

# Fire Apparatus Manufacturers 1966

## 1960s

The 1960s are represented by the year 1966. Below is the membership list for that year. Names in red are apparatus builders (twelve of twenty-four members) as research indicates.

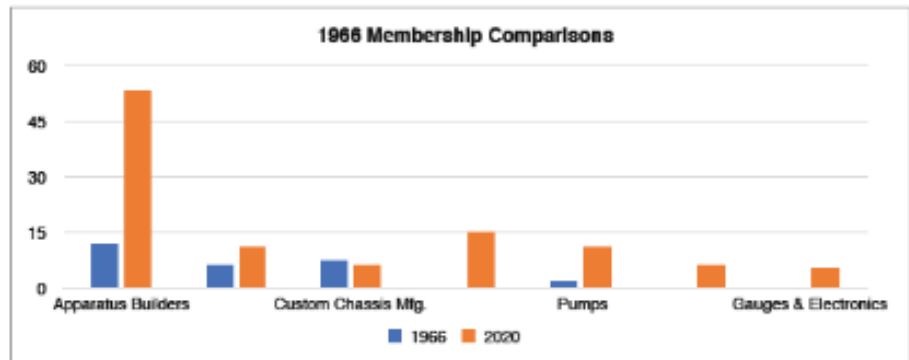
### 1966 Membership List

(24 Member Companies)

- Akron Brass Company
- Brumbaugh Body Co., Inc.**
- Clifford B. Hannay & Son, Inc.
- Crown Coach Corporation**
- Duo-Safety Ladder Corp.
- Elkhart Brass Manufacturing Co., Inc.
- Fire Trucks, Inc.**
- Fyr-Fyter Company
- General Safety Equipment Corp.**
- Grove Manufacturing Co.
- Hale Fire Pump Co.
- Howe Fire Apparatus Co.**
- Mack Truck, Inc.**
- Maxim Motor Co.**
- Melray, Inc.**
- Mobile Aerial Towers, Inc.
- Peter Pirsch & Sons Co.**
- Powhatan Brass & Iron Works
- Bliss-Rockwood, Div. of E.W. Bliss Co.
- Seagrave Fire Apparatus, Inc.**
- Snorkel Fire Equipment Co.
- Towers Fire Apparatus Co., Inc.**
- Waterous Company
- Young Fire Equipment Corp.**

*\*Apparatus builders in red*

The 1966 Membership Comparisons chart is a makeup comparison of 1966 members with 2020 members. The chart shows only significant groups of suppliers out of thirty-two



categories that were reviewed. As expected, the 1966 membership consisted of only major component companies.



1939 American LaFance Photo provided by Scott Beecher



1961 Duplex Howe Photo provided by Tom Shand

Photos are of apparatus builders that we believe are no longer in business.



1939 American LaFance restored Photo provided by Scott Beecher



1966 Crown Photo provided by Tom Shand

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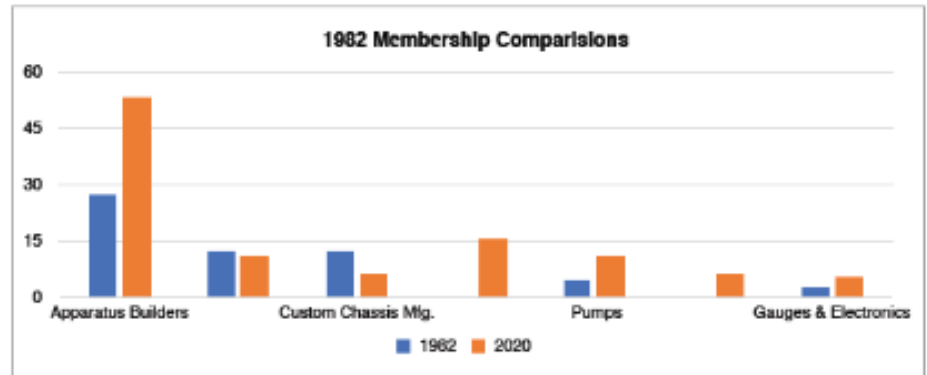
## 1980s

1982 is the year representing the 1980s. Below is the membership list for that year.

### 1982 Membership List

(49 Member Companies)

- Akron Brass Company
- Alexis Fire Equipment Co.
- Aluminum Ladder Company
- American LaFrance
- American Modular Rescue Corp.
- Atlas Steel Products Co., Inc.
- The Boardman Company
- Boston Industrial Products, Inc.
- Brumbaugh Body Company, Inc.
- Crown Coach Corporation (Fire Coach Div.)
- W.S. Darley & Company
- Duo-Safety Ladder Corp.
- Duplex Truck Division/The Nolan Co.
- Elkhart Brass Manufacturing Co., Inc.
- Emergency One, Inc.
- FMC Corporation
- FEECON Corporation
- Fire Apparatus Division of Collins Industries, Inc.
- Fire Appliance Company of Texas
- Fire Research Corporation
- Ford Motor Company (Ford Div/Heavy Truck Sales)
- General Safety Equipment Corp.
- Gibson Motor & Machine Service, Inc.
- Grumman Emergency Products, Inc.
- Hale Fire Pump Company
- Clifford B. Hannay & Son, Inc.
- Hendrickson Mobile Equipment
- Imperial Fire Hose Company
- JACO Industries, Inc.



- Ladder Towers, Inc.
- Mack Trucks, Inc.
- National Foam System, Inc.
- Oshkosh Truck Corporation
- Pemberton Fabricators, Inc.
- Pierce Manufacturing, Inc.
- Peter Pirsch & Sons Company
- Saulsbury Fire Equipment Co.
- Seagrave Fire Apparatus, Inc.
- Smeal Fire Equipment Company
- Snorkel Division of A-T-O Inc.
- SPAN Instruments
- Spartan Motors Inc.
- Sutphen Corporation
- Towers Fire Apparatus Co., Inc.
- Truck Cab Mfg., Inc.
- Universal Fire Apparatus Corp.
- Waterous Company
- Westates Truck Equipment Corp.
- Western States Fire Apparatus, Inc.

\*Apparatus builders in red.

FAMA (or FAMD) was still a division of TBEA, and membership had doubled over the previous decade. Thirty of the forty-nine member companies (61 percent) were apparatus builders based on research. Take note of the number of companies from 1982 that are no longer in business. The chart above shows that both aerial manufacturers and custom chassis manufactures were more prevalent in 1982 than today.

NOTE: In April 1986, FAMA became a division of the National Truck Equipment Association (NTEA).