



**CHICAGO FIRE DEPARTMENT
BUREAU OF LOGISTICS
MEMO**



**Logistics Memo M-09-26
January 23, 2026**

SUBJECT: DISTRIBUTION OF CLASS "D" BLUE WINTER PARKAS

As outlined in Memo M-71-24, the Department commenced the issuance of Class "D" Blue Winter Parkas to personnel on October 15, 2024, which were purchased by the Foreign Fire Insurance Board (FFIB).

A significant number of members have not yet reported to the Fire Commissary to collect their Parkas.

The Winter Parka is an outer garment available to members holding the rank of Captain and below, in accordance with General Order 25-001.

Each member is required to pick up and sign for their respective item(s) upon collection. Distribution is limited to off-duty members only. There will be no overtime allotted for gear pick-up.

The Fire Commissary will be open for distribution from 0800 to 1530 hours during regular business days. Please be aware that the Commissary will be closed on all City Holidays.

Additionally, members are reminded that alternative outerwear, including the Quilted Jacket, Flannel or Fleece Jackets, and Baseball Jackets are not approved for on-duty use.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. We appreciate your cooperation in ensuring that all eligible members receive their winter outerwear promptly.

Approved:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Brandon Keller'.

**Brandon Keller
1st Deputy Fire Commissioner**

TO BE READ AT FOUR (4) ROLL CALLS AND POSTED.

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