

# FIRE MARSHALS ASSOCIATION OF MISSOURI

## MEETING MINUTES

Friday, February 7, 2025

**Call to Order:** 13:30

**Roll Call:** Absent is Jeff Delapp, Derrick Llewellyn, Present is Jim Ludden, David Phipps, Jeff Owens, Ryan Roberts, Keith Payne, Jim Furgerson.

**Approval of Meeting Minutes:** Motion to approve by Ed Berkel, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jeff Owens motion pass

**Presidents Report:** New email list server for the membership:

[membership@missourifiremarshals.org](mailto:membership@missourifiremarshals.org), Website was updated with new Membership application and secretary/treasurer address: Have 2-40<sup>th</sup> anniversary logo's that are almost completed and will email the board when completed. Vendors-Gold, Silver and Bronze memberships were added to help with banquet costs. Challenge coins with new anniversary logos. HB 1105 Sponsor-Don Mayhew- Bill that changes the law regarding certain political subdivisions. No hearing scheduled at this time, and the bill is not on the house calendar. I have spoken to a few people about this. The flyer for the conference and save the date will be done next week. I will be sending out the licensed inspectors list the state has if everyone will take some time and email the region. They are broken down in 8 different regions. Kansas City and St. Louis with the most licensed so there is a lot. I am trying to set up a group email for each region so that they are set up. I am working with my IT company to do so.

**Vice-President Report:** Reported on an up coming Fire Inspector II class.

**Financial Report:** Bal of 12,900.14 Motion to accepted report by Ed Berkel 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dean Cull motion pass

**Membership Report:** 235

**Report of Regional Directors:**

Keith Payne-Kansas City Metro: KC Metro is working on the 2024 code review. KC Arson Task Force is March 4,5 & 6,2025.

Ryan Roberts-St. Louis Metro: nothing to report

Derrick Llewellyn-North Region: No report

Jeff Owens-Southern Region: nothing to report

Jim Furgerson-Springfield Branson: Fire Investigation class at Springfield April 19

**ICC:** 2025 Leadership Week and Committee Action Hearings April 26-May6, 2025 Orlando, FL,

**State Fire Marshal:** High Ridge Fire Inspection class March 10–14, 2025. Will be working on a glass for region F. There are several legislative bills we need to watch, HB943, HB70, HB72, HB121, HB210, HB224, HB533, SB107HB806, HB531, SB81, Fire Works Bill, Worker Comp Bill, all training funds have been allocated for the year. The Division of Fire Safety presented their budget last week. The Governor recommended \$1.35M FF training money, which is the same as last year. The division will present it to the Senate Appropriations Committee next week. Fire Fighter Day is March 25, 2025

**Education Committee:** Working on the 2025 Conference.

**Legislative Committee:** There are a lot of legislative bills to watch.

**Membership Committee:** Ed Berkel made a motion to place Neal Brockmiller on Honorary Life Membership 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ryan Roberts, motion passed.

**Bylaws Committee:** No Report

**Training Committee:** Working on the 2025 conference and working on having Fire Inspector class at the conference. Tent Training for AHJ, NFSA will sponsor a FM/BOOT CAMP four-day event May 27-30, 2025

**Special Committee:** No Report

**Old Business:** Nothing

**New Business:** NFPA updates, Mindy Andrasevits as our new Regional Director. Mindy explains that there are several classes that they can teach at a low cost. There are several reports on their website on wildland fires and other topics. There will be some issues with building permits in CA in the wildland burn area. The NFPA Conference in June 16-18, 2025, in Las Vegas. The NFPA Conference is June 16-18, 2025, in Las Vegas.

**Good of the Order:** None

**Next Meeting Time and Date:** March 25, 2025, 10:00

**Adjournment:** 15:15 motion made by Dean Cull and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jeff Owens motion pass

**Attendance:** See attached list.



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MEETING ROSTER

Date: ~~March 16, 2022~~ Feb. 7, 2025

NAME	REPRESENTING	NAME	REPRESENTING
D. Phipps	Pacific Fire	Tim Green	NES
J. Ludden	Springfield Fire	DARIN PATTERSON	BRANSON FIRE
Ed Berkele	Mehlville FFD		
Mindy Andrasents	NFPA		
Jeffrey Owens	Ozark Fire		
Ryan Roberts	Cottleville FPD		
CLIFF ROBINSON	FLORISSANT VALLEY FPD		
Steve Tuley	Florissant Valley Fire		
Mike Redford	North Kansas City Fire		
Gary Loftis	NKC FD		
KEITH PAYNE	REVERSHIDE		
Jim Eoen	LEE'S SUMMIT FIRE DEPT		
Greg Landwehr	DFS		
Jeff East	Kearney Fire		
John Dixon	Independence FD		
Scott Rue	Valley Park		
KJ Spurlock	NFSA		
Tom Martin	BRANSON FID		
Dylan Hanea	SCCFD		
Bob Ivaker	Cedar Hill		
J PENEY	NFSA		
Kevin Gates	Southern Platte FPD		
DEAN CULL	Southern Platte		
WALT GOODMAN	BOONE COUNTY FIRE		