



Firefighters Employment, Standards and Training Council Meeting
 April 21, 2014
 Tallahassee, FL

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>REPRESENTING:</u>	<u>TERM ENDING:</u>
Kasie Crowe Division of Forestry	Florida Forest Service	Feb. 1, 2015 (1 st term)
Greg Gay Civilian	State Fire Marshal	June 30, 2018 (2 nd term)
Bill Gulbrandsen Longwood Fire Rescue	FL Association of Counties	June 30, 2018 (2 nd term)
Bill Klein Brevard Community College	State Fire Marshal	Oct. 11, 2014 (1 st term)
Bill Lombardo South Trail Fire Protection	FL Association of Special Districts	Oct. 31, 2014 (1 st term)
Rand Napoli	Florida League of Cities	Jan. 31, 2015 (1 st term)
Ron Parrish St. Lucie County Fire District	Florida Fire Chiefs' Association	June 30, 2018 (2 nd term)
Jon Pasqualone Martin County Fire Rescue	FL Fire Marshals & Inspectors Association	Oct. 31, 2014 (1 st term)
Gene Prince City of Gainesville F/R	Florida Fire Chiefs' Association	Jan. 14, 2018 (2 nd term)
Lew Simon	State Fire Marshal	June 30, 2018 (2 nd term)
Rick Spence Reedy Creek Fire Dept.	FL Professional Firefighters	Feb. 28, 2015 (1 st term)

ABSENT:

Joe Palminteri Citrus County Fire Rescue	State Fire Marshal	June 30, 2018 (2 nd term)
Tim Pilson Palm Harbor Fire Rescue	State Fire Marshal	Feb. 9, 2015 (1 st term)
Laurie Sweeney Orange County F/R Dept.	FL Professional Firefighters	Oct. 31, 2014 (1 st term)

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

On a motion duly made, the minutes from the Firefighters Employment, Standards and Training Council meeting held on January 23, 2014 were approved.

Motion carried.

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

- Fire College may receive over 2 million dollars for infrastructure updates this year.
- Legislature going well
 - Focusing on rural areas
 - Fire prevention

REPORT FROM THE BUREAU: *given by Bureau Chief, Barry Baker,*

- Fire Officer
 - Transition is going well. Pass rate up
 - DOE – no impact on students taking fire officer program through certificate program, associate level or baccalaureate level programs
- FF/EMT
 - MOU (memorandum of understanding) in draft
 - Transition August 2015
- FF Retention
 - Rule took effect 3/24/14
 - Stipulation agreements still being sent and processed
 - Agreements available until September 20, 2014
 - Without agreement, certification will be revoked
 - New class has been designed and will be piloted at FSFC and then made available at other facilities.
- Fire Safety Officer Certification
 - Third workshop was held
 - Hope to finalize at summer conference
- FLUSAR/HazMat
 - First workshop held
 - Second workshop at summer conference
 - Hope to finish by early 2015
- Legislative Budget Requests (LBR's)
 - New Burn building
 - Flammable Liquid Pit
 - Security
 - Lighting
 - New Pumpers

ALL HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED

Finished Projects:

Duct Cleaning

Fencing

Roofing underway

Landscaping underway

OLD BUSINESS:

- Minimum Standard Review Committee
 - Task Force created
 - Community Colleges
 - Training Directors
 - Looking at curriculum
 - NFPA Standards
 - Text books
 - Virtual training
 - Job Task Analysis
 - FDLE –good model
 - Possible grant funding through FEMA
 - CFO on board, willing to help with funds

NEW BUSINESS:

Request from Jon Pasqualone for the Bureau to have an informational page as to “Who’s Who” of the fire service, starting with the CFO on down.

AUDIENCE:

Shayne Stewart, North Florida

- Fire Officer Task Book
- DOD Testing

NEXT MEETING:

Monday, August 4, 2014

10 minutes after adjournment of FFIRS, which begins at 8:30 a.m.

Ft. Lauderdale, Florida

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Audio file available upon request.