

DID YOUR BUSINESS OR MUNICIPALITY PURCHASE FIRE APPARATUS?

YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE TO RECOVER MONEY!

"Eligible Class Members":

Direct Purchaser Class - The proposed class includes all entities, including local or municipal government entities, distributors, and buying groups, that directly purchased "Fire Apparatus" (defined below) from the "Manufacturer Defendants" (listed below) in the United States from January 1, 2016 to the present; or

Indirect Purchaser Class - The proposed class includes all entities (including all political subdivisions but excluding states and all state and federal governmental agencies) that indirectly purchased Fire Apparatus from Manufacturer Defendants and/or their co-conspirators in the "Indirect Purchaser Eligible Jurisdictions" (listed below) from January 1, 2016 to the present.

"Indirect Purchaser Eligible Jurisdictions": District of Columbia, AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, FL, HI, IL, IA, KS, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OR, RI, SC, SD, TN, UT, VT, WV and WI.

Definition of "Fire Apparatus": Specialized vehicles designed for emergency firefighting, rescue operations and response to hazardous incidents. This includes pumpers, aerials, rescues, tankers, wildland units, and Aircraft Rescue and Firefighting vehicles, but excludes ambulances. This definition is subject to change.

"Defendants": The "Manufacturer Defendants" in one or more of the classes include: American Industrial Partners, American Industrial Partners Capital Fund IV, LP, American Industrial Partners Capital Fund IV (Parallel), AIP/CHC Holdings, LLC, Oshkosh Corporation, REV Group, Inc., Rosenbauer America LLC, Rosenbauer South Dakota, LLC, Rosenbauer Minnesota, LLC, Pierce Manufacturing, Inc., E-One, Inc., Ferrara Fire Apparatus, Inc., Kovatch Mobile Equipment Corp., Spartan Fire, LLC, Smeal SFA, LLC and Smeal LTC, LLC. Fire Apparatus Manufacturers' Association is also a Defendant.

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SUMMARY

Total Settlements Reached:
No settlements at this time

Purchase Date Range(s):
January 1, 2016 to Present

Filing Deadline(s):
Not Established

Specific information about the class action(s) listed below





Case History

In 2025, class action lawsuits were filed on behalf of a proposed Direct Class and Indirect Class alleging the Fire Apparatus sold by the Manufacturer Defendants was raised, fixed, maintained or stabilized at artificially high, noncompetitive levels throughout the United States in violation of state and federal antitrust laws. It is impossible to predict the outcome, but money may become available to eligible class members if the classes are certified, and settlements are reached with one or more of the Defendants in the future. FRS will update this Class Action Summary as the cases progress and new information becomes available.

The Services FRS Provides: Financial Recovery Strategies (FRS) is a class action claims management consultant; we are not a court appointed claims administrator or class counsel. If you hire FRS, FRS will work within your guidelines to manage the claims process. The services that FRS provides include the following: (i) notifying you when we believe that you may be eligible to participate in settlements likely to be valuable to you; (ii) endeavoring to enhance the likelihood that all of your eligible business units (e.g., subsidiaries, divisions, acquisitions and divestitures) are included in the claims process; (iii) to reduce the support needed from your in-house staff, providing advice on what, if any, documents need to be collected and maintained, and, when requested, assisting in that effort; (iv) when required documents are not available or are too burdensome to collect, attempting to develop innovative alternatives to satisfy documentation requirements and striving to obtain approval of those alternatives; (v) preparing, assembling and submitting your claim package, and managing it throughout the claims processing phase, including working with you to address any concerns or questions claims administrators may have; (vi) providing regular updates on the recovery process; (vii) reviewing your payment to assure that it has not been under calculated; and (viii) following up with you to assure that your recovery check is deposited. FRS's recovery specialists are always available to answer any questions you may have.

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If a monetary settlement is obtained, information about it will be available from Class Counsel. You also may visit the Court-approved website once one is established. Please understand that you have the right to file on your own. To learn more about our services, visit www.FRSco.com.