



**OREGON FIRE DISTRICT DIRECTORS ASSOCIATION  
MEMBER SURVEY**

*2008 OFDDA/OFCA Joint Conference, November 5-8*

*In keeping with the Oregon Fire District Directors Strategic Plan, the Board of Directors is conducting a survey to determine the type and scope of services desired of the Association by its membership.*

**Critical Issues**

**1. What would you describe as the top five critical issues facing Oregon fire districts for which OFDDA can provide support and assistance?**

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_
- c. \_\_\_\_\_
- d. \_\_\_\_\_
- e. \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Select one or two of the highest priority issues and describe how failure to address these issues might affect your District.**

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**3. How can OFDDA best assist you in addressing these issues?**

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**OFDDA Services**

**4. Please rate the following services currently provided by OFDDA in order of importance to your District: (1 = Important, 5 = Not Important)**

- A. The OFDDA publishes its newsletter, The Communiqué, six times per year. The Communiqué attempts to focus on hot topics as well as news at the local district level as submitted by OFDDA membership.

How important is the Communiqué to you?            1       2       3       4       5

*Additional Comments:* \_\_\_\_\_

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*Do you have suggestions as to how OFDDA can best convey information to its members?*

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- B. The OFDDA works in conjunction with OFCA to plan and produce the Joint Conference each November, planning and offering educational and informative sessions related to public safety and leadership development.

How important is the Joint Conference to you?            1       2       3       4       5

*Additional Comments:* \_\_\_\_\_

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- C. OFDDA advocates for fire districts, district directors, and public safety before the state legislature. For example, in 2007 OFDDA worked to protect the Fire Insurance Premium Tax and to exempt District Directors from the requirement to file Statements of Economic Interest with the Oregon Government Ethics Commission.

How important is Legislative Advocacy to you?            1       2       3       4       5

*Additional Comments:* \_\_\_\_\_

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- D. OFDDA maintains a web site at [www.ofdda.com](http://www.ofdda.com), providing current information, links to fire service resources, *Director's Guide* and other information.

How important is the OFDDA web page to you?            1       2       3       4       5

*Additional Comments:* \_\_\_\_\_

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- E. OFDDA Board Members and staff are available to attend your local Board meetings upon request to provide information or act as a resource.

How important are Board visitations to you?            1       2       3       4       5

*Additional Comments:* \_\_\_\_\_

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