



**State of Connecticut
Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection
Commission on Fire Prevention and Control**

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1. New Haven County Fire Emergency Plan June Meeting – Tonight @ 7p.m.

The New Haven County Fire Emergency Plan will hold its June meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, June 21, 2016 at Dunbar Hill Fire Company #8 420 Dunbar Hill Road in Hamden. A WTNH Meteorologist will present a program with their Mobile Weather Lab. The meeting will also feature their annual Strawberry Festival.

2. 2017 CFA Training Calendar

Letters for hosting 2017 Connecticut Fire Academy Training Calendar classes will be going out to all CT fire departments later this week. Please have requests submitted no later than August 20th. Departments may request more than one class. By hosting a class your department will receive (4) complimentary seats. Departments are required to provide needed A/V equipment and proper training sites/logistics for classes that take place outdoors. We look forward to providing relevant, high quality training in 2017 and need your help to make that happen.

As letters are received please direct questions to Program Manager Jason Decremer at 860-264-9242, jason.decremer@ct.gov or Program Planner Alan Zygmunt at 860-264-9222, alan.zygmunt@ct.gov

3. CFA Bookstore News

It's that time of year again. We are off to the 2016 New England Fire Chief's Show at Foxwoods. The Connecticut Fire Academy will be in Booths # 908 & 909, which are situated in the lobby. Please stop by and say hello!!!.

The bookstore will be closed on Thursday, June 23rd, Friday, June 24th and Saturday, June 25th.

See you at the show!
Thanks, Pam & Karen

4. Summer EMT Programs – Woodbridge, East Hartford

Code One Training Solutions has scheduled two Summer EMT programs in Woodbridge and East Hartford. See the attached flyer for additional information or visit www.code1web.com.

Evening EMT Course - Woodbridge:

Summer 2016 Evening EMT Course New Haven
July 5, 2016 to September 29, 2016
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
6:00 PM to 10:00 PM

Summer Intensive 5 Week EMT - East Hartford:

Summer 2016 Intensive EMT Session II
July 18, 2016 to August 18, 2016 (5 Weeks)
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

5. NFFF National Stair Climb for Fallen Firefighters

The National Stair Climb for Fallen Firefighters will take place on Oct. 1st at Citi Field. Attached is the flyer we are using to promote the event and encourage folks to climb.

Attached is a list of other stair climbs and golf tourneys around the Country (attached) that your members are welcome to participate in if they can't make it to the National Stair Climb. Or see the events calendar:
<http://www.firehero.org/events/events/>

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6. NFA Pilot Recruitment – Strategic and Tactical Considerations for Fire Protection Systems

The U.S. Fire Administration's National Fire Academy (NFA) is seeking students to help pilot test the revised 6-day courses in the Fire Prevention Technical curriculum area. The course, formerly titled *Fire Protection Systems for Emergency Operations*, now titled P0227 - *Strategic and Tactical Considerations for Fire Protection Systems*, will be held September 18-23, 2016 on the NFA's Emmitsburg, Maryland campus.

The purpose of *Strategic and Tactical Considerations for Fire Protection Systems* is to ensure that Incident Commanders (ICs) know how to conduct proper pre-incident planning for the target hazards in their communities, so that they can identify what fire protection systems are available at these sites, how they work, and how to use them in firefighting.

Student Selection Criteria: Anyone responsible for the command and control of incident operations, preferably in the built environment. Target audience includes command officers, company officers, fire department training officers, and those acting in that capacity. In addition, those officers who are upwardly mobile in their organizations and will or may be in command positions in the near future and fire prevention officers who have a responsibility for pre-planning and coordination with incident operations staff.

Prerequisites:

- Students attending this class should have responsibility for command and control of incident operations.
- Not less than three years' experience in fire suppression emergency operations.
- ICS-100-level and ICS-200-level training. Preferred courses are Q0462 and Q0463, available through NFA Online at usfa.fema.gov/training/nfa/courses/online.html. Chief's signature attests that the applicant has completed this required training.

Here's How to Apply:

Students interested in attending this pilot must submit the FEMA Form 119-25-1, General Admissions Application available for downloading at: <http://www.usfa.fema.gov/training/nfa/admissions/apply.html>

Course Code/Title: P0227 – Strategic and Tactical Considerations for Fire Protection Systems

Course Dates: September 18-23, 2016

Submit your completed applications to the NETC Admissions Office not later than **August 5, 2016** via mail, fax, or email:

NETC Admissions Office

16825 South Seton Avenue

Emmitsburg, MD 21727

Fax: 301-447-1441

Email: netcadmissions@fema.dhs.gov

Do not make plans to attend this course until you have received your acceptance notification from the NETC Admissions Office. **Stipend reimbursement** is available for qualified students through the Student Stipend Reimbursement Program following your successful completion of the course.

7. FAMA Releases Fire Apparatus Safety Guide

The Fire Apparatus Manufacturer's Association (FAMA) has developed the Fire Apparatus Safety Guide. The NFPA-compliant guide is available to anyone working on or around a fire apparatus. It includes essential safety information for firefighters, fire chiefs, apparatus mechanics, and fire department safety officers.

The guide is applicable to municipal, wildland, and airport firefighting apparatus manufactured on either custom or commercial chassis. The 8.5 x 5.5 inch format is sized to fit in every fire department vehicle and every apparatus mechanic's toolbox.

The guide is available at a discounted rate at <http://www.fama.org/fire-service-resources/fama-fire-apparatus-safety-guide/>.

8. Posting of the Intent to Adopt the 2016 State Building Code and Fire Safety Codes

Notice of Intent to Adopt the 2016 Connecticut State Building Code

The Department of Administrative Services, Office of the State Building Inspector, in conjunction with the Codes & Standards Committee, is announcing its intent to adopt a new State Building Code to be titled the 2016 Connecticut State Building Code. In accordance with the requirements of Public Act 16-215, the agency will accept comments from the public for a period of forty-five (45) days, beginning June 21, 2016 through the close of business August 5, 2016.

Written comments will be received by the agency via US mail, fax or email at:

Department of Administrative Services
Office of the State Building Inspector
165 Capitol Avenue, Room 265
Hartford, CT 06106
Fax: 860-713-7269

Email: DPS.CodesStandards@ct.gov

A Public Hearing will be held by the agency in conjunction with the Codes & Standards Committee on July 13, 2016 starting at 10:00 in the following location:

Legislative Office Building, Room TBA
Hartford, CT 06106

Attached are the posted copies of the proposed CT State Building and Fire Safety Codes.

The Link to the Building & Fire Safety Code Adoption Webpage for additional information is:

[http://www.ct.gov/dcs/cwp/view.asp?a=4447&q=523368&dcsNav=|](http://www.ct.gov/dcs/cwp/view.asp?a=4447&q=523368&dcsNav=)

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