



# Cumberland County Fire Chiefs' Association

*"Preservation of Life and Property through Organization"*

## Minutes of the 25 March 2024, Monthly Meeting



The general membership Chiefs' meeting was hosted by Fire Chief Jason Williams and Spring Lake Fire Department. The association thanks Chief Williams and his crew for their great hospitality. A catered dinner was provided by Mission BBQ.

- Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by President Johnson at 7:00 pm.
- Opening Prayer:** Association Chaplain Kenneth Tatum provided the opening prayer followed by dinner.
- Pledge of Allegiance:** President Johnson led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Roll Call:** Roll call was conducted with 19 departments and 4 associate members present.
- Members Absent:**
- Fire/EMS Departments: **Fire Commissioner, FTCC Rep, Hazmat Representation**
- Approval of Minutes:** The minutes of February 24 were approved as presented.
- Guests:** Alex Rutgers with *Wills for Heros*  
Charles Evans, former Commissioner  
Diane Rice, Cumberland PIO
- Vendors Present:** None Present
- Treasurer's Report:** **Chiefs Only** Fund balance report provided along with a hard copy in your packet for review.

### **Meeting Points of Interests:**

- ***Next Chiefs' Meeting is scheduled for Monday April 22, 2024, hosted by the Stedman FD at Stedman Baptist Church directly in front of Station 23.***
- *Fayetteville Air-1 has Air rotation responsibilities for the month of April, followed by Stoney Point-19 in May.*
- Congratulations went out to Fire Chief Dove on his appointment to FFD Fire Chief
- Mike Williams and Jason Hulon have both been appointed Assistant Chiefs with the Cotton Fire Department and are welcomed to the CCFCA.

### **Items of Interest Handouts**

1. RMS Committee Mtg Minutes
2. Monthly Incident Response Statistics
3. Truist Balance Sheet 03/24/2024
4. Copy of 2024 RMS Committee Assignment and Mission Criteria

5. FTCC-Training Center Director Position Posting
6. FTCC & Regional Training Opportunities
7. Tender Task Force Committee Executive Summary
8. Cumberland Road Hurst Tool Sale Flyer
9. Stedman BBQ Flyer Saturday April 13, 24 from 1100 till 1800 @ the Fire Department
10. Wills For Hero's

**OLD BUSINESS:**

1. President Johnson discussed the foam replacement process for the three county foam trailers. OSFM has been designated to spearhead the replacement project with state funds going to OSFM. Chief Chris Davis with OSFM recently verified foam on hand for accurate replacement.

2. President Johnson announced that our Surrey Fire Safety House new wrap and graphics have been completed and the house was picked up from Specialty Graphics in Angier. There was a delay with the NFPA logo, but the issue has been mitigated. We have an appointment at HGR's Trailers on Thursday April 4, 2024, for the installation of a new battery operated / electric awning. Once completed we will complete a total maintenance check of all systems, and we will also reach out to Surrey Safety Houses to inquire about



updating all the old and outdated electronics in the house to current technology. The safety house will remain out of service until all updates and services are complete.

3. President Johnson discussed our current AED dilemma surrounding the excessive cost of replacement pads and batteries. He is recommending that we use the funds currently available through the Health Department for CCFCA AED pads and battery purchases. The recommendation is that we replace 130 of our current AEDs and purchase 130 Stryker LIFEPAK 1000 which are compatible with EMS thus allowing PAD exchange with the responding medical unit. To affect this purchase and exchange Cumberland County is requesting that we turn in our current CARDIAC Science Power heart G5 AEDs for distribution in county owned facilities including schools. To utilize the ARP funds the issue goes back to the ARP Committee where Fire Commissioner Keefe is chair. With 100% voting membership in attendance the Chiefs concurred with exchanging our current Power heart G-5 AEDs and pursuing the purchase of 130 Stryker LIFEPAK 1000 which are compatible for direct AED Pad Exchange with the responding Cape Fear Valley Medic Unit. President Johnson will follow-up with Commissioner Keefe.

4. The N.C. Fire and Rescue Commission (FRC) meeting is planned for April 9<sup>th</sup> at the FTCC Regional Fire & Rescue Training Center, starting at 10 AM. The association's photographer will be on site to take make-up photos for all Chiefs wanting to replace their current photo, as well as for any newly appointed chief officers. This will be a photo waist up passport type picture in "Class A." Chiefs, please let your Chief Officers know about the photo opportunity so that we can update our members page on our website. The following Stations have members needing a photo.
- Assistant Chief Jason Hulon, Cotton FD - ✓
  - Assistant Chief Mike Williams, Cotton FD - ✓
  - Fire Chief Kevin Dove, Fayetteville FD - ✓
  - Interim Fire Chief Scott McGuire, Fort Liberty - ✓
  - Assistant Chief Josh Hopkins, Fort Liberty - ✓
  - Fire Chief Ben Marsh, Grays Creek #24 FD
  - Assistant Chief Greg O'Dell, Grays Creek # 24
  - Assistant Chief Bradley Jacobson Grays Creek # 24
  - Deputy Chief Matthew Cain, Hope Mills FD - ✓
  - Assistant Chief Jay DeVane, Vander FD - ✓
  - Assistant Chief Donnie Griffin, Vander FD - ✓
  - Zachary McFarland, Westarea FD - ✓
  - County Manager Clarence Grier
  - Dr. Jolee Marsh, FTCC
5. RMS Committee Chair Assistant Fire Chief B. Hanzal presented the committee's final briefing and recommendations on replacing our expiring Emergency Reporting (ER) RMS, which will no longer be available at the expiration of our current annual contract expiring on 7/31/2024 due to being bought out by ESO. After a thorough review of three (3) current RMS systems, ESO, Image Trent, and FIRST DUE, it was unanimously recommended by the committee to go with FIRST DUE RMS, as it offered enhanced capabilities and features compared to the other options. AC Hanzal highlighted FIRST DUEs built-in-notification programs, which would enable the termination of IAR and result in \$14,000 cost savings that could be allocated towards FIRST DUE. President Johnson expressed gratitude towards the committee for their work on behalf of the CCFCA and explained how the association would fund the new RMS first year's fees using discretionary funds from the SCIF grant, including a one-time implementation fee. After a question-and-answer period by the membership the meeting concluded with RMS Committee Chair Assistant Chief B. Hanzal (Stoney Point) introducing a **MOTION** to move forward with FIRST DUE RMS as the replacement for Emergency Reporting (ER). The **MOTION** was **SECONDED** by Fire Chief Justin Nobles (Stedman) and unanimously **APPROVED** by all members present via a roll call vote. (See Enclosure #2)
5. President Johnson informed the membership that he is working with Cumberland County Emergency Services Director Gene Booth to address needed tweaks to the 2019 County Fire Contract, which Expires on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Once this is finalized, we will provide a copy to each district Chief. He provided an example of a required update dealing with our required annual audits, which has already been amended but needs to be included within the new 2024 audit.



6. Thanks to all those that supported Chief Melvins Retirement ceremony. There was a huge turn out and an exciting time was had by all who attended.



President Johnson thanking Chief Melvin for his many years of dedicated service to the CCFCA.



President Johnson on behalf of Fire Commissioner Jimmy Keefe, reading and presenting the County Commissioners Proclamation in honor of Chief Melvin





SHP Colonel Freddy Johnson Jr. / CCFCFA Treasurer on behalf of Governor Roy Cooper presenting the “Order of the Long Leaf Pine.”



## NEW BUSINESS:

1. President Johnson announced that we are in the process of posting 31 additional Historical Minutes that were found and will be added to our association webpage. He also advised the chiefs that a paper copy of all our minutes is stored in our CCFCA Storage Building.
2. Cumberland County Service District Grant will open on Monday April 1<sup>st</sup> and will remain open until **5 pm Friday April 26, 2024**. A grant review committee will convene thereafter to review grants. \$60,000 is the limit. Grants submitted that are more than \$60,000 will be returned. Please follow the following established Cumberland County Fire Services District Grant administrative rules.
  - *Application must be complete and current & cannot exceed the listed amount provided. (\$60,000)*
  - *Narratives must meet the required minimum wording listed with the application and should address and articulate your priority and need for the funds.*
  - ***Must include current equipment vendor quotes equal to the grant amount.***
  - ***Must be submitted online using the chief members portal.***
  - ***Grants will not be accepted by the portal after the 5 PM April 26, cut-off***
  - ***Please check your log in credentials early.***
3. Fire Chief Scott Bass inquired about the association assisting our High School Fire Academy Students to attend the 2024 SKILLS USA contest. Registration for the event per student is \$60.00. He further advised that there are forty (40) students in the class. After discussion amongst all members present Chief Scott Bass (Westarea) introduced a ***MOTION*** to make a one (1) time donation to the Cumberland County High School Fire Academy program in the amount of \$3,000 in support of the 2024 SKILLS USA contest as well as other program needs. With no further discussion the ***MOTION*** was ***SECONDED*** by Fire Chief Steven Parrish and unanimously ***APPROVED*** via a roll-call vote. (See enclosure #3)

## OFFICIAL ASSOCIATION / FIRE STATION ID CARDS (Coordinated through Station 13 at 910-424-0694 Ms. Johnson or Ms. Garris)

- Nothing shared for the group.

## STANDARDS & POLICY COMMITTEE Fire Chief Scott Bass (Westarea FD) Chairperson, E-Mail: [wfd2501@nc.rr.com](mailto:wfd2501@nc.rr.com)

- Nothing shared for the group.

## COMMUNICATIONS /DISPATCH STEERING / AVL COMMITTEE Chief Steve Parrish, Cumberland Road FD, Chairperson, E-Mail: [crfd501@nc.rr.com](mailto:crfd501@nc.rr.com)

- Nothing for the group

## TRAINING COMMITTEE Assistant Chief Kevin Murphy (Stoney Point) Chairperson E-Mail [kmurphy1903@gmail.com](mailto:kmurphy1903@gmail.com)

- Nothing shared for the group. (Training opportunities Hand-Out in Station Packets)

**RESCUE COMMITTEE** Deputy Chief Hank Harris (Cotton FD) Chairperson,  
E-Mail: [hankharris@cottonfirerescue.org](mailto:hankharris@cottonfirerescue.org)

- Nothing shared for the group.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE** Deputy Chief, Freddy Johnson Jr. (Stoney Point) Chairperson,  
E-Mail: [spfd1302@nc.rr.com](mailto:spfd1302@nc.rr.com)

- Committee meeting scheduled for 20<sup>th</sup> of May at 6pm at the CC EOC.
- Everyone should be receiving the FY-24-25 Budget Memorandum from County Manager Grier with an April 24, 2024, suspense date back to county finance.

**FIRE LIFE SAFETY EDUCATION COMMITTEE** – Fire Marshal Kevin Lowther Chairperson,  
Email [-klowther@cumberlandcountync.gov](mailto:-klowther@cumberlandcountync.gov)

- Please do not write letters for Fire Department variance. That must come from the county not the FD.

**SCIF PROJECT COMMITTEE** - Fire Chief Keith Matthews (GFFD # 17) Chairperson.  
E-Mail: [gffd1701@nc.rr.com](mailto:gffd1701@nc.rr.com)

- Inactive until 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter in FY 24-25
- Will go active July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024.
- Everyone is encouraged to think about upcoming projects and submit recommendations to Chief Matthews (1701).

**LEPC UPDATE Fire** Chief Logan Herndon (Grays Creek # 18 & Fayetteville FD) Representative

- Not Present - Nothing to report for the group.

### **ASSOCIATE MEMBERS REPORT**

**CUMBERLAND COUNTY MANAGERS' OFFICE** (Clarence Grier, County Manager)

- No report.

**EMERGENCY SERVICES DIRECTOR/ ECC-911** (Gene Booth, Director),  
E-Mail: [wbooth@cumberlandcountync.gov](mailto:wbooth@cumberlandcountync.gov)

- **Emergency Services Director Gene Booth**

Gene discussed the upcoming grant opportunities and budget.

**Fire Marshal Kevin Lowther –**

- See Fire Life Safety Report

**9-1-1 Supervisor Adam Johnson**

- Nothing for the group

**EMS DIRECTOR:** David Grovdahl, EMS Chief E-Mail: [dgrovdahl@capefearvalley.com](mailto:dgrovdahl@capefearvalley.com)

- No report provided.

**HAZMAT:** AC David Richtmeyer, E-Mail: [davidrichtmeyer@fayettevillenc.gov](mailto:davidrichtmeyer@fayettevillenc.gov)

- No report provided.

**NC FORESTRY:** Craig Gottfried, County Ranger, E-Mail: [craig.gottfried@ncagr.gov](mailto:craig.gottfried@ncagr.gov)

- Planning an on-boarding for a new employee soon. When done it will help both the North Carolina Forestry and all the partner association members.

**FTCC** Michale Barth, E-Mail: [bartchm@faytechcc.edu](mailto:bartchm@faytechcc.edu) – (910)486-7474

- Not present – Nothing to report for the group.

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE** Sheriff Wright [ewright@ccsonc.org](mailto:ewright@ccsonc.org) (Sr. Sgt. Tara Whitman) Email - [twhitman@ccsonc.org](mailto:twhitman@ccsonc.org)

- Sr. Sgt Whitman further emphasized and discussed accidental fires and reporting procedures for same and any time there is an issue, and you are not sure about a particular fire, incident or otherwise call. We are here to help.
- Updated the group concerning homeless camps, which can be prosecuted for negligence.

**FAYETTEVILLE POLICE** – Police Kemberle Braden, Email – [kemberlebraden@fayettevillenc.gov](mailto:kemberlebraden@fayettevillenc.gov)

- No report

**NC HIGHWAY PATROL** – Colonel Freddy Johnson Jr. Commander NCSHP.

E-Mail: [Freddy.johnson@ncshp.org](mailto:Freddy.johnson@ncshp.org) or First Sergeant Jamie Hinson B-1 Fayetteville

Mail: [james.hinson@ncshp.org](mailto:james.hinson@ncshp.org), or S. Johnson SHP Raleigh Training Center, E-Mail [sean.johnson@ncshp.org](mailto:sean.johnson@ncshp.org)

- Noting to report

**FIRE COMMISSIONER** –

- Not present – Nothing for the Group.





**ADJOURNMENT:** A motion was made to adjourn by Chief Bass and seconded by Assistant Chief Hanzal.

The meeting was adjourned at 2048 hours.

Respectfully Submitted by:

*Freddy L. Johnson Sr.*

Freddy L. Johnson Sr., CFO  
Fire Chief / President

*Joshua Hopkins*

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Assistant Fire Chief / Secretary

**Enclosures – 13**

- Attendance Roster
- Roll call vote: RMS System
- Roll call vote: Fire Academy donation.
- RMS Committee Mtg Minutes
- Copy of 2024 RMS Committee Assignment and Mission Criteria
- Monthly Incident Response Stas
- Truist Balance Sheet 03/24/2024
- FTCC-Training Center Director Position Posting
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**FOR THE GOOD OF THE ASSOCIATION**

(1) *Chief Marley thanked everyone for DeCarter family prayers and the attendance for FF. DeCarters memorial service*

(2) *Chief Nobles announced his upcoming BBQ Dinner fund raiser scheduled for Saturday April 13 at Station 23. (Flyer in packets)*

(3) *Chief Parrish announced the sale of a complete set of HURST tools. (Flyer in packets)*

**+Enclosure # 1 – Attendance Roster**

	<b>MEMBERS' PRESENT (19)</b>	19	18	19										
	<b>ASSOCIATES PRESENT (07)</b>	4	6	4										
	<b>Total Number in attendance</b>	49	38	37										
	<b>CC Fire Chiefs DEPARTMENTS &amp; ORGANIZATION  Chief's Only Meeting</b>	22-JAN-24- HMFD # 21	26-FEB-24- FTCC	25-MAR-24- SLFD # 22	22- APR-24- SVFD # 23	20 MAY-24- CCEOC	24-JUN-24- BDFD # 26	22-JUL-24- FFD # TBD	26-AUG-24-FTCC	23-SEP-24 - FLFD # TBD	28-OCT-24- EFD # 01	25-NOV-24- CCEOC	16-DEC-24 - SHERIFF	
	<b>MEMBERS</b>	<b>MEETING DATES</b>												
01	BEAVER DAM STA 26 & 27													
02	BETHANY STA 12													
03	COTTON STA 4													
04	CUMBERLAND ROAD STA 5													
05	EASTOVER STA 1													
06	EMS EMERGENCY MED SVC													
07	FAYETTEVILLE FIRE DEPT													
08	FORT LIBERTY FIRE DEPT													
09	GODWIN – FALCON STA 17													
10	GRAYS CREEK STA 18													
11	GRAYS CREEK STA 24													
12	HOPE MILLS STA 21													
13	PEARCE'S MILL STA 3													
14	SPRING LAKE STA 23													
15	STEDMAN STA 23													
16	STONEY POINT STA 13 & 19													
17	VANDER STA 2 & 8													
18	WADE STA 16													
19	WESTAREA STA 15-20 & 25													
	<b>ASSOCIATE MEMBERS</b>													
01	CC EMERGENCY SERVICES													
02	FIRE COMMISSIONER													
03	FORESTRY													
04	FTCC													
05	HAZMAT													
06	HIGHWAY PATROL													
07	SHERIFFS OFFICE													

Special Notes:

**CODES:** - Present - Absent      Excused

**CUMBERLAND COUNTY FIRE CHIEF'S ASSOCIATION**  
**VOTE ROLL CALL 2024**

1. **MOTION:** CCFCA Records Management System (RMS) Committee Chair Assistant Chief B. Hanzal (Stoney Point) in conjunction with the committee's final RMS replacement brief, introduced - *A MOTION that the association move forward with the purchase & implementation of the **FIRST DUE RMS** for the replacement RMS of our current ER RMS which expires on July 31, 2024. After a discussion concerning costs and associated sustainable liabilities the **MOTION** was **SECONDED** by Fire Chief Justin Nobles (Stedman) and **APPROVED** by via Roll Call Vote.*

MEMBERS PRESENT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE (20)													
DEPARTMENT ORGANIZATION	22 January 2024 Hope Mills FD	26 February 2024 FTCC-Training Ctr.	25 March 2024 Spring Lake FD	22 April 2024 Stedman FD	20 May 2024 CC EOC	24-June 2024 Grays Creek 24	22-JULY 2024 Beaver Dam FD	26 August 2024 FTCC Training Ctr.	23 September 2024	28 October 2024 Fort Liberty FD	25 November 2024	16 December 2024	
* Chief's Only Meeting													
MEMBERS													
BEAVER DAM STA 26 - 27			✓										
BETHANY STA 12			✓										
COTTON STA 4			✓										
CUMBERLAND ROAD STA 5			✓										
EASTOVER STA 1			✓										
CFV-EMS-SERVICES			✓										
FAYETTEVILLE FIRE DEPT			Abstain										
FORT LIBERTY FIRE DEPT			✓										
GODWIN-FALCON STA 18			✓										
-GRAYS CREEK 18			✓										
GRAYS CREEK 24			✓										
HOPE MILLS STA 21			✓										
PEARCE'S MILL STA 3			✓										
SPRING LAKE STA 22			✓										
STEDMAN STA 23			✓										
STONEY POINT STA 13 - 19			✓										
VANDER STA 2 - 8			✓										
WADE STA 16			✓										
WESTAREA STA 15 – 20 - 25			✓										
EMERGENCY SVC DIR.			✓										
<b>TOTAL YES VOTES</b>			<b>18</b>										
<b>TOTAL NO VOTES</b>			<b>00</b>										
<b>TOTAL ABSTAIN VOTES</b>			<b>01</b>										
<b>MOTION CARRIED</b>			<b>18</b>										

Special Notes:

**CODES:** (YES) – ✓ - Voting in the Affirmative (A)-Absent (N/A)- Vote Does Not Apply to Organization  
 (NO) - X - Voting against

Enclosure # 2 – CCFCA Minutes 02/26/2024



**CUMBERLAND COUNTY FIRE CHIEF'S ASSOCIATION**  
**VOTE ROLL CALL 2024**

1. **MOTION:** Fire Chief Scott Bass (Westarea FD) introduced a **MOTION**, for the CCFCA to assist the Cumberland County High School Fire Academy with a one (1) time \$3000.00 donation to assist forty (40) students enrolled in the program with the 2024 SKILLS USA program as well as another related requirement. The **MOTION** was **SECONDED** by Fire Chief Steve Parrish (Cumberland Road) and **APPROVED** by all members present via Roll Call Vote.

MEMBERS PRESENT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE (20)		20										
DEPARTMENT ORGANIZATION  * Chief's Only Meeting	22 January 2024 Hope Mills FD	26 February 2024 FTCC-Training Ctr.	25 March 2024 SLFD-HS Skills USA Vote	22 April 2024 Stedman FD	20 May 2024 CC EOC	24-June 2024 Grays Creek 24	22-JULY 2024 Beaver Dam FD	26 August 2024 FTCC Training Ctr.	23 September 2024 Fayetteville FD	28 October 2024 Fort Liberty FD	25 November 2024 CC EOC	16 December 2024 Sheriff's Office
<b>MEMBERS</b>												
BEAVER DAM STA 26 - 27			✓									
BETHANY STA 12			✓									
COTTON STA 4			✓									
CUMBERLAND ROAD STA 5			✓									
EASTOVER STA 1			✓									
CFV-EMS-SERVICES			✓									
FAYETTEVILLE FIRE DEPT			✓									
FORT LIBERTY FIRE DEPT			✓									
GODWIN-FALCON STA 18			✓									
-GRAYS CREEK 18			✓									
GRAYS CREEK 24			✓									
HOPE MILLS STA 21			✓									
PEARCE'S MILL STA 3			✓									
SPRING LAKE STA 22			✓									
STEDMAN STA 23			✓									
STONEY POINT STA 13 - 19			✓									
VANDER STA 2 - 8			✓									
WADE STA 16			✓									
WESTAREA STA 15 - 20 - 25			✓									
EMERGENCY SVC DIR.			✓									
<b>TOTAL YES VOTES</b>			<b>20</b>									
<b>TOTAL NO VOTES</b>			<b>00</b>									
<b>MOTION CARRIED</b>			<b>20</b>									

**Special Notes:**

**CODES:** (YES) - ✓ - Voting in the Affirmative (A)-Absent (N/A)- Vote Does Not Apply to Organization  
 (NO) - X - Voting against

**Enclosure # 2 – CCFCA Minutes 03/25/2024**

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County Fire Commissioner  
**Kenneth Tatum**  
Chaplain

March 13, 2024

### CCFCA Records Management System (RMS) Committee Meeting Minutes March 13, 2024

The CCFCA RMS Committee Meeting was called to order by Committee Chair B. Hanzal at 10:00 AM. The meeting was conducted at the Cumberland County Emergency Operation Center (EOC) at 500 Executive Place, Fayetteville.

**Members Present:** Asst. Chief Brandon Hanzal, Fire Chief Steve Parrish, Captain David Dunn, Asst. Chief Jeremiah Williams, Lieut. Robert Hurlburt (Conference call),

**Members Absent:** Asst. Chief [Jonathan Faircloth](#) (unable to attend but did cast a vote)

**Others Attending:** Assistant Chief Jason Hulon requested to attend the first due DEMO and final meeting and was allowed to vote.

Committee discussed the Pros and Cons of three different record management systems, ESO, Image Trend, and First Due. The Committee used the following criteria to evaluate the different systems.

1. **VENDOR EVALUATION:** The committee should thoroughly research and evaluate multiple vendors, (ESO, Image Trend, First Due, & others) providing RMS solutions. Consideration should include their track record, experience, customer reviews, reputation, service support, implementation timelines, and scalability and most importantly the capturing of current historical ER records into the newly recommended RMS.

First Due was the only vendor that decided to do an [in-person](#) demo. ESO and Image Trend did a virtual demonstration. All Three systems provide support in the same fashion using a support webpage. First Due was the only vendor that assigned an (agent) to each account to assist with issues that cannot be resolved on the support page. We met with the following vendors.

- ESO (Web demo Feb 6, 2024)
- Image Trend (Web demo Feb 20, 2024)
- First Due (In-Person demo Feb 27, 2024)

2. **SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS:** The new RMS should integrate the required functionalities and features that improve emergency reporting efficiency. Areas to focus on may include Cloud based, incident tracking (NFIRS), Incident Management, training, ISO, inventory management, inter-agency data sharing, management reporting and analysis tool capabilities, user interface and ease of use to mention a few. The committee should also take a close look at the possibility of incorporating or merging currently used notifications systems into new RMS systems if available. With our goal of implementing Digital Dispatch the new RMS must be compatible with our Computer Automated Dispatch (CAD) systems and interfaces.

All three systems are very similar in this category. web/cloud storage. All vendors offer the modules that will meet the counties needs for tracking data. Image Trend and First Due did stand out in their ability to report on data that is input. First Due was the only company that had an actual application for dispatch alerting, messaging, and paging.

3. **USER FRIENDLINESS:** The committee should prioritize the ease of use and intuitive interface of the new RMS. It should be accessible to users with varying levels of technical expertise and should minimize training and onboarding time for all stakeholders.

After looking at the three vendors the committee agreed the most fluid easy to use system was First Due. Some of the committee members were able to use the sandbox accounts and overwhelmingly chose First Due when it came to system layout and ease of use. Image Trend came in a close second for layout and ease of use.

4. **COST ANALYSIS:** The committee should conduct a detailed county wide bundled cost analysis for each potential RMS solution, considering both upfront costs and on going recurring maintenance expenses. This analysis should also include potential cost savings or efficiencies that can be achieved through the implementation of the new RMS system.

- ESO was our cheapest option at \$51,828 but lacked interface and support in the operating system.
- Image Trend was a few thousand higher at \$54,000,
- First due was definitely the most expensive at \$85,000 but the need to pay for IAR would no longer be necessary. When subtracting the \$14,000 IAR the price dropped to \$71,000.00.

**COMPATIBILITY & INTEGRATION:** The committee should ensure that the new RMS integrates seamlessly with existing systems such currently in use CAD systems, mapping tools, and other relevant software utilized in emergency reporting. Compatibility with mobile (Freedom App or alike programs) will also be essential in working in the field during emergency incidents.

All three system stated data can be imported seamlessly as long as it can be moved into CSV format. (ER is capable of doing that). Photos or PDF data can be moved over but may require some additional work on the end user.



6. SECURITY AND DATA PRIVACY: The committee should assess the security measures, data encryption protocols, and measures to ensure compliance with relevant laws and regulations concerning data privacy and confidentiality (HIPPA).

All three vendors store and backup data in the same manner. The committee could not vote on a particular standout in this category since all three vendors are following proper privacy and confidentiality standards.

After a thorough and exhaustive search that involved reviewing three (3) different Records Management Systems, we are pleased to announce that **FIRST DUE RMS** has been selected **UNANIMOUSLY** as the system that best meets our needs. The advanced capabilities, features, and user friendliness interface offered by **FIRST DUE RMS** far surpass those of other systems considered. Although higher in price, the committee believes that the additional expense is justified by the comprehensive functionality and benefits that will enhance our operations and improve efficiency county-wide. Noteworthy is the fact that the App that comes with the **FIRST DUE RMS** system would allow the Chiefs Association to no longer have to partner or pay for services from **IAR**. The **FIRST DUE RMS** application is able to notify the volunteers and staff with a much more robust interface. (Capable of Cad connection, member paging and pre plan data).

**Image Trend** was the committee's second choice. The city of Fayetteville currently uses this system, and its capabilities are similar but just did not score as high in interface and usability. **We would also have to continue to use IAR in conjunction with Image trend as there is not a solution for CAD interface for end users.**

**ESO** unanimously just did not stack up in any category in comparison to First due or Image Trend. The system was in our opinion overall not put together well, it was not user friendly or easy to run data driven reports.

*Brandon P. Hanzal*

Brandon P. Hanzal  
Asst. Chief SPFD  
RMS Committee Chairman

## **2024 – CCFCA Records Management Search Committee**

January 22, 2024

<b>2024 RMS COMMITTEE MEMBERS</b>					
<b>##</b>	<b>Com. Member</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>Department</b>	<b>Cell Pone</b>	<b>Email</b>
01	Brandon Hanzal	Asst. Chief - <b>Chair</b>	Stoney Point	910-987-9068	bhanzal@stonepointfire.com
02	Steve Parrish	Fire Chief – <b>V-Chair</b>	Cumberland Road	910-850-6730	Crfd501@nc.rr.com
03	David Dunn	Captain	Vander	910-818-3231	daviddunn@fayettevillenc.gov
04	Jonathan Faircloth	Asst. Chief	Spring Lake	910-818-8455	jfaircloth@townofspringlake.com
05	Jeremiah Williams	Asst. Chief	Stedman	262-930-1617	jwilliams@stedmanfire.com
06	Robert Hurlburt	Lieutenant	Hope Mills / GC18	910-309-1352	rhurlburt@townofhopemills.com
<b>COUNTY POC'S</b>					
07	Adam Johnson	9-1-1 Supervisor	Emergency Services	910-549-5285	ajohnson@cumberlandcountync.gov
08		IT Technician	Cumberland IT		
09	Gene Booth	Director	Emergency Services	910-850-8166	wbooth@cumberlandcountync.gov
<b>CCFCA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE</b>					
01	Freddy Johnson Sr.	President	Stoney Point	910-476-1301	fjohnsonsr@stonepointfire.com
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04	Freddy L. Johnson Jr.	Treasurer	Stoney Point	910-308-1721	Freddy.johnson@ncshp.gov
05	Kenneth Tatum	Chaplain	Vander	910-624-4043	darkentafarm@aol.com
<b>PARTNER COUNTIES</b>					
01	Chris Douglas	Asst. Fire Marshal	Hoke Emergency Services	910-691-8500	chdouglas@hokecounty.org
02	Richard Whiteside	Fire Chief	Puppy Creek FD	910-818-1243	admin@puppycreekfd.com
03	Travis Bunce	Asst. Chief	Puppy Creek FD	910-366-8921	Tbunce@puppycreekfd.com

### **MISSION CRITERIA FOR THE 2024 RECORDS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

1. **OBJECTIVE:** The primary objective of the SIX (6) member RMS Committee is to make a recommendation to replace the current Emergency Reporting RMS with a new state-of-the-art RMS that meets the specific needs and requirements of the Cumberland County Fire Chiefs Association.
2. **SCOPE:** The committee's scope should include evaluating various vendors, options, user friendliness, costs, and functionalities of potential RMS solutions. The newly recommended RMS should be suitable for county-wide implementation, catering to the needs of all departments and agencies currently using Emergency Reporting.

3. **VENDOR EVALUATION:** The committee should thoroughly research and evaluate multiple vendors, (ESO, Image Trent, First Due, & others) providing RMS solutions. Consideration should include their track record, experience, customer reviews, reputation, service support, implementation timelines, and scalability and most importantly the capturing of current historical ER records into the newly recommended RMS.
  4. **SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS:** The new RMS should integrate the required functionalities and features that improve emergency reporting efficiency. Areas to focus on may include Cloud based, incident tracking (NIFIRS), Incident Management, training, ISO, inventory management, inter-agency data sharing, management reporting and analysis tool capabilities, user interface and ease of use to mention a few. The committee should also take a close look at the possibility of incorporating or merging currently used notifications systems into new RMS systems if available. With our goal of implementing Digital Dispatch the new RMS must be compatible with our Computer Automated Dispatch (CAD) systems and interfaces.
  5. **USER FRIENDLINESS:** The committee should prioritize the ease of use and intuitive interface of the new RMS. It should be accessible to users with varying levels of technical expertise and should minimize training and onboarding time for all stakeholders.
  6. **COST ANALYSIS:** The committee should conduct a detailed county-wide bundled cost analysis for each potential RMS solution, considering both upfront costs and on-going recurring maintenance expenses. This analysis should also include potential cost savings or efficiencies that can be achieved through the implementation of the new RMS system.
  7. **COMPATIBILITY & INTEGRATION:** The committee should ensure that the new RMS integrates seamlessly with existing systems such currently in use CAD systems, mapping tools, and other relevant software utilized in emergency reporting. Compatibility with mobile (Freedom App or alike programs) will also be essential in working in the field during emergency incidents.
  8. **SECURITY AND DATA PRIVACY:** The committee should assess the security measures, data encryption protocols, and measures to ensure compliance with relevant laws and regulations concerning data privacy and confidentiality (HIPPA)
  9. **TIMELINE:** The committee should set clear timelines with milestones for evaluation, selection, and implementation of the new RMS. The objective should be to report your findings during the April 2024 CCFCA meeting in Stedman or earlier if possible. Another goal is to start the implementation of a new RMS about 90 days out from the ER RMS contract expiration date:
  10. **REPORTING:** The committee should provide regular updates on their progress, this can be accomplished by in person updates during the monthly CCFCA meeting, or via correspondence. The Committee Chair will notify the CCFCA Executive Committee of the dates and times of all Committee meetings, at the same time as committee members are notified.
- The *FINAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS* should include a comprehensive analysis of options considered, highlighting the benefits, and drawbacks of considered RMS along with costs for the Chiefs meeting.



I have talked with Fayetteville Interim Fire Chief Miguel Alvarez, and he indicated that the COF is happy with their current Image Trent RMS. Do follow-up with Captain J. Johnson FFD for Image Trent Demo.

For questions contact President Johnson at the above listed numbers.

# CCFCA Meeting - March 25, 2024

Fayetteville, NC

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Inter-Agency Incident Count for February 2024

POC: Freddy Johnson Sr., President

FDID - Department Name	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Beaver Dam Volunteer Fire Department (2)	23	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33
Bethany Volunteer Fire Department	45	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	74
Cotton Volunteer Fire Department	172	163	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	335
Cumberland Road Volunteer Fire Department	153	152	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	305
Eastover Volunteer Fire Department	82	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	140
Godwin-Falcon Volunteer Fire Department	38	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	66
Grays Creek #18, Volunteer Fire Department	49	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84
Grays Creek #24, Volunteer Fire Department	94	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	168
Hope Mills Fire Department	176	163	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	339
Pearce's Mill Volunteer Fire Department, Inc.	135	97	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	232
Spring Lake Fire Department (2)	132	119	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	251
Stedman Volunteer Fire Department, Inc.	62	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	103
Stoney Point Fire Department, Inc. (2)	169	156	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	325
Vander Volunteer Fire Department, Inc. (2)	118	125	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	243
Wade Community Volunteer Fire Department, Inc.	49	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	91
Westarea Volunteer Fire Department (3)	95	79	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	174
<b>Total</b>	<b>1592</b>	<b>1371</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2963</b>
Fayetteville (17)	2459	2153	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4612
<b>Combined Totals</b>	<b>4051</b>	<b>3524</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7575</b>

4

Only REVIEWED incidents included.  
Also known as Incidents by FDID Cross-tab.



## FFD - Number of Incidents within Districts

Incident District Number	Incident District Description	Calls within District
CC01	Eastover Fire Department	6
CC02	Vander Fire Department	16
CC03	Pearce's Mill Fire Department	15
CC04	Cotton Fire Department	1
CC05	Cumberland Road Fire Department	27
CC08	Cedar Creek Fire Department	1
CC13	Stoney Point Fire Department	6
CC15	Westarea Fire Department	3
CC18	Grays Creek Fire Department	1
CC19	Stoney Point Fire Department	2
CC20	Westarea Fire Department	2
CC21	Hope Mills Fire Department	7
CC22	Spring Lake Fire Department	4
CC23	Stedman Fire Department	1
CC24	Grays Creek Fire Department	1
FF01	Community Risk Reduction Zone 01	176
FF02	Community Risk Reduction Zone 02	89
FF03	Community Risk Reduction Zone 03	182
FF04	Community Risk Reduction Zone 04	179
FF05	Community Risk Reduction Zone 05	215
FF06	Community Risk Reduction Zone 06	164
FF07	Community Risk Reduction Zone 07	129
FF08	Community Risk Reduction Zone 08	139
FF09	Community Risk Reduction Zone 09	115
FF10	Community Risk Reduction Zone 10	4
FF11	Community Risk Reduction Zone 11	71
FF12	Community Risk Reduction Zone 12	87
FF13	Community Risk Reduction Zone 13	7
FF14	Community Risk Reduction Zone 14	170
FF15	Community Risk Reduction Zone 15	103
FF16	Community Risk Reduction Zone 16	63
FF17	Community Risk Reduction Zone 17	123
FF19	Community Risk Reduction Zone 19	44
MUA	Mutual Aid Outside of County	0
<b>Total:</b>		<b>2,153</b>

**Report Filters**

Basic Incident Alarm Date Time (Fd1.26): is equal to 'Last Month'

**Report Criteria**

Incident District Number: Is Not Blank  
 Basic Exposure (Fd1.6): Is Equal To 0

**Description**

Number of Incidents within Districts





Freddy Johnson <spfd1301@gmail.com>

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1 message

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Mon, Mar 25, 2024 at 4:10 AM



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Account Ending In: **6099**

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Posted balance:	\$325,095.91*
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Account:	Ending in 6099
Date:	03/25/2024

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## Position Information

**Position Title**      **Director of Fire and Emergency Rescue**

Fayetteville Technical Community College is seeking a highly motivated individual with exemplary leadership skills to serve as the Director of Fire and Emergency Rescue at the Dr. J. Larry Keen Regional Fire and Emergency Training Complex in Fayetteville, North Carolina. The 30-acre complex includes a 24,000 square-foot training center with classrooms, offices, simulation labs, locker rooms and three fire apparatus bays; a 140,000-gallon indoor swift water rescue tank; multiple burn buildings; trench collapse and confined space training; aircraft burn simulator; and grain bin and farm rescue area.

### **Announcement Summary**

The Director of Fire and Emergency Rescue oversees the establishment, sustainment and advancement of fire and emergency rescue training within the local and regional market through the development of strategic partnerships, the effective and efficient use of personnel, budgets, and resources, and a strict adherence to established professional standards to render the highest level of training capabilities to ensure the programs' success and the development of highly trained professionals who contribute to public safety.

**We offer a valuable benefits package that includes the following:**

NC State Health Plan  
NC State Retirement Plan  
Paid Leave  
Paid Holidays  
Cafeteria Plan (IRS Code Section 125)  
Educational Benefits  
Longevity  
TRICARE Supplement Benefits  
**Full-time employee benefits.**

Duties may include, but are not limited to, the following:

### **Duties**

- Monitor, oversee, and coordinate the development and revision of academic standards related to all Fire and Emergency Rescue courses and programs; ensure that such courses and programs comply with College policies, procedures, goals and objectives, as well as the highest State and Federal fire and emergency rescue standards.
- Coordinate with Fire and Emergency Rescue Academies, North Carolina Forest Service, local Fire and Emergency Rescue stations, NC Office of State Fire Marshal, North Carolina Community College System Regional Coordinator, and other state and federal agencies to develop a comprehensive

training plan to meet their organizational needs. (Travel to agencies is required)

- Ensure the submission and attainment of permits required for Fire and Emergency Rescue classes.
- Ensure that the Fire and Emergency Rescue program maintains accreditation of Fire/Rescue Training and Delivery Agency status for FTCC through the N.C. Department of Insurance (DOI), and the National Fire Academy (NFA).
- Attend conferences, workshops, and/or webinars presented by industry recognized organizations, and engage with industry recognized leaders and professionals to share best-practice experiences and knowledge related to fire, rescue and related training.
- Inspect alternative training locations when needed and work in conjunction with the Division of Air Quality and the Department of Public Health to secure areas in which students can conduct real time drills and training scenarios.
- Recruit, supervise, train, motivate, and evaluate faculty and administrative staff; establish and monitor employee performance objectives; prepare and present employee performance reviews; provide or coordinate staff training.
- Oversee and coordinate the operations of the delivery of instruction; monitor and evaluate workload; ensure the availability of adequate faculty, supplies and materials essential to the delivery of Fire and Emergency Rescue training programs; and evaluate policies and procedures to ensure compliance with industry standards.
- Develop and oversee a Fire and Rescue Equipment inspection and documentation process to ensure all training equipment meets safety standards and regulations.
- Participate in the marketing of Fire and Emergency Rescue classes to the community; develop brochures, fliers, newspaper and radio ads; recruit students; make presentations to the community, and industry contacts.
- Participate in the development and administration of the Fire and Emergency Rescue training budget; forecast and recommend additional funds needed for staffing, equipment, materials, and supplies; monitor and recommend approval of expenditures.
- Confer with and provide staff assistance and advice to the Associate Vice President; develop, prepare, and present recommendations and reports as requested.
- Oversee the Fire and Emergency Rescue facilities complex and coordinate with Facilities for maintenance and other needs to maintain.
- Resolve complaints or problems among faculty, staff, and students within the program/concentration area and advise supervisor(s) of potential escalation of problems, as appropriate.
- Visit and verify classes in accordance with the College Accountability Plan; monitor and ensure accuracy and timely submissions of all OSFM, NCCCS Fire, and FTCC compliance documents; and instructor and staff contracts and time sheets.

- Perform related duties as assigned.

An Associate's degree from an accredited institution in Fire Science or related field, N.C. Fire Officer III and N.C. Qualified Fire Instructor Level III or a Bachelor's degree in a related Fire or Emergency Management field of study.

**Minimum Qualifications**

Must be currently certified as a NC Firefighter, Driver/Operator, Technical Rescuer, Airport Firefighter, E.M.T. and Haz Mat Responder Level III.

OSFM NC School Director Qualification and Ten (10) years of experience as a NC Qualified Firefighter Instructor, Driver Operator Instructor, and Airport Firefighter Instructor.

Ten (10) years Fire Service Training Program Management experience.

**Preferred Requirements**

**Full or Part Time** Full Time

**College Pay Scale** Minimum starting salary \$62,638.00 annually

**Number of Months** 12

**Employee Benefits** NC State Health Plan  
 NC State Retirement Plan  
 Paid Leave  
 Paid Holidays  
 Cafeteria Plan (IRS Code Section 125)  
 Educational Benefits  
 Longevity  
 TRICARE Supplement Benefits

**Posting Number** S13-24

**Posting Detail Information**

**EEO Statement** The Fayetteville Technical Community College is an Equal Opportunity Educational Institution/Employer.

**Close Date**

**Open Until Filled** Yes



***Screening of applications will begin immediately, and the position will remain open until filled.***

**Special  
Instructions to  
Applicants**

NOTE: All applicants under consideration for employment at Fayetteville Technical Community College will be required to complete a consent form that allows FTCC to conduct a criminal background check on your behalf so that you may be considered further for the position for which you have applied.

***Three (3) Professional References Are Required.***

## FTCC

**Daytime FF Academy**  
Mon – Fri 9am – 5pm  
FTCC Fire Training Complex

220070-HAZMAT LEVEL I OPS 03/25/2024 03/29/2024 M-F 9A-5P FRTF 117

221757-FIRE INVESTIGATION TECHNICIAN 03/18/2024 – 04/05/2024  
M-F,M-F 8A-5P

221969-TR FIXED ROPES 03/22/2024 – 03/25/2024 M,F 9A-5P FRTC 117

220070-HAZMAT LEVEL I OPS 03/25/2024 – 03/29/2024 M-F 9A-5P FRTF 117

221979-TR HORIZONTAL SYSTEMS 03/26/2024 – 03/27/2024 T,W 9A-5P FRTC 117

221980-TR LOWERS AND RAISES 03/28/2024 – 03/29/2024 TH,F 9A-5P FRTC 117

221754-D/O PUMPS INTRO AND BASIC OPS 04/01/2024 – 04/10/2024  
M,T,W,F,T 9A-5P FRTC 117

221755-D/O PUMPS HYDRAULICS & WATER SUPPLY 04/15/2024 – 04/23/2024  
M,T,W,F,T 9A-5P

FRTC 117

221981-TR VICTIM MGMT 04/02/2024 – 04/04/2024 T,TH 9A-5P FRTC 117

222271-TR TRENCH BLOCK 04/08/2024 – 04/14/2024 M-SU 8A-6P FRTC 120

222345-TR CONFINED SPACE 04/22 /2024 – 04/28/2024 M-SU 8A-6P FRTC 116

221756-D/O PUMPS SPR SPS TEST 04/25/2024 – 05/02/2024 TH,F,T,TH 9A-5P  
FRTC 117

223812-TR HELICOPTER TRANSPORT 4/29/2024 – 4/29/2024 M 9A-5P FRTC 117

223814-TR HEALTH & WELLNESS 4/30/2024 – 4/30/2024 T 9A-5P FRTC 117

222655-FF FIREGROUND OPS 8 05/01/2024 – 05/13/2024 W,M,W,S,M 630P-1030P /  
9A-5P FRTC 117

222660-TR VEHICLE RESCUE OPS 05/06/2024 – 05/06/2024 M 9A-5P FRTC 116

222672-TR VEHICLE ANATOMY 05/07/2024 – 05/07/2024 T 9A-5P FRTC 116

222675-TR VEHICLE STABILIZATION 05/08/2024 – 05/09/2024 W,TH 9A-5P FRTC  
116

222682-TR VEHICLE LARGE RESCUE 05/10/2024 – 05/10/2024 F 9A-5P FRTC 116

222683-TR VEHICLE VICTIM MGMT 05/13/2024 – 05/14/2024 M,T 9A-5P FRTC 116

222684-TR MACHINE & AG FRTC 05/20/2024 – 05/24/2024  
116

M,F 8A-5P FRTC

**Fire and Rescue Instructor I** (31 hours) Regional Fire Training Center  
April 2, 3 & 4 09-1700  
April 5 09-1600

**Fire and Rescue Instructor II** (46 hours) Regional Fire Training Center  
April 8 through 12 09-1700  
April 15 09-1500

**Daytime Fire Academy** Regional Training Facility May 28 (Start Date). Please pre-register so the staff can get a headcount.

**\*\*Pre Registration required\*\***

Contact 910 486 7470 to reserve your seat.

**DRIVER-OPERATOR PUMPS – Cumberland Road Fire Department**

**Introduction to Pumps/Basic Pumps**

DATE	CLASS TIMES	CLASS HOURS
Wednesday, April 3, 2024	1800-2100 Hours	3
Saturday, April 6, 2024	0900-1700 Hours	7
Wednesday, April 10, 2024	1800-2100 Hours	3
Saturday, April 13, 2024	0900-1700 Hours	7
Wednesday, April 17, 2024	1800-2100 Hours	3
Sunday, April 21, 2024	0900-1700 Hours	7
Wednesday, April 24, 2024	1800-2100 Hours	3
Sunday, April 28, 2024	0900-1700 Hours	7
Total Class Hours		40

**Robeson Community College**

**EMERGENCY SERVICES TRAINING CENTER 2023 FALL DAYTIME FIREFIGHTER ACADEMY**

Academy is based on the NFPA 1001 2019 All classes will be held at the training center. Firefighter Edition RCC ESTC, 5825 South Roberts Avenue, Lumberton, NC

**2023 FALL EVENING FIREFIGHTER ACADEMY**

3048 **Block 9 Fireground Ops** 8 24 hrs March 26, 27, April 2, 4, 8, 11

3050 **Block 12 Fire and Life Safety Initiatives** 28 hrs April 15, 17, 23, 25, 30, May 2, 7

3051 **Block 11 Rescue Ops** 28 hrs May 9, 14, 16, 21, 23, 29, 30

6413 **Block 13 Mayday & Safety and Survival** 24 hrs June 3, 5, 10, 12, 17, 19

7000 **TIMS** 4 hrs June 25

7001 **Emergency Medical Care** 12 hrs June 27, July 2, 9

3049 **Fireground Ops 9 Fire Control** 40 hrs July 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 29, 31, Aug. 5, 7, 12

5556 **Hazmat Ops** 36 hrs Aug. 15, 20, 22, 27, 29, Sept. 3, 5, 10, 12

**Firefighter Ops 5 (FIP3045/certification)** Pine Terrace Fire Department March 19, 21, April 2, 4, 16, 18, 30, May 7, 9, 2024. Class starts at 1800 hrs. each evening.

**Firefighter Ops 8 (FIP3048/certification)** Britt's Fire Department March 5, 7, 12, 14, 26, 28, 2024. Class starts at 1800 hrs. each evening.

**Firefighter Ops 6 (FIP3048/certification)** Whitehouse Fire Department April 8, 9, 11, 22, 23, 25, 29, 2024. Class starts at 1800 hrs. each evening.

**Firefighter Ops 2 (FIP3042/certification)** Fairmont Rural Fire Department May 2, 13, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28, 2024. Class starts at 1800 hrs. each evening.

## **Sandhills Community College**

**Fireground Ops 4** at HCHS Mar. 26, 28, April 9, 11, 13\*, 16, 18 (See below for times)

**Chief 101** at HILLCREST FD April 6 @ 0900

**Traffic Incident Management (TIMS)** at HCHS April 23 @ 1830

**Emergency Vehicle Driver (EVD)** at HCHS April 22, 25, 27\*, 29, 30 (See below for times)

Countywide Training at HCHS

May 20th @ 1900

**D/O PUMPS SERIES - AT HILLCREST FD**

**Introduction/ Basic Operations** June 11, 13, 15\*, 18, 20, 25, 27, 29\*

**Hydraulics & Water Supply** July 9, 11, 13\*, 16, 18, 20\*, 23, 25

**Sprinklers, Standpipes, Maintenance & Testing** August 6, 8, 11\*, 13, 15, 20, 22

WEEKDAY classes are 1830-2230, WEEKENDS\* 0830-1730



## National Fire Academy Courses In North Carolina

**NFA0647 NFA Leadership in Supervision: Perspectives in Thinking** 04/09/2024  
04/10/2024 Davidson County Thomasville 04/10/2024

**NFA0648 NFA Leadership in Supervision: Framework to Success** 04/11/2024  
04/12/2024 Davidson County Thomasville 04/12/2024

**NFA0646 NFA Leadership in Supervision: Creating Environments for Professional Growth** 04/07/2024 - 04/08/2024 Davidson County Thomasville  
04/08/2024

## WEBCASTS

### Firehouse

<https://www.firehouse.com/webcasts>

## EMS CONED DATES

**County Fire 13:** April 16, May 21, June 18, Aug 20, Sept 17, Oct 15, Nov 19 (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month)

**County Fire 18:** April 23, May 28, June 25, Aug 27, Sept 24, Oct 22, Nov 26 (4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month)

### **County Fire 21: (3 days month on shift days A, B, C shifts)**

March 29th

April 2nd, 5th, 19th

May 7th, 10th, 31st

June 4th, 7th, 21st

Aug 6th, 9th, 23rd

Sept 3rd, 6th, 13th

Oct 1st, 4th, 25th

Nov 5th, 8th, 29th

## TENDER TASK FORCE COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

**ATTENDEES:** Chief Bass (Westarea), Chief Marsh (Grays Creek 24) Captain Belcher (Stoney Point Representative), Jason Haluski (Captain, Westarea) and Kevin Murphy (Assistant Chief, Stoney Point, Committee Chair).

**PURPOSE:** The committee convened at Stoney Point March 4<sup>th</sup> to discuss the size of the current tender task force and to address the potential of multiple tender task forces within the county. Feedback received by the committee from chiefs indicated that the existing tender task force may be too large for the needs of the county fire departments and that a smaller task force delivering less water may be more applicable.

**DISCUSSION:** A concept that included two tender task forces, one west of Route 95 and one east of Route 95 each capable of delivering at least 12,000 gallons of water to the fire scene was introduced to the committee. If the requirement exceeded 12,000 gallons, fire chiefs would have the option to request the remaining tender task force to augment. Concerns surfaced concerning tenders being requested from units that may already be dispatched on the initial alarm and the potential that the requested tender may not be available or unable to move, and that many fire departments use tenders from other counties. Further discussion followed. Chief Bass stated that the fire chief should designate the configuration of the tender task force as he has the resident knowledge of what he needs and that several departments utilized out-of-county tenders for fire suppression needs. Discussion followed and the majority of the committee agreed with this idea.

The outcome was for each chief to identify their respective tender task force units, reflect this on their run cards, and have dispatch load this information into CAD. An example would be Stoney Point's tender task force, which would include tenders from Grays Creek 18, Big Marsh, Parkton, and Lumber Bridge. This task force would be designated "Tender Task Force 13" and the information would be loaded into CAD. When the Stoney Point IC would request TF 13, the designated units would be dispatched.

Pro's and con's were discussed. Concern was raised that dispatchers may not be trained or aware of this task force in CAD and that issues may arise during times of need. Also raised was the potential that all the information may not be entered into CAD due to lack of oversight. These issues reside outside of the committee and need address at higher levels if the idea is accepted by the chiefs.

The inclusion of anticipated new tenders arriving early 2025 was also discussed. Obviously, these new tenders would be included and the task forces would need to be altered to accommodate them.

The importance of drilling with the existing and future tender task forces was discussed at length. Chief Bass stated that, quarterly, Harnett County exercises their tender task force. The benefits of this idea were discussed with the recommendation that the Training Committee take this for action.

The need for a water supply officer for tender task force operations was raised. Dispatching a water supply officer with the deploying task force was discussed. The committee agreed that

the host fire department requesting the tender task force should provide the water supply officer as they have the most knowledge of their respective area (water points, road network).

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

Fire Chiefs should review and staff the new concept and provide feedback to the committee no later than May 1<sup>st</sup>.

Fire Chiefs should review and designate their desired tenders on their respective tender task force.



## **Cumberland Road Fire Department Inc.**

**3543 Cumberland Road  
Fayetteville, North Carolina 28306  
910-425-3119**

### **For Sale**

Hurst MOC Ultra Cutter \* Hurst ML-28 Defender Spreader \* Hurst T-59 Telescoping RAM

Hurst T-41 Telescoping RAM \* Hurst JL-4G Trimo Pump \* P650 SG Pump

Hannay Reel with 50' Hose (Orange) \* Hannay Reel with 50' Hose (Blue)

2 each 30' Hose 1-Orange 1-Blue \* All with Streamline Couples \* Set of Hurst Chains

Any questions you may call Chief Parrish (910) 850-6730 or Deputy Chief Spiller (910) 309-5705

**\$12,500.00**





# Stedman Fire Department

# BBQ

## Fundraiser

**Bake  
Sale**



### SOUTHERN COALS

COUNTRY STYLE KITCHEN

BBQ PLATE  
**\$10**

Pay \$12 per plate and get a bag of ice

## Saturday April 13, 2024

## BBQ Plate Sale 11am until 6pm

### 5256 Front Street Stedman, NC 28391

### FOR MORE INFO CALL 910-729-0873





## Upcoming Clinic

### May 8-9, 2024 | Cumberland County

Wills for Heroes is a free legal clinic offered by the North Carolina Bar Foundation in which volunteer attorneys draft simple wills, health care power of attorney, advance directives, and financial power of attorney documents for active and sworn first responders and their families, free of charge. First responders and their spouses eligible for the Wills for Heroes clinic include firefighters, law enforcement officers, and EMS personnel.

Learn more about the services that the Wills for Heroes clinic can and cannot provide at:  
<https://www.ncbarfoundation.org/our-programs/wills-for-heroes/>

Wills for Heroes clinics are conducted in a part virtual/part in-person format. The in-person client meetings will take place at **Fayetteville Fire Station 12, 911 Hope Mills Rd., Fayetteville, NC 28304**. Questions? Email us at [wfh@ncbar.org](mailto:wfh@ncbar.org).

**WHEN:** May 8-9, 2024

#### **TWO REQUIRED CLIENT SESSIONS**

- **By appointment May 8, 2024, 9:00 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. (via Zoom) |** Meet with a volunteer attorney via Zoom to prepare your documents.
- **Drop-in on May 9, 2024, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. |** Meet with a notary in person to review and execute your documents at **Fayetteville Fire Station 12** 911 Hope Mills Rd., Fayetteville, NC 28304.

**REGISTER HERE:** <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/wills-for-heroes-clinic-cumberland-county-registration-869327360537>

(Registration opens April 8<sup>th</sup> at 8am)