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TO: Mayor Laurel Lunt Prussing and Members of the Council

FROM: Chief Brian Nightlinger

DATE: September 17, 2014

RE: Invitation to Fire Factor Academy

The Urbana Fire Department would like to extend an invitation to our Mayor and Council Members to attend the Fire Factor Academy on September 27, 2014 at the Illinois Fire Service Institute.

Fire Factor Academy is a cooperative effort of the University of Illinois and the Cities of Champaign and Urbana. Fire Factor academy teaches life safety lessons to students at the University of Illinois including the benefits of sprinkler systems, use of fire extinguishers and having a safe night out on campus.

I hope you can join us for this important training event.







A cooperative effort of the University of Illinois and the Cities of Champaign and Urbana. Fire Factor academy teaches life safety lessons that prepare you to be Safer on Campus, Safer for Life. ©

Register after Aug 27th at www.firefactor.net

## REGISTER ONLINE AFTER AUGUST 27TH



Navigating Friday night can be tricky, even treacherous,

if you don't know what to look out for!

Sept 27th @ 9:00 AM

@ Illinois Fire Service Institute
I I Gerty Dr, Champaign



**BREAKFAST INCLUDED!!** 



- ⇒ What is the #1 cause of fires on campus?
- ⇒ What are the potential hazards in your room right now?
- ⇒ What is the typical behavior of the people living under the same roof as you? How about when there's alcohol?
- ⇒ How long before your room reaches "Flashover", when no one survives?



Out Friday night at your favorite campus bar.

A fight breaks out on the dance floor, people are screaming and rushing to the main entrance door — and they're trapped there, pinned against the doors suffocating. Why?



- ⇒ What if a fire breaks out at Candyland? It's a public facility, so you should be fine, right?
- ⇒ How many people at a bar before it's overcrowded?
- ⇒ Is there only ever one way out?



## September 27, 2014 Fire Factor Academy

9:00 am Illinois Fire Service Institute, 11 Getry Drive, Basement of new Library

- 1) Breakfast
- 2) Registration check-in
- 3) Change to Fire Factor participant shirts

Prerequisite work done online prior to admittance:

- i) Fire Extinguisher Basics
- ii) Basics of Fire Safety
- iii) High-rise Buildings
- iv) Introduction to Fire Science

## 9:30 am Presentation of two Proclamations from Governor Quinn

- 1) Proclaiming September as Campus Fire Safety Month in Illinois
- 2) Proclaiming Sept 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2014 as "LOOK UP!, Pay It Forward" Day in Illinois to raise awareness among students of the importance of fire safety in college life
- 9:45 am Everyone assembles for live sprinkler dorm burn arson lot
- 10:15 am Hands-on fire extinguisher training arson lot
- 10:45 am Life-in-a-High Rise

Practice evacuation through smoke Streetscape building

- 11:30 am Surviving Your Next Night Out, Auditorium
- 12:30 Train-the-Trainer toolkit explanation and Post-Test Auditorium