

Firefighting Commission Work Session and Business Meeting
November 4, 2025, 9:00 a.m. CDT
Tennessee Fire Services & Codes Enforcement Academy
2161 Unionville-Deason Road
Bell Buckle, TN 37020

I. PRAYER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL

IV. MINUTES

- a. Approval of the July 29, 2025, meeting minutes

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. GUESTS

- a. Deputy Fire Marshal Figlio – Change to Fire Instructor I Prerequisites

VII. COMMUNICATIONS

- a. West: Josh Holdeman
- b. East: Steven Morrell
- c. Middle: Todd Ratley
- d. Accreditation: Greg Palmer
- e. TFACA: Jeff Elliott

VIII. LEGAL REPORT: Marabeth Nicely/ Leigh Ferguson

- a. Surrender order
- b. Rules package

IX. ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER'S REPORT: Mike Bell

X. DIRECTOR'S REPORT: Mike Bell

XI. OLD BUSINESS

XII. NEW BUSINESS

- a. West TN Audits



- b. Middle TN Audits
- c. Accreditation Report- Greg Palmer
- d. TFACA – Fire Program/Codes Program
 - Hazmat Technology for Situational Awareness
 - Making Decisions Using Modern-Day Smoke Reading
 - Navigating the Water Swiftwater Awareness
 - Lithium-Ion Battery Awareness & Precautions
- e. TFACA – Inspector
 - Fire Inspector
 - First Responder Inspector
- f. Dan Wheeley – Rescue 3 Int Ropes Curriculum
- g. Dustin Anderson – TN Fire Service Cancer Prevention Education
- h. Vector Solution Courses
 - Industrial Hazmat – Understanding Hazards in Manufacturing
 - Chemical and Physical Properties for Hazmat Response
- i. Vector Solutions Courses
 - Rural Hazmat – Responding to Agricultural Chemical Emergencies
 - Hazmat PPE – Selection, Use, and Care for Firefighters
 - Railroad and Pipeline Hazmat Emergencies – Hazmat Response Strategies
- j. Vector Solutions Courses
 - Ground Ladders
 - Forcible Entry into a Structure
 - Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA)
 - Protection of Evidence of Fire Origin and Cause
 - Search and Rescue
 - Vehicle Extraction
 - Firefighter Personal Protective Equipment
 - Fire Behavior
- k. Vector Solutions Courses
 - Hazmat Response Tactics-Establishing Control & Safety Zones
- l. TN Fire – CEU Request

XIII. PUBLIC COMMENTS & SUGGESTIONS

This is an opportunity for the audience to make comments or ask questions of the Commission regarding the actions taken at today’s meeting.

XIV. DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS



XV. ADJOURN

