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VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY WORKER TAX CREDIT

If you have volunteered for at least nine months with a county or municipal emergency services agency and completed 100 volunteer hours in the calendar year without earning over $5,000, you may qualify for Illinois' Volunteer Emergency Worker Tax Credit. This tax credit can reduce your Illinois income tax by up to $500.

To apply for this credit, you must

- obtain an EMA Identification Number by contacting your volunteer coordinator, and
- complete the online application through the Illinois Department of Revenue (IDOR) starting February 3, 2025.

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