



State Board of Fire Services

February 11, 2026

CAL FIRE

Office of the State Fire Marshal



Call to Order

Welcome!

- ▶ If you have technical difficulties during this meeting, please contact Carrie Lewis at:
 - (916) 980-9352 or carrie.lewis@fire.ca.gov





Roll Call / Quorum

- ▶ **Daniel Berlant** - State Fire Marshal
- ▶ **Anale Burlew** - CALFIRE, Chief Deputy Director
- ▶ **Dan Terry** – California Firefighter Joint Apprenticeship Program
- ▶ **Christina Curry** - CA Governor's Office of Emergency Services
- ▶ **Donald Butz** – Fire Districts Association of California
- ▶ **Zoraida Diaz** – California Fire Chiefs Association
- ▶ **David Rocha** - California Metropolitan Fire Chiefs
- ▶ **Edward A. Foster Jr.** - California State Firefighters Association
- ▶ **David Gilotte** - International Association of Firefighters
- ▶ **Frank Lima** - California Labor Federation
- ▶ **Peter Munoa** - CAL FIRE Firefighters, Local 2881
- ▶ **Brian K. Rice** - California Professional Firefighters
- ▶ **Michael S. Williams** - Volunteer Firefighter
- ▶ **Robert Magee** - City Government
- ▶ **Cindy Gustafson** – County Supervisor, Placer County
- ▶ **Len Nielson** - Cultural Burn Liaison



Approval of the August 6, 2025 Meeting Minutes



STATE BOARD OF FIRE SERVICES

DRAFT MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, August 6, 2025

10:00 am - 12:00 pm Pacific Standard Time

Sacramento

CNRA Building
715 P Street, CNRA 2-302 (A/B)
Sacramento, CA 95814

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Daniel Berlant, CAL FIRE, Office of the State Fire Marshal, Chair
Matthew Sully, CAL FIRE
Yvonne de la Pena, California Firefighter Joint Apprenticeship Program
Brian Marshall, California Governor's Office of Emergency Services
Donald Butz, Fire Districts Association of California, Vice Chair
Zoraida Diaz, California Fire Chiefs Association
David Rocha, Fire Chief, California Metropolitan Fire Chiefs
Ed Foster, California State Firefighters Association
David Gilotte, International Association of Firefighters
Frank Lima, California Labor Federation *
Peter Munoa, CAL FIRE Firefighters, Local 2881 *
Brian Rice, California Professional Firefighters *
Michael Williams, California State Firefighters Association *
Robert Magee, City Government *
Janet Ruiz, Insurance Industry
Raymond Gutierrez, Cultural Burning Liaison

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Cindy Gustafson, County Supervisor

STATE FIRE MARSHAL STAFF:

Frank Bigelow, Deputy Director *
Jim McDougald, Assistant Deputy Director *
Andrew Henning, Assistant Deputy Director
Tim Spears, Assistant Deputy Director
Jamie Sammut, Senior Staff Council *
Chris Fowler, Division Chief
Crystal Sujeski, Division Chief, Code Development & Analysis
Caryn Petty, Deputy State Fire Marshal III *
Katie Luetke Porter, Deputy State Fire Marshal
Carrie Lewis, Associate Governmental Program Analyst
Jillian Fisher, Staff Services Manager I

* Attended meeting virtually



Approval of the November 5, 2025 Meeting Minutes



STATE BOARD OF FIRE SERVICES

DRAFT MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, November 5, 2025

10:00 am - 12:00 pm Pacific Standard Time

Sacramento

Aviation Management Unit
Sacramento Room
5411 Luce Ave.
McClellan, CA 95652

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Daniel Berlant, CAL FIRE, Office of the State Fire Marshal, Chair
Donald Butz, Fire Districts Association of California, Vice Chair
Anale Burlew, CAL FIRE
Yvonne de la Pena, California Firefighter Joint Apprenticeship Program
Ian Bastek, California Governor's Office of Emergency Services
Zoraida Diaz, California Fire Chiefs Association
David Rocha, Fire Chief, California Metropolitan Fire Chiefs
Ed Foster, California State Firefighters Association
Frank Lima, California Labor Federation (virtual)
Brian Rice, California Professional Firefighters (virtual)
Robert Magee, City Government (virtual)
Cindy Gustafson, County Supervisor
Janet Ruiz, Insurance Industry
Len Nielsen, Cultural Burning Liaison (virtual)

MEMBERS ABSENT:

David Gilotte, International Association of Firefighters
Peter Munoa, CAL FIRE Firefighters, Local 2881
Michael Williams, California State Firefighters Association

STATE FIRE MARSHAL STAFF:

Frank Bigelow, Deputy Director
Tim Spears, Assistant Deputy Director
Chris Fowler, Division Chief
Jillian Fisher, Staff Services Manager I
Carrie Lewis, Associate Governmental Program Analyst
Danh Dao, Staff Services Analyst

Agenda Items were heard out of order to allow for the gathering of a quorum.

A) CALL TO ORDER

Chair Daniel Berlant called the State Board of Fire Services (SBFS) meeting to order at 1000 hours.



Approval of the February 11, 2026 Meeting Agenda



STATE BOARD OF FIRE SERVICES

Meeting Announcement and Agenda

Wednesday, February 11, 2026

10:00am - 12:00pm Pacific Standard Time

Sacramento

May Lee Complex, Room SE245
651 Bannon Street
Sacramento, CA 95811

This meeting can be joined virtually by following this link:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89343227097>

Or participants may call into the meeting at the following phone number.

Teleconference Line: 669-444-9171
Conference ID: 856 0898 7743
Passcode: 025683

1. CALL TO ORDER

Daniel Berlant

- A. Welcome and Meeting Logistics
- B. Roll Call/Establish Quorum
- C. Approval of [Draft Meeting Minutes from August 6, 2025](#)
- D. Approval of [Draft Meeting Minutes from November 5, 2025](#)
(Discussion/Public Comment/Action)
- E. Approval of February 11, 2025, Meeting Agenda
(Discussion/Public Comment/Action)
- F. Announcements

2. CONSENT ITEMS

A. State Fire Training Division

(Discussion/Public Comment/Action)

1. [STEAC Charter](#)
2. [California Incident Command Certification System \(CICCS\) Guide 2026](#)
3. [Allan Hancock College ARTP Reaccreditation](#)
4. [Mission College ARTP Reaccreditation](#)
5. [Palomar College ARTP Reaccreditation](#)
6. [Los Angeles County Fire Department ALA Reaccreditation](#)
7. [Livermore-Pleasanton Fire Department ALA Reaccreditation](#)

3. ACTION ITEMS

A. State Fire Training Division

(Discussion/Public Comment/Action)

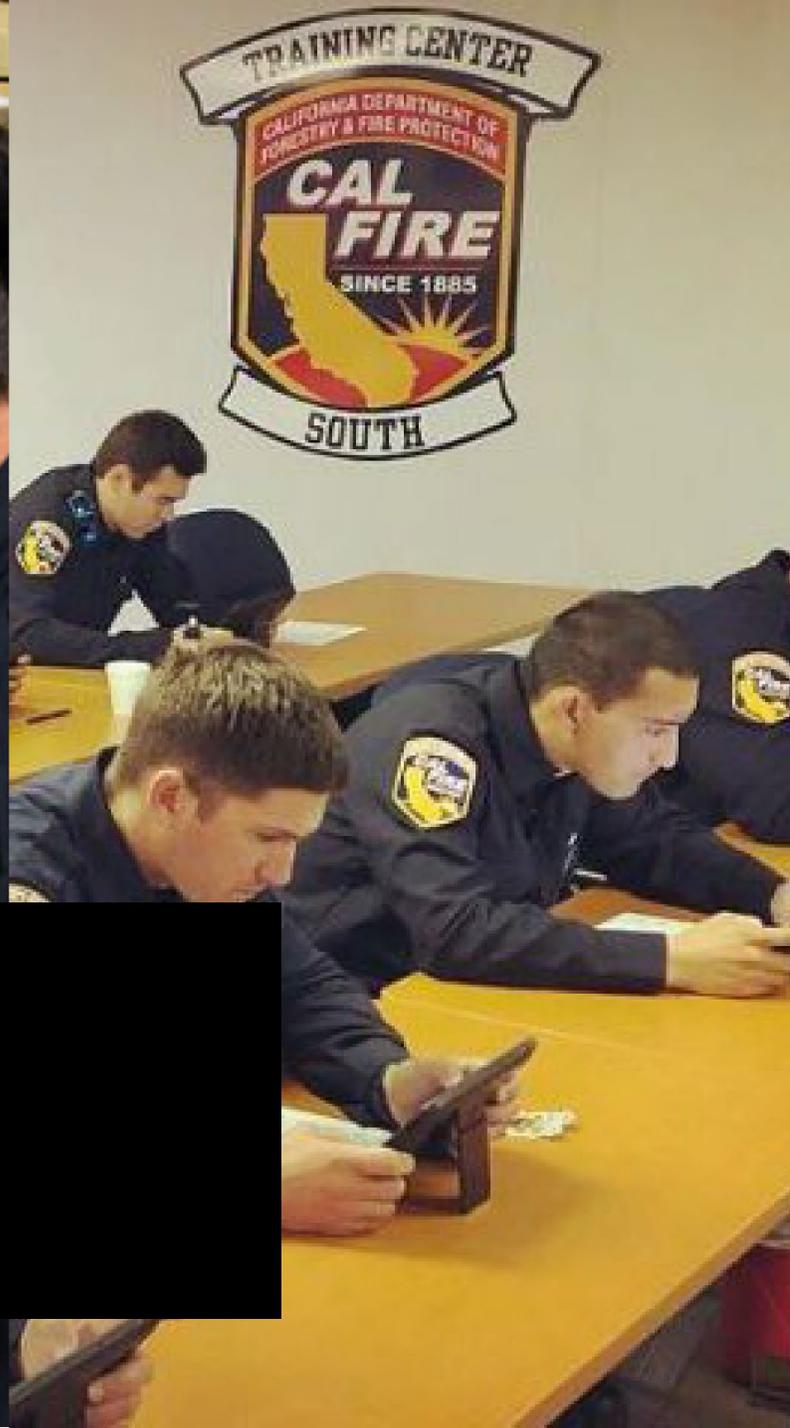
1. [First Responder Inspector \(2024\) Curriculum](#)
2. [Fire Inspector \(2024\) Curriculum](#)
3. [Fire Marshal \(2024\) Curriculum](#)
4. [Fire Plans Examiner \(2024\) Curriculum](#)
5. [NWCG and California Specific Curriculum Alignment](#)
6. [Fire Officer Series Curriculum Review](#)





Announcements





State Fire Training

State Fire Training Division

Consent Items

- ▶ STEAC Charter
- ▶ California Incident Command Certification System (CICCS) Guide 2026
- ▶ Allan Hancock College ARTP Reaccreditation
- ▶ Mission College ARTP Reaccreditation
- ▶ Palomar College ARTP Reaccreditation
- ▶ Los Angeles County Fire Department ALA Reaccreditation
- ▶ Livermore-Pleasanton Fire Department ALA Reaccreditation



State Fire Training Division

Action Items

- ▶ First Responder Inspector (2024) Curriculum
- ▶ Fire Inspector (2024) Curriculum
- ▶ Fire Marshal (2024) Curriculum
- ▶ Fire Plans Examiner (2024) Curriculum
- ▶ NWCG and California Specific Curriculum Alignment
- ▶ Fire Officer Series Curriculum Review



State Fire Training Division Information Items

- ▶ Blueprint 2030
- ▶ Annual Report 2025
- ▶ Accredited Academies Steering Committee
- ▶ Training Officers Symposium 2026



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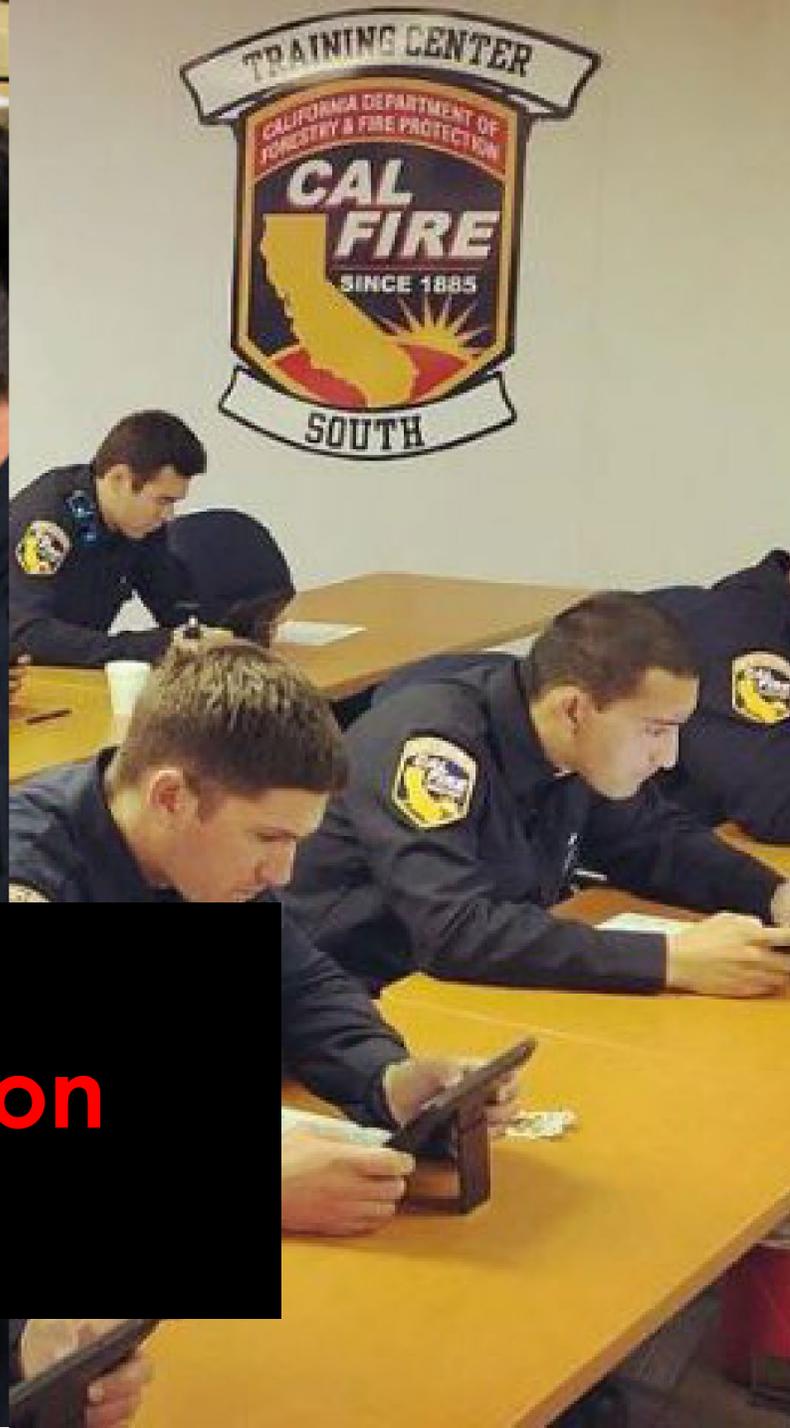
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Division & Advisory
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Community Wildfire Preparedness & Mitigation Division

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Fire Engineering & Investigations Division

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- ▶ Fire Sprinkler Certification Update
- ▶ Fireworks Public Safety Task Force



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Battery Energy Storage Systems Work Group Update



Presentation
From Confligation to Resilience:
Ashes to Action



- ▶ New Business
- ▶ Members Organization Updates
- ▶ Public Comment
- ▶ Upcoming Meeting Dates
 - May 13, 2026
 - 10:00am – 12:00pm
- ▶ Meeting Adjournment





Meeting Adjournment

- ▶ Copies of the materials have been posted on the Office of the State Fire Marshal web site at [State Board of Fire Services | OSFM](#)
- ▶ For information concerning the State Board of Fire Services, please contact Carrie Lewis at (916) 980-9352 or carrie.lewis@fire.ca.gov.
- ▶ NOTE: Items designated for information are appropriate for committee action if the committee chooses to act. The agenda order is tentative and subject to change. Agenda items may be taken out of order to facilitate the effective transaction of business. The Committee may not discuss or act on any matter raised during the public forum period, except to decide whether to place the matter on the notice and agenda of a future committee meeting.

