</p> <p>I understand if I decline FURS membership I cannot:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • become a member while still employed in this position; • receive membership service credit or service credit for employment for which membership was declined; • be considered an active, inactive or retired member of the FURS. <p>In the future, if I accept employment in a position for which membership is mandatory, I must become a member regardless of my previous election.</p>		
MEMBER ELECTION - To Be Completed by Employee		
<input type="checkbox"/> I elect membership in FURS and have attached my FURS membership form.		<input type="checkbox"/> I decline membership in FURS.
REQUIRED SIGNATURE		
Employee Signature		Date

Send completed original to MPERA within **90 days** of hire and retain a copy. Section 19-13-301(3), MCA