

Notice of Public Meeting

AGENDA
Nevada State Board of Fire Services
April 29, 2026
9:00 a.m.
Nevada State Fire Marshal Division
107 Jacobsen Way, Carson City, NV 89711

The public is also invited to participate in the meeting via Microsoft Teams
Join on your computer, mobile app or room device
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1-775-321-6111
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At the discretion of the Chair, items may be taken out of the order indicated. The Board may take action on items marked "Discussion/For Possible Action." The Board may combine two or more Agenda items for consideration. The Board may remove an item from the Agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the Agenda at any time.

1. **CALL TO ORDER BY THE CHAIR (Non-Action Item).**
2. **VERIFICATION OF NOTICE OF COMPLIANCE WITH OPEN MEETING LAW (Non-Action Item).** The Chair of the Nevada State Board of Fire Services will verify compliance has been met in accordance with Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS 241).
3. **ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTIONS; verification of quorum. (Non-Action Item).**
4. **PUBLIC COMMENT (Non-Action Item).** No action may be taken on matters raised in context with this Agenda item prior to inclusion of the matter itself as an action item on a future Agenda. Public comments are limited to three (3) minutes. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint.
5. **APPROVAL OF THE JANUARY 14, 2026 MEETING MINUTES (Discussion/For Possible Action).** The members of the Board of Fire Services will review and may approve/make necessary changes to the JANUARY 14, 2026 minutes submitted.
6. **REVIEW OF APPLICATIONS AND CONDUCT INTERVIEWS FOR THE POSITION OF STATE FIRE MARSHAL (Discussion/For Possible Action).** Possible action is for the Board to review and discuss applications that have been received by the Department of Public Safety. The Board will conduct interviews of the State Fire Marshal candidates.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT (Non-Action Item). Following the interviews of all the candidates, public comment will be taken with the Chair limiting each speaker to three (3) minutes. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint.
8. SELECTION OF CANDIDATES (Discussion/For Possible Action). The Board may discuss the information obtained from materials submitted by the candidates, through the interviews and public comment. Pursuant to NRS 477.013 and 477.080 (5), the Board will select not fewer than three (3) candidates to be presented to the Director of the Department of Public Safety to appoint a State Fire Marshal from those applicants.
9. STATE FIRE MARSHAL ADVISORY REPORT – ACTING CHIEF ALEX KNAAK (Non-Action Item). General overview of activities and events at the Division that may have a potential effect on Nevada Fire Service.
10. STATE FIRE MARSHAL DIVISION TRAINING ADVISORY REPORT – RICHARD McKNIGHT (Non-Action Item). General overview of activities and events.
11. NEVADA STATE FIREFIGHTER’S ASSOCIATION ADVISORY REPORT – MIKE HEIDEMANN (Non-Action Item). General overview of activities and events.
12. NEVADA FIRE CHIEFS ASSOCIATION ADVISORY REPORT – KELLI BARATTI (Non-Action Item). General overview of activities and events.
13. PUBLIC COMMENT (Non-Action Item). No action may be taken on matters raised in context with the Agenda item prior to inclusion of the matter itself as an action item on a future Agenda. Public comments are limited to three (3) minutes.
14. ADJOURNMENT (Discussion/For Possible Action).

This notice and Agenda has been posted on or before 9:00 am on April 23, 2026 at the following locations:

Board of Architecture Interior Design and Residential Design, 2080 East Flamingo Road, Suite 120, Las Vegas, NV

Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, 1755 East Plumb Lane, Reno, NV

Carson City Fire Department, 777 South Stewart Street, Carson City, NV

Carson City Public Library, 901 North Roop Street, Carson City, NV

Central Lyon County Fire Department, 246 Dayton Valley Road, Dayton, NV

Clark County Fire Department, 575 East Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV

Clark County Fire Department Training Center, 4425 West Tropicana Avenue, Las Vegas, NV

Department of Public Safety, 500 Wright Way, Carson City, NV

East Fork Fire & Protection District, 1694 County Road, Minden, NV

Elko Fire Department, 911 West Idaho Street, Elko, NV

Ely Fire Department, 1780 Great Basin Blvd., Ely, NV

Henderson Fire Department, 223 Lead Street, #141, Henderson, NV

Las Vegas Fire and Rescue, 500 North Casino Center Blvd., Las Vegas, NV

Lyon County Public Library, 20 Nevin Way, Yerington, NV

Nevada State Library, 100 South Stewart Street, Carson City, NV

Pahrump Public Library, 701 E Street, Pahrump, NV

Reno Fire Department, 1 East First Street, Reno, NV

Sparks Fire Department, 1605 Victorian Avenue, Sparks, NV

State Fire Marshal Division, 107 Jacobsen Way, Carson City, NV

State Fire Marshal Division, 2300 McLeod Street, Las Vegas, NV

Storey County Fire Protection District, 145 N. C Street, Virginia City, NV

Tahoe Douglas Fire Protection District, 193 Elks Point Road, Zephyr Cove, NV

Truckee Meadows Fire & Rescue, 3663 Barron Way, Reno, NV

Washoe County Public Library, 301 South Center Street, Reno, NV

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State Fire Marshal's website: <http://fire.nv.gov/Boards/Boards/>

Pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(c), a copy of supporting materials for the meeting may be obtained by contacting Connie Etchison Administrative Assistant, State Fire Marshal Division, at (775)684-7525, 107 Jacobsen Way, Carson City, NV 89711.