



NORTH CAROLINA FIRE MARSHALS' ASSOCIATION

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2024

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Quarterly Meeting
In Person & Remote Attendance
August 9, 2023

General Minutes

Attendance:

AMY FLIEG
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JONATHAN LANE
JOSH QUEEN
JUSTIN MCLAURIN
KELLY RANSELL
MARK HINSON
MARK TROUBLE FIELD
MIKE TEAGUE
RANDY FRAZIER
RICHARD BLAINE
RONNIE PRIVETTE

CODY BENNETT
WESLEY GRAHAM
T.K. BENDER
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LESLIE JACKSON
K. WALDRUP
BRYANT BEDDARD
BOBBY STEPHENS
CHRIS STOWE
GEORGE GAY
ZAC BASS
TIFFANY BULLINS
TERRY SMITH
T. COGGINS
SUNNIE BATSON
SHANE
RUTH OLSON
RUSTY
MICHAEL TOWNSEND
RICHARD LOVICK
WILLIAM HALE
CARROLL COWAN
MIKE TATUM
JONATHAN LANE
ADAM CLONINGER
STEVE KOVACS
ROY THOMAS

TJ MCLAMB
HUNTER PEGRAM
ANDY MARSHAL
JUSTIN MATTHEWS
DAVID SHARPE
BRAXTON TANNER
RAY ENOCH
JEFF JOHNSON

CALLED TO ORDER @1335

Invocation- Thomas bender

Previous minutes- Brittany

Motion passed

Treasurer Report- Thomas

Motion Passed

Brian Kelly- Summit summary

Sprinkler initiative- report prepared by Charlie Johnson and Justin McLaurin

Ronnie Hayes- Legislative update

488- hoping to have it held until Dec 31- then they have to go back to the drawing board
893

Brian Kelly- Administrative support

More forthcoming

Buddy Thompson- CFI Board

Still getting feet wet

Scholarship Recipients notification

OSFM- Charlie

Updated on homepage

Move has been good- just not as much room

NASFM- event in NC was a great success

Open mic sessions- Fridays at 0830

Sprinkler coalition- Oct 12 with OSFM

BCC- Charlie

In June- fire, existing, building, admin code approved by council- next mtg September- effective 2025

Qual board- meeting of instructors

Fire Prevention School- Aug 16- initial planning- stay tuned- March 18-22, 2024

Revision committee- construction fire safety- training session- Sept 7

Low rise vs high rise buildings

Safer- ERRCS- Greensboro- Nov 2

UL classes- Morrisville, Charlotte

NFA- weekend school now open

FI Course being updated at NFA

FM 101- Jeff Johnson

Aug 22-24- Train the trainer course- 12 hours of CEUs
October- Jacksonville- more forthcoming

CRR- Troy

NFPA safety summit- Nov 9th
Volunteers for State Fair
Safe Kids- celebrating 30 years- next year- more forthcoming
CRR- realignment- new person assigned to each region
Fatal fire initiative- gathering data

FIU- Craig Jarman

Bill Marshal- on FMLA- Mike Williams now supervising
New member from Catawba

Cert Board- Alex Collazo

Next meeting in September
New building in Stanley co.
Textbooks ordered
Hybrid- Instructor 1 class
Felony- person to still be able to get certs
Elections occurred

Fire Rescue- Tim Henshaw

Certifying FF @ 15 yo
Training in the departments- only Fire Chief can sign off on skills

Qualification- No update

Code Revision- Brian Kelly/ Charlie Johnson

Revisit some of the rules
Clarify for each trade
07-06 and/or 07-07

Education- Tony Smart

Sept 20- High piled comb. Storage class- Chatham co
Proximity fireworks class- oct 27- Winterville
Nov 3- hickory
Sprinkler plan review
UL- ERRCS
2024- fire alarm, cannabis extraction, ISO water supply

Marketing Committee- Brian Kelly

Interested contact- Brittany
Merchandising- anyone interested get with Brittany or Bobby

Technology- Justin McLaurin

Public vs private side of website- trying to get/keep updated
Merchandising on the website- unable to access but needs a new plan of action....
2nd laptop- virus protection needed- office suite needed
Email accounts
Update emails

IAAI- Ian Tedder

Training

Oct 16-20 joint conference in Myrtle Beach
Expert Witness- Nov- Graham
Evidence collection- across the state
*more training in the west
2-3 day conference in western part of state
New website
Team up with NCFMA on legislative issues
Chapter meeting- 17th- Chatham county

Adjourn- @ 1454
Motion Passed