

## **MEMO**

TO:

**All Senators** 

DATE: February 1, 2011

FROM:

Senator Lisa M. Boseola

**SUBJECT:** 

Co-sponsorship of Legislation

In the near future, I plan to reintroduce legislation aiding firefighters, and I invite you to join me as a co-sponsor.

## My legislation will:

- 1. Add cancer to the current definition of 'occupational diseases' for firefighters.
- 2. Establish the "Municipal Firefighter Education and Training Program," which would set standards for newly hired firefighters. It would also provide funds to municipalities for education and training programs.

This is a reintroduction of Senate Bills 797 and 798 from the previous legislative session. Co-sponsors included Senators Logan, Tartaglione, Fontana, Erickson, Orie, Rafferty, Kasunic, Musto, Washington, Alloway, and Farnese.

If you are interested in joining me as a co-sponsor of these important pieces of legislation, please contact Julie Carraghan in my office at 787-4236 or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:jcarraghan@pasenate.com">jcarraghan@pasenate.com</a>.