





## Local 142

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## London Professional Fire Fighters Association

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To London City Council,

On behalf of the London Professional Fire Fighters Association, I would like to say Thank You to Councillor Virginia Ridley for her support for GlobalFire and her motion to the Community and Protective Services Committee for the donation of end of life cycle firefighter's equipment to be donated to GlobalFire. We are very proud of our LPFFA members who are involved with the GlobalFire charity and their humanitarian work around the world in refugee support, disaster relief and capacity building in third world countries. Our members have the tools, training and abilities to make a difference and help save lives in these humanitarian missions with your support, on behalf of the citizens of London.

Equipment previously donated by the City of London and London Fire Department has been successfully used in disaster relief operations. These donations have been instrumental in keeping first responders safe and in saving the lives of those in desperate need.

We would like to thank our Fire Chief John Kobarda for his past support for GlobalFire and for assisting Councillor Ridley to develop this motion brought before council. We hope that we can continue to work in cooperation to support GlobalFire and our LPFFA members with their ongoing efforts to assist those in need around the world.

Sincerely,

Jason Timlick

President

**London Professional Fire Fighters Association**