

**August 15, 2013, Chicago Illinois, International Association of Fire Chief's (IAFC) 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Fire Chief of the Year Awards.**

During Fire Rescue International (FRI-2013) in Chicago Illinois, the International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC) along with Fire Chief Magazine and Pierce MFG selected Stoney Point VFD Fire Chief Freddy L. Johnson Sr. the national 2013 Volunteer Fire Chief of the Year. Fire Chief of the Year is presented annually by the IAFC and Pierce Manufacturing at the general session of Fire-Rescue International. The award honors one career and one volunteer fire chief for their leadership, innovation, professional development, integrity, service to the public and contributions as a whole to the fire service.



Pictured from L to R – Janet Wilmoth, (Associate Publisher Fire Chief Magazine), Jim Johnson, (President Pierce MFG), Fire Chief Freddy Johnson Sr., son Freddy Johnson Jr., daughter Tara Whitman, son Sean Johnson and Fire Chief Hank Clemmenson (2013 President IAFC)