

Dear Community Member,

I am writing on behalf of the Lemberg Fire Department to ask for help from our community. Currently our fire department is fundraising towards the purchase of a new fire truck. The Lemberg Fire Department's current primary emergency pumper truck is a 1981 F700 truck. We have received 40 years of service from this pumper truck. However, the reliability of the primary responder is falling below our standards to keep our community safe. Our large jurisdiction of responding to emergencies on and off road has taken its toll on our primary truck from the 40 years of service it has provided.

The Lemberg Fire Department is strictly volunteer and the current 22 active members do not receive any pay or remuneration to attend an emergency call. All money received goes directly to the Department for maintaining/upgrading our equipment.

I am writing to ask for your support to help with the purchase of a new fire truck in order to continue to reliably respond to emergencies. With the increasing cost of equipment our goal is to raise \$265,000 to put towards the purchase of a new fire truck. Currently, the Lemberg Fire Department has allocated \$50,000 of our own funds for this goal as well as having raised \$117,390 from fundraisers and local businesses in Saskatchewan (*see back side for list of sponsors*). Would you consider donating to the Lemberg Volunteer Fire Department to help us achieve our goal?

The Lemberg Volunteer Fire Department greatly appreciates your consideration. Through the Town of Lemberg, we can offer a charitable receipt for donations received. Simply make out a cheque to the Town of Lemberg with a memo "Fire Truck" so all money received goes towards the Lemberg Fire Department. If you are looking to donate or have any questions, I would be happy to provide you with more information.

Sincerely,

Timothy Pattison

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Secretary of Lemberg Fire Department



See backside for more information

Current Money Raised:

Lemberg Fire Department	\$50,000
Corvette Lottery	\$47,000
Elizabeth Kohlert	\$500
Lemberg Building Supplies	\$500
Darren Kanciruk	\$500
SGI	\$1,000
Lenmar Seed Farm	\$1,000
Nutrien	\$1,000
Bayer	\$2,500
Jason Toews	\$5,000
Quality Molded Plastics	\$8,390
Town Of Lemberg	\$10,000
Conexus Credit Union	\$10,000
Pattison Liquid Systems	\$30,000
Total	\$167,390

All donations received over \$1,000 will qualify to have the company name or family name on the truck to recognize the help received.

How the money is being used:

The Lemberg Fire Department has determined the best use of funds raised is to build our own truck. New fire trucks have been quoted but unfortunately start at \$400,000 for the size and capabilities we require. We have also looked at used truck options however most trucks are not equipped with a large enough water tank, too large for our fire hall, or not equipped with the proper components to service our community. Many affordable used trucks will also likely require maintenance or service that can lead to higher than expected operating costs.

With our budget and expectations of acquiring a new truck with a long service life the decision was made to build and design our own truck. This will allow us to have a truck complete with all the components and capabilities that our department will require at an affordable cost. To date we have a M2 Freightliner truck on order with delivery in early 2023, as well as the pumping system components needed for fire suppression. Currently we are working on the design and structure of the fire truck body.