



Firefighters Employment, Standards and Training Council Meeting  
 January 18, 2018  
 Daytona Beach, Florida

**ROLL CALL:**

**PRESENT:**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>REPRESENTING</b>	<b>TERM ENDING</b>
Nick Anderson Midway Fire District	State Fire Marshal	June 30, 2018 (1 <sup>st</sup> term)
Kasie Crowe Division of Forestry	Florida Fire Service	Jan. 31, 2019 (1st term)
Bill Gulbrandsen Longwood Fire Rescue	FL Association of Counties	June 30, 2018 (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)
Teresa Kinstle Jacksonville Fire Rescue	State Fire Marshal	June 31, 2019 (1 <sup>st</sup> term)
Bill Klein Eastern Florida State College	State Fire Marshal	Oct. 11, 2018 (2nd term)
Rand Napoli	Florida League of Cities	Jan. 31, 2019 (2nd term)
Ron Parrish St. Lucie County Fire District	Florida Fire Chiefs' Association	June 30, 2018 (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)
Jon Pasqualone FL Fire Marshals/Insp. Assoc.	Florida Fire Marshals Association	Oct. 31, 2018 (2nd term)
Gene Prince City of Gainesville F/R	Florida Fire Chiefs' Association	June 30, 2018 (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)
Lew Simon Civilian	State Fire Marshal	June 30, 2018 (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)
Rick Spence Reedy Creek Fire Department	FL Professional Firefighters	Jan. 31, 2019 (2nd term)
Laurie Sweeney Orange County Fire Rescue	FL Professional Firefighters	Oct. 31, 2018 (2nd term)
Randy Touchton	State Fire Marshal	June 30, 2022 (1 <sup>st</sup> term)

**ABSENT:**

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The Firefighters Employment, Standards and Training Council meeting was called to order.

Chairman Napoli welcomed new members Nick Anderson, Teresa Kinstle and Randy Touchton.

**On a motion duly made**, the minutes from the Firefighters Employment, Standards and Training Council held on October 12, 2017 were approved.

**Motion carried.**

**REPORT FROM DIVISION:** *given by Julius Halas, Director*

- Florida Fires (Annual Report) is out – would like feedback
- Grants
  - Over 10 million in grants
  - In third year of Cancer Research Grant
  - Department of Economic Opportunity
    - 7 million for 1 year, (grant) working with legislation to keep balance into year 2 or 3 – this grant is for new fire stations, a training center, renovations, equipment, etc.
  - SB 2500 - Decontamination kit funding to cover entire state (every agency)
  - Fire Service Awards and other events are being held on March 6-7, 2018
- Tallahassee Memorial Update
  - Sculpture is almost complete
- Legislative Update
  - HB 1061/SB 1432 High Rise Retro-Fit Bill
    - Director asked all to oppose Bill
    - It is a stand-alone Bill this year within the SFM Statute

**REPORT FROM THE BUREAU:** *given by Mike Tucker, Bureau Chief*

- Visioning Document – looking for final feedback

**An amended motion was duly made** for the Council to again review the Visioning Document, provide feedback to the Bureau and consider action at the March 6, 2018 meeting.

**Motion carried.**

- Job Task Analysis
  - 75% complete
  - Early February review and then reach out to training centers for vision on providing consistency. Possible final product by April.
- Burn Building/Simulator is complete – will be going operational any day
- Rehab Building – operational now

- Course to Course Equivalency Process
  - Working with candidates as they come in before the process goes live in February.
- Frank Ennist was promoted to Supervisor of Training and his focusing on new course methodology
- Upcoming Events at FSFC
  - Cancer Symposium – April 6, 2018
  - Mental Health Symposium – TBA
- Performance Objectives
  - Training Centers asked for revision
  - Going live in February

**OLD BUSINESS:** Covered

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- US National Grid – looking at introducing into curriculum rewrite
- Best Practices -NFPA (Fire/Police)
  - Chief Otto Drozd encouraging all to comment. (Open until 2/23/18)
- Director Halas recommended to the Council that any Council member who serves one full term or more, receive recognition from the CFO.
- Legislative Budget Request submitted for SFM employees to receive life scans.

**AUDIENCE:** None

**NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, March 6, 2018, 10 minutes after adjournment of FFIRS meeting which begins at 2:00 p.m. Tallahassee, FL or via conference call**

**ADJOURN.**

*Audio file available upon request*