# **Employee Benefits Packet**

## **Hours of Work**

Rotating 24 hours on-duty, 48 hours off duty

### **Salary**

**Probationary Firefighter (12 months):** \$59,523.22 annual

# **Firefighter Salaries:**

First year \$68,611.77
Second year \$73,657.95
Third year (base) \$81,254.35

#### **Longevity increases:**

After 5 years
10 years
15 years
20 years
5% additional
9% additional
14% additional

# **Additional Pay Includes:**

- Firefighting Equipment provided
- Required training fully paid for
- Uniform Provision
- Overtime opportunities
- Holiday pay

#### **Insurance**

Health Plan choices, dental and vision insurance:

• City contributes 75% of single, family or employee and spouse premiums.

Life Insurance \$50,000

## **Paid Leave**

Vacation is paid after 1 year:

DOH but less than 2 years 3 duty days 1 week 5 duty days 2 years but less than 8 years 2 weeks 8 years but less than 15 years 7 duty days = 3 weeks 15 years but less than 20 years 10 duty days 4 weeks = 20 years or more 12 duty days = 5 weeks

Scheduled Day Off (Kelly Day) every 14th duty day.

Personal Day: 1 duty day per year Sick Leave 12 Hours/per month

# **Retirement**

Retiring at 55 years of age:

Minimum: 20 years of service = 50% final average salary Maximum: 30 years of service = 75% final average salary

Firefighter are eligible to retire at 50 years of age with 0.5% reduction per month before age 55. Bloomington Firefighters' Pension Fund governed by Illinois State Statute.

Optional 457 (b) (deferred compensation) retirement plan available.