



**State Board of Fire Services  
MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT  
and TENTATIVE AGENDA**



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**Wednesday, June 24, 2009  
1000 hours - 1500 hours**

**California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection  
Office of the State Fire Marshal  
1131 S Street, Training Conference Room  
Sacramento, CA 95811**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

- Roll Call/Determine Quorum
- Introductions
- Approval of Minutes of February 25, 2009 Meeting (Discussion/Action) *[Attachment 1]*
- Announcements

Kate Dargan  
SBFS Secretary

**II. PROGRAM and ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**A. State Fire Training (SFT)**

1. Blueprint 20/20 (Information) Mike Richwine  
*Update on SFT's progress*

2. Statewide Training and Education Advisory Committee Update

a. Certification

- (1) Fire-Arson Investigator Certification Training Alicia Hamilton  
Standards (Discussion/Action) *[Attachment 2]*

*The Fire-Arson Investigator CTS will be brought before the Board for approval*

- (2) Chief Officer CTS (Information/Update) Mike Richwine  
*Follow-up to action item from February 25, 2009 meeting*

b. Curricula Update

*There are no curricula updates at this time*

c. Delivery Issues

- (1) EMT-I Certification (Information/Discussion) Christy Owen  
*[Attachment 3] The SFT EMT-I Training program will now be limited to issuing course completion certificates to fire safety personnel. Discussion of options*

- (2) Accredited Academies and Training Programs Rodney Slaughter  
(Information) *[Attachment 4] Update on reaccreditation*

- (3) "Higher Education for the Fire Service" Mike Richwine  
(Information) *[Attachment 5] An article on public safety policy/higher education will be discussed*

3. State Fire Training Staff Changes (Information) Mike Richwine  
*SFT staff changes will be announced*

**B. Codes and Regulations (Information)**

1. 2010 California Building Standards Codes (Information) *[Attachment 6]* Tonya Hoover  
*Overview of OSFM's role in developing an adoption package for the new edition of the CA Building Standards Code*
2. WUI Building Standards Task Force, Chapter 7A  
*Informational Only – Update on The Wildland Urban Interface – Chapter 7A Task Force Committee*

**C. Arson/Fireworks (Information)**

- Update on SFM Law Enforcement Division's Arson-Bomb Investigation and fireworks programs* Tonya Hoover

**III. OLD BUSINESS**

- A. Insurance- Prevention/Training (Information/Update)
  - 1. Insurance Overview  
*Report on Firebreak, Defensible Space, and Fire Prevention Workshops*
  - 2. CAL FIRE/Department of Insurance MOU (Information)
- B. Status of Housing Community Development 2001 Requirements (Information)  
*Status of HCD 2001 requirements to upgrade water supply systems in HCD's jurisdictional domain*
- C. CSFA Strategic Plan for Volunteers in California (Information) [Attachment 7]  
*CSFA volunteer committee report will be distributed*
- D. California Incident Command Certification System (CICCS) Task Force Update (Information)
- E. SB828 Accelerant Detecting K9 Standards Development Task Group (Information/Discussion) [Attachment 8]  
*The Accelerant Detecting K9 Standards report will be discussed*
- F. SBFS Future Goals (Discussion)  
*Discussion about the OSFM work plan and the top five priorities*

Jerry Davies  
Tonya Hoover  
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Michael S. Williams  
Mike Esparza  
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**IV. NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Residential Fire Sprinkler Adoption Update (Information) [Attachment 9]  
*Information about the three task force groups addressing the pending adoption of the International Residential Code requiring fire sprinklers in all new residential construction*
- B. Assembly Bill 635 (Information)  
*AB635 is aimed at prohibiting state and local fire agencies from prohibiting the use of air purifying devices by firefighters during wildland firefighting operations*

Tonya Hoover  
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**V. ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION**

SBFS Members

**VI. PUBLIC COMMENT**

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**VII. SET MEETING DATES**

- A. Set meeting dates and locations for 2009 and 2010

Kate Dargan

**VIII. MEETING ADJOURNMENT**

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Copies of the written materials will be made available to the public at the meeting location at the Office of the State Fire Marshal, 1131 S Street, Sacramento, CA 95811

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