



**MINUTES**  
**FIRE PREVENTION ASSOCIATION of NEVADA**  
**Wednesday, July 25, 2012**

**Location:** Las Vegas: College of Southern Nevada-Cheyenne Campus  
North Reno: Regional Training Center  
Elko: Great Basin College

**Attendees:** Available Upon Request

Meeting was called to order at 13:05 by FPAN President Reggie McCollins.

**VISITORS**

No visitors were present but some members that have not been seen in awhile. Welcome back and thank you for attending!

**ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES**

A motion was made by Lucas Bartlett to accept the minutes from the May 16, 2012 meeting and seconded by Keith Barkow. With no objections, the motion carried.

**TREASURER REPORT** - *Sylvia Lee*

Sylvia was absent; President McCollins gave the report. The bank account amount is available upon request to Association members.

**MEMBER AGENCY**

**International Fire Marshals Association**  
**National Code Services Association**  
**International Code Council**  
**National Fire Protection Association**

We welcome any suggestions for any presentations.

The Nevada Fire Chiefs Association is working on the development of a state-wide fire sprinkler coalition. FPAN has been asked to provide a representative to be part the coalition. We would like to have a member from the Sprinkler industry to represent FPAN on this coalition. Please e-mail Reggie at [rncollins@lasvegasnevada.gov](mailto:rncollins@lasvegasnevada.gov) if you are interested.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

#### **Fireworks - *Dennis Bergquist***

Dennis was absent; so no report was given. Reggie commented that there were no structure fires caused by fireworks on July 4<sup>th</sup>; however there was one the next day in an apartment complex on Karen Ave.

Kris White noted that there is zero fireworks enforcement from police and/or fire departments. Citations should be issued and/or the illegal fireworks should be confiscated at the least.

#### **Training - *Ed Kaminski***

Ed was absent; so Reggie spoke about training. Two classes were recently held. One of those classes was "Firefight Safety and Codes". This was a free class provided by the IAFF and we were very surprised at the small attendance.

As a chapter of ICC, we are offered two free training classes, that count for CEUs, annually. The membership will be provided with a list of those classes. Please submit your suggestions via email of the classes you would like to see given.

Don Wilkins and Terry Taylor are working on a class that will be presented August 23, 2012 at Las Vegas Fire & Rescue's Training Center (633 N. Mojave Rd – just north of Bonanza). This class will be teaching a statewide unified inspection procedure for Elderly and Group Care Homes.

#### **Public Education – *Bev Bolton***

August is "Back to School" month. On Saturday, August 18, 2012 from 0800-1200, there will be "Back to School Fair" on CSN Cheyenne Campus. This may be a good venue to advertise FPAN, pass out fire safety and educational information to the children and also help those children with school supplies. Are any members interested in donating school items for the cause or volunteering at the event?

Kris White said OfficeMax is giving away pencils when you make a purchase there. You can offer to donate them to a school if you would like.

#### **Website – *Sylvia Lee***

Sylvia was absent; so no report was given. Reggie asked those who visit the website their opinions. The feedback about the website was positive.

### **ByLaws – Steve Dieter**

Steve was absent; Shannon gave the report. Most bylaw committee members are also on the Sesame Street committee. With all the work that was needed for Sesame Street, the bylaws project was temporarily sidelined. The committee is about 75% done and just needs a little more time. They anticipate being completed by the September meeting. The updated bylaws will then go to the board, IFMA and ICC to make sure we are in compliance, and then to the members.

### **Sesame Street – Steve Dieter**

Steve was absent so Bev and Reggie gave the report. This year we put on a good program but, however due to some unexpected expenditure's we came out on the negative side of making a profit. We are looking forward to improving and profiting on next year's program – but the main focus will be on a good product.

### **ASSOCIATION CORRESPONDENCE**

All emails are screened prior to forwarding them out. This is done in an effort to only send out ones of importance and to not overburden members with duplicate emails.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

**Membership Dues** – No discussion.

### **Elections –**

The positions of FPAN Vice-President and Treasurer are up for election. We will be pushing back the nominations to the September meeting.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Fred spoke about the “The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Operation FireH.E.A.T. Charity Raffle Benefiting Southern Nevada Children”. This a high end raffle in which you can win prizes valued from \$500 - \$54,955 (see the flyer at the end of the minutes). Operation FireH.E.A.T. is a Southern Nevada charity that replaces toys and assists children and their families that suffer catastrophic fire losses during the holidays. Our own, President McCollins plays Santa on the deliveries. More information about the charity and the raffle can be found at [www.OperationFireHEAT.org](http://www.OperationFireHEAT.org) or [www.facebook.com/OperationFireHEAT](https://www.facebook.com/OperationFireHEAT).

### **GOOD AND WELFARE FOR THE ASSOCIATION**

Reggie thanked the members present for their attendance. It seems attendance continues to drop. We are trying to improve the Association and one such improvement is training at each meeting. If you have any suggestions, please e-mail Reggie ([rmccollins@lasvegasnevada.gov](mailto:rmccollins@lasvegasnevada.gov)).

**ADJOURNMENT**

Reggie made a motion to adjourn at 13:58 and was seconded by Kris White. Meeting adjourned. No training was given at this meeting.

Next FPAN meeting: September 19, 2012.

**3RD ANNUAL**  
**OPERATION FIREHEAT**  
HOLIDAY EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE TEAM  
Charity Raffle Benefiting Southern Nevada Children

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(702)396-3209

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(702)648-7775

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