

**Congressman Maurice Hinchey
and DHS/FEMA announce**

ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT WORKSHOP

Please join us at our free workshop for information and tips on filling out a successful grant application for 2010.

***Tuesday, April 13, 2010
6 to 8 pm***

**City Council Chambers
Binghamton City Hall, 1st Floor
38 Hawley Street
Binghamton, NY**

(Parking available in the garage located on the corner of State Street and Hawley Street)

Congressman Hinchey encourages all fire departments to take advantage of this grant opportunity and participate in this workshop.

The Department of Homeland Security will make the Application Kit and Guidance for the FY 2010 grant funds available by mid April, 2010. In the FY10 Homeland Security Appropriations Act Congress appropriated \$390 million for the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program and \$420 million for the SAFER grant program.

For a complete list of currently scheduled workshops, please visit <http://www.firegrantsupport.com/content/html/afg/Workshops/Workshops.aspx>. Fire Departments that have questions regarding the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program should call 1-866-274-0960 or email firegrants@dhs.gov. For the most current information regarding the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program, please visit <http://www.firegrantsupport.com>.

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