



NORTH CAROLINA FIRE MARSHAL'S ASSOCIATION

"Dedicated to the Saving of Life and Property Through Fire Prevention"

NC Fire Marshal's
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Clinton, NC 28328

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2020

Tony Smart (E)

D. Banks Wallace (C)

Taylor Marsh (W)

**Quarterly Meeting
Executive Board
Winterville, NC
August 12, 2020**

ATTENDANCE

**Jerry Cashwell
Eric Wiseman
Charlie Johnson
Jason Shepherd
Tony Smart**

**Sampson County
Wake Forest
OSFM
Orange County
Winterville**

ATTENDANCE ELECTRONIC

**Jeff Payne
David Conrad
Taylor Marsh
Colin Triming
Banks Wallace
Randy Jones
Justin Ward
Wayne Hamilton
Brian Taylor
Brian Kelly
Shandy Padgett**

**Asheville
Charlotte
Watauga County
Charlotte
Harnett County
Lenoir County
Hendersonville
NC Building Code Council
NC OSFM
Jacksonville
Morrisville**

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August 12, 2020**

Minutes

Meeting to called to order at 10:09 by NCFMA President Eric Wiseman.
President Wiseman welcomed those in attendance.
Invocation by NCFMA President Eric Wiseman.

Minutes of the January 31, 2020 meeting in Concord were presented and reviewed. Motion by Banks Wallace, second by Jeff Payne to accept the minutes. Motion carried.

Treasure's report prepared by NCFMA Treasurer Adam Cloninger and presented by NCFMA President Eric Wiseman. Motion to accept the report by Jeff Payne, second by Justin Ward and the motion was approved.

NCFMA President Eric Wiseman advised he had discussed with Allison Sikes from Strategy Performance LLC an issue regarding the new website and reviewed the substance of the conversation regarding members account records. An hourly rate aside from the contract will be charged in an effort to get the member account records accurate and up to date. Allison has been working closely with Adam and David Conrad on the new website. The launch date for the new member's portal will be released this week. There were no comments from the floor.

NCFMA President Eric Wiseman discussed the efforts to document the inventory of the Association and indicated the documentation would be shared on **One Drive**.

COCO Board representative – (no report on the status)

REPORTS

OSFM-Brian Taylor - Charlie Johnson

The office reopened June 15 with regards to the pandemic, however employees may telework.
The Commissioner is continuing to meet with 2 counties each week.
Inspectors from OSFM are still active in Brunswick County following the Hurricane as well as Sparta following the Earthquake.
Cliff Isaac will be leaving OSFM to take a new position in Fayetteville.
The Department of Public Instruction, safety inspectors, will now be operating out of OSFM.
National Fire Academy, North Carolina weekend will be November 21-22, 2020.
The second FIT class will be held in September at the State Training Center in Stanley.
BCBS distribution grants for low budget fire departments is nearing completion.
Kathy Williams will be retiring October 1, 2020.

North Carolina Building Code Council – Wayne Hamilton

Advised the upcoming meeting dates in Raleigh.
Discussed Carbon Monoxide recommendations.
BCC committee meetings will be August 31ST with the council meeting September 1ST.

The remaining Board Reports as presented in the packet were reviewed by the Board with no additional comments or questions.

**Education Committee - Tony Smart
(See Attachment)**

Tony Smart advised Con-Ed had been pushed to the Spring of 2021 due to the pandemic.

Tony discussed remote learning if the pandemic prevented meeting for Con-Ed classes.

Brian Kelly discussed technical challenges with remote learning as it relates to web-based Con-Ed.

Jerry Cashwell discussed offering fire investigator training as well as inspector Con-Ed classes in 2021.

Jerry Cashwell also discussed those that had registered and paid for Con-Ed classes that were cancelled. Those individuals would be credited or refunded.

Jason Shepherd discussed possibly filming the Con-Ed classes with a limited audience and then posting them.

**Legislative-Jason Shepherd
(See Attachment)**

Jason discussed the report and potential fireworks legislation. He recommended we address reasonable legislation with regards to fireworks to ensure we have a part in the crafting of legislation should it be presented again in the future.

**Technology Committee - Brian Kelly
(See Attachment)**

Eric Wiseman discussed looking and researching the best option for audio and video equipment instead of just purchasing a mic to be used in future meetings.

Eric also discussed email addresses for those serving the association are still being addressed.

**Code Revision- Colin Triming
(See Attachment)**

Colin advised the meeting, which will be held next Wednesday will be lengthy and the committee has multiple issue to discuss.

**Fire Investigations Committee- Eric Wiseman
No Report – No Activity**

**Nominating Committee
No Report**

Eric Wiseman advised he needed members to serve on the committee.

**Scholarship Committee
(See Attachment)**

**Audit Committee- Geoff Woolard
(See Attachment)**

Presidents Items

Eric Wiseman discussed the need to create a bereavement policy for the Association.

NCFMA President Eric Wiseman and Alison Sikes (attending on-line) discussed electronic voting and officer elections due to the pandemic. Allison indicated she has been working with Adam on nearly 800 membership records. Allison and Eric both indicated ensuring the accuracy of the membership records is critical to enable on-line voting.

Jeff Payne offered a motion to establish a temporary amendment to the By-Laws to permit remote voting. The motion received a second from Banks Wallace. The motion carried.

Nominations for Honorary Lifetime Membership were discussed. Tony Smart offered a motion to present Ronnie Marsh and Thomas Bender with Honorary Lifetime Memberships to the Association. A second was offered by Taylor Marsh. The motion carried and both will be presented the Membership at the November meeting.

NCFMA President Eric Wiseman discussed the sudden passing of Dan Austin. A scholarship fund has been set up for Dan's Children. Charlie advised information is forthcoming.

Banks Wallace offered a motion to adjourn, second by Jeff Payne and the motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 11:37.

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BALANCE SHEET SUMMARY

As of August 11, 2020

	TOTAL
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Bank Accounts	76,623.53
Other Current Assets	340.00
Total Current Assets	\$76,963.53
TOTAL ASSETS	\$76,963.53
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Total Liabilities	
Equity	76,963.53
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$76,963.53

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No Report as the April meeting was cancelled. The next meeting is scheduled for August 12th at the Department of Insurance Building in Raleigh.

Submitted 7/16/20 by Paul J Padgett.

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Dear NC Fire Marshal's Association,

On May 20, 2020 – via phone

- A new mission statement was approved for the CFI Board
- There will be a new template that will be coming out soon for new Re-Cert application.
- There will also be 2 new tiers out for training for the new Re-Cert process.
- For new CFI applications there were: 2-denied / 2-pending / 7-approved
- For Re-Cert applications there were: 0-denied / 2-pending / 12-approved
- **NCFIT must be taken before applying for CFI application process.**

It was asked that if the NCFIT is the only accepted requirement that OSFM increase the number of classes taught.

On July 2, 2020 there was a meeting of the training committee for the classes from courses and conferences to be added into a tier for the Re-Cert process.

Next CFI Board meeting will be July 21, 2020 and I will update with another letter.

Scott Merritt

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Due to the Covid-19 pandemic and subsequent requirement for social distancing, the last NC Code Officials Qualification Board meeting held in person at the NC Department of Insurance Building was conducted January 28, 2020. On March 16, 2020, an "Emergency" Board meeting was conducted via teleconference. On April 3, 2020, an "Emergency" Board was conducted via teleconference. The regular scheduled meeting conducted on April 28, 2020, was held via teleconference as was a "Special" Board meeting conducted on May 19, 2020. The regular scheduled Board meeting on July 28, 2020, was also conducted via teleconference. This report reflects a summary of business conducted of the aforementioned meetings.

March 16, 2020 meeting:

Due to travel restrictions of jurisdictions CE requirements extended. Twelve (12) hours of CE must be obtained by June 30, 2021. Renewal fees still required by June 30, 2020.

April 3, 2020 meeting:

PSI testing centers closed on March 19, 2020.

Temporary Certificates to be issued to any probationary certificate holder who has or had an active probationary certificate as of March 12, 2020 through December 31, 2020. The temporary certificate would be issued without application, to the individuals for the same level and trade. It will expire as of March 12, 2021. If the code official does not want the certificate, it can be returned within thirty (30) days of issue. A temporary certificate is not extendable or renewable.

April 28, 2020 meeting:

Jonathan Morgan, CEO from the Town of Morrisville Inspection Department received his fifth level III certificate. Mr. Morgan received his Standard Electrical III on February 18, 2020.

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April 28, 2020 meeting (continued):

PSI testing center in Winston-Salem re-opened on April 13, 2020 to provide testing for essential services which includes code enforcement and inspections. The rest of the PSI testing centers are scheduled to re-open on May 1, 2020, but this may need to change to adjust to any governmental order or policy for public safety.

Community Colleges still closed. No standard courses have occurred since March 14, 2020.

Work on Residential Changeout Inspector program continues. Work is on-going for development of a course and certification test.

Teri Tart has been training an additional NCDOT Staff member to assist in the processing of standard and probationary applications.

Due to the uncertainty of this time and the extra challenges presented by Covid-19, Kathy Williams announced postponement of her retirement.

January 22, 2020 through April 25, 2020 Passing Rates and Average scores for FI, FII, and FIII;
FI: 54.7% Passing, Average Score: 69.3
FII: 61.1% Passing, Average Score: 73.3
FIII: 80.0% Passing, Average Score: 77.4

Number of Standard and Pre-Qualification applications received this quarter was lower due to Covid-19.

86 Probationary Certificates expired this quarter without the CEO completing all requirements for a Standard Certificate. Fire I, II, and III: 30.

Standard Online Instructor Course was completed with two (2) new Instructors; Mr. Josh Queen (Fire) and Mr. Matthew Sullivan (Law and Administration).

Currently 4,836 standard certificates out of 6,455 have met CE requirements for 2020 (74.9%).

All DOI Staff working from home.

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May 19, 2020 meeting

Residential Changeout Inspector (RCI) course development. The RCI committee decided to use a 4-hour online component which is required to complete before attending the 4-day classroom portion of the course.

Rich Hall is working with Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) to perform end-of-course and state exam psychometrics and this form would be used for those participating in the project. Kathy Williams stated that the Chairman or a representative for the Board needed to sign the form.

The Staff Director of the NC Code Officials Qualification Board to sign the Non-Disclosure and Confidentiality Agreement as the Board representative.

July 28, 2020 meeting

NCDOI Staff is now working on individual schedules remotely and in the office. During May and part of June, staff worked two days in the office and three days remotely at home. On June 15, 2020, the Albemarle building reopened to the public and the entire staff returned to the office on a full-time basis. On July 10, 2020, the Commissioner of Insurance allowed employees to assess their specific needs and comfort level and select their working schedule. Committee meetings, public hearings and board meetings are being held by teleconference.

Some community colleges are offering classroom courses. A few standard courses have been held since the coronavirus pandemic began. Course registrations are minimized to maintain social distancing.

Temporary Certificates were issued On April 20, 2020 for the same level and trade as the Probationary Certificate with the applicable expiration date. The Temporary Certificate is not extendable or renewable. Staff worked with the NCDOI IT staff to handle the specialized programming needed to make these changes happen.

Work on the Residential Changeout Inspector program continues. Beth Williams is running point on this committee and has completed a large amount of work. Rich Hall is working with subject matter experts to develop the standard course

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and state exam questions. The course will be a hybrid which includes online and classroom sections. The course will cover mechanical, plumbing and electrical aspects of the change out of like-for-like appliances.

With the execution of the emergency rule regarding expiring probationary certificates, temporary rule making began as well. The public hearing for the temporary was held May 6 and the rules were approved and effective July 1, 2020.

The second-year extension has been exercised with PSI. The extension of the contract allows for development of the new Residential Changeout Inspector certification and testing which will become a part of a new RFP in the future. Kathy Williams reviewed the components of the RFP with a working group in DOI for future submittal and posting. A draft should be ready for the October board meeting.

The entire NCDOI website has been reconstructed and has a new look. Each division has been redesigned and OSFM is currently under reconstruction. Terri Tart is participating in this effort.

NCDOI Staff worked with Charlie Johnson, NCDOI Fire code consultant, to prepare a survey regarding firefighters who seek fire inspector certifications for promotional purposes. The survey was sent to all paid and volunteer municipal departments. Over 1,200 emails were sent across the state and approximately 170 responses were received. Even though the response rate was low, it was evident that most municipal fire departments do not perform fire inspections even if they use the fire inspection program as a promotional tool. Some respondents did ask for some type of general fire/building code awareness training for their firefighters.

Terri Tart continues to train an additional NCDOI staff member to assist in the processing of standard and probationary applications. Kathy Williams has worked with Sam Whittington regarding the preparation for board meetings, agendas, and staff reports.

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July 28, 2020 meeting (continued)

Kathy Williams announced that she has rescheduled her retirement for October 1, 2020.

April 26, 2020 through July 23, 2020 Passing Rates and Average scores for FI, FII, and FIII;

FI: 57.1% Passing, Average Score: 69.3

FII: 66.7% Passing, Average Score: 73.3

FIII: 100.0% Passing, Average Score: 77.4

Comparison of Passing Rates and Average Scores by Quarter and Year

Percentage Passing 2 nd Quarter	Percentage Passing 2020FY
FI 57.1	52.2
FII 66.7	64.6
FIII 100	92.8

Average Score 2 nd Quarter	Average Score 2020FY
FI 69.3	68.6
FII 73.3	73.7
FIII 77.4	79.3

Due to the COVID-19 the number of standard and pre-qualification applications received this past quarter is slightly lower. Jurisdictions are still hiring new inspectors currently, but in smaller numbers.

67 Probationary Certificates expired this quarter without the CEO completing all requirements for a Standard Certificate. Fire I, II, and III: 18.

Active Certificates as of July 24, 2020

FI, FII, and FIII	Probationary; 830	Standard; 2200	Limited; 9	Total; 3,039
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Currently 5,761 standard certificates out of 6,455 have met CE requirements for 2020 (89.25%).

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Effective April 20, 2020. 362 Temporary Certificates were issued to a code official who had or has a probationary certificate with an expiration date between March 12, 2020 through December 31, 2020. This Temporary certificate expires on March 12, 2021 for the same trade and level as the probationary certificate with an applicable expiration date. This certificate is not renewable or extendable. No application was needed for this action.

Some code officials will have an active Probationary certificate and an active Temporary certificate than run for most of this time period. The purpose of this certificate is to allow code officials time to take required courses and exams that are not available at this time due to COVID-19.

6,096 standard and limited certificates were renewed between 5/1/2020 and 6/30/2020. Also received were 298 late renewals for a total renewal of 6,394. CE was not a requirement for renewal this year due to the Board action. However, 12 hours of CE per certificate will be required by June 30, 2021 for renewal purposes.

Standard Online Instructor Course was completed with five new instructors. Christopher Whaley (Building), Christopher Wilcox (Fire), Daniel Pope (Building & Electrical), Daniel McKenzie (Fire), and Andrew Tallmer (Law and Admin).

Davidson County Community College held a Law and Admin course that was offered both online and face-to-face (simultaneously). Elizabeth Kilby, (Education Coordinator) for DCCC, helped to facilitate the course using Zoom for those students who chose to attend the course virtually. The rest of the students attended the course at Davidson County Community College with the instructor and Kilby. Social distancing guidelines were in place. Kilby stated that overall the course was a huge success, despite a few minor setbacks with getting the course up and running. The students appreciated having the options to attend the course. The success/pass rate was high. All students, except for one (seated in the face-to-face course) passed the End-of-Course (EOC) test. The EOC test was administered via Moodle and proctored by Kilby and the instructor both via online and in the classroom. Course evaluations can be provided upon request.

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July 28, 2020 meeting (continued)

Megan Smit (Education Coordinator) and Matt Love (Standard Course Instructor) for Rowan- Cabarrus Community College has developed an online version for the Building Level III Standard Certificate Course. Registration is open and the course will begin in the fall.

Currently Curt Miller (Education Coordinator) and Stacey Miller (Instructor) for Wilkes Community College are currently collaborating to develop an Electrical Standard Certificate Level I course. As they move forward, they would like to develop more. Curt mentioned they would like to use MS Teams to teach the course synchronously in addition to using Moodle/Respondus to administer the EOC exam.

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas K. Bender

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1. Educational Committee conversed via email/phone and decided with the COVID-19 concerns that the annual conference would be postponed until November of 2021. More information to follow as the pandemic evolves or subsides.

2. Spring Continuing Education Classes to be offered on the following dates and locations:

Class Topic for each is: **Repair Garage, Fuel Dispensing, and Flammable Liquid Fire Code Review. (6 hours Con Ed Approved by OSFM.)**

- September 17, 2020-Charlotte
[Charlotte Fire Department Headquarters](#)
500 Dalton Avenue, Charlotte NC 28206
Site Contact: Colin Triming (704) 562-5286
<mailto:ctriming@ci.charlotte.nc.us>
- September 30, 2020-Chatham County
[Chatham County Agriculture & Conference Center](#)
1192 US-64 BUS, Pittsboro, NC 27312
Site Contact: William Judson (939) 548-1770
<mailto:william.judson@chathamnc.org>
- **October 28-Morehead City
Location TBA
**Awaiting Confirmation from Chief Fulk
- November 13, 2020-Conover
[Conover Fire Station 3](#)
1776 Village Square NW, Conover, NC 28613
Site Contact: TJ Patton (828) 695-2871
<mailto:TJ.Patton@conovernc.gov>

Class times will be from 08:30 until 16:00 hours on the given days.

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If you need additional information on the workshops regarding instructor information, course content please contact Winterville FREMS, Assistant Chief/Fire Marshal, Tony Smart (252) 215-2476 email- <mailto:tony.smart@wintervillenc.com>.

If you need information on course registration fees and any expense reimbursement (snacks provided or similar), please contact Charlotte FD, Water Supply Officer, Adam Cloninger (704) 995-7446 email- <mailto:acloninger@ci.charlotte.nc.us>.

3. Next meeting of the Education Committee and location TBA.

Respectfully submitted,

Tony L. Smart, Education Chair
NCFMA

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- February 27th a House Committee was formed called the House Select Committee on Residential Planning and Permitting. Chair Rep. Brody, Vice Chair Rep. Potts, Members Rep. Dahle, Rep. Hanig, Rep. Hardister, Rep. Hunter, Rep. Jarvis, Rep. Richardson, Rep. Riddell and Rep. Willingham. The committee was derived from Moore County development and applicability of NC Fire code Chapter 5, Appendix B, Appendix C, Appendix D and how fire code applies to occupancy classifications. Conversations were centered on how to standardize requirements statewide. Introduction of Covid changed the focus of the legislature and this committee didn't meet again. We should expect this conversation to continue when they open up for the long session. <https://www.ncleg.gov/Committees/CommitteeInfo/HouseSelect/197>
- The following bills have become law since our last meeting.
<https://ncleg.gov/BillLookUp/2019/H18>
absentee ballots/fire district

<https://ncleg.gov/BillLookUp/2019/H118>
Originally first responders act of 2019, I encourage you to look at the filed edition and the session law. This bill was changed from assisting firefighters to covid immunity.

<https://ncleg.gov/BillLookUp/2019/H138>
Increase penalties to damaging fire protection equipment in a detention facility or jail

<https://ncleg.gov/BillLookUp/2019/H220>
Clarifies rule making for fire and rescue commission

<https://ncleg.gov/BillLookUp/2019/H308>
This was a new omnibus bill that has changes to some of our model codes.
- Most of this short session was covid related bills. We did see the fireworks bill didn't gain any traction. The governor vetoed HB686 which was the freedom to celebrate the fourth of July. We saw an enormous increase of illegal consumer use fireworks across the state on this date. I am confident that due to the restrictions placed on residents of this state and the inability to participate in sanctioned events. Due to this increase I'm confident the fireworks bill will be reintroduced in the long session 2021. When this does, we better prepare ourselves for it

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passing. It is probably in our best interest to work with stakeholders and craft legislation that we can live with and be ready.

Respectfully Submitted,

JASON B. STEPHENSON

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President Eric Wiseman has been researching microphones. Will get back to the group with further.
David Conrad is working with Google to get board members and appointed positions email addresses.

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The fire code revision committee met on July 7th to prepare for the July 14th BCC meeting, tis meeting had been pushed back from June because of COVID-19.

We discussed the agenda for the BCC. We also discussed some of the COVID-19 challenges facing inspectors throughout the state. We are moving ahead with bringing 2018 IFC items forward. At the next BCC we will be brining forward the 2018 IFC wording for Delayed Egress locks.

There is a meeting scheduled for Wednesday 19th to allow input about COVID-19 concerns. Charlie Johnson suggested we have this meeting. If anyone from the board wants to attend please let me know and I will send the sign in for GoTo Meetings.

The next NCFCRC meeting will be held Tuesday 25th @ 0900 via GoTo Meeting. The next BCC meeting is Tuesday September 1st.

Colin Triming

2020 NC Fire Marshals Association Scholarships

Winners

- **Eastern Region Scholarship:**
 - Hopelyn Grace Kovacs
 - 109 Broadbay Drive
 - Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948
- **Central Region Scholarship:**
 - Bianna Lane Fanning
 - 900 Old Baron Drive
 - Fuquay-Varina, NC 27526
- **Western Region Scholarship: (Runner up in Piedmont – No participants Western Region)**
 - Harper Gray Pruitt
 - 6607 Horner Siding Road
 - Oxford, NC 27565
- **(Members Only) Scholarship**
 - Thomas David Raper
 - 3217 Timothy Lane
 - Lincolnton, NC 28092

Participants:

- Deshaun Wilson
• 9612 Eagle Feather Drive
• Charlotte, NC 28214
- Brooke S. McLamb
• 2883 Raynor McLamb Road
• Linden, NC 28356
- Landon Keith Collins
• 6465 Foushee Road
• Ramseur, NC 27316
- Kensey Elaina Thurmond
• 2417 Tucker Road
• Eastover, NC 28312
- Leighton Walker
• 2987 Butterwood Drive
• Jamestown, NC 27282