



Spring-Summer 2021



NEWSLETTER

CANCER AWARENESS

A workgroup to put together monthly resources to aid in cancer prevention. Led by Capt. Brian Morrison

[March](#)

[April](#)

MISSION OF COS:

To provide information, education, services and representation to company officers to enhance their professionalism and service to community.

FIREFIGHTER TO SUPERVISORY FIRE OFFICER TRANSITION PLAN

Created by members of the COS Board. Released at FRI 2019 in Atlanta, Georgia. Provides guidelines and best practices who desires to promote to the position of company officer.

COS ELECTIONS



Voting begins April 18th ends May 17th

Election for (3)- At Large Directors

Terms Begin FRI 2021 Charlotte, NC



Captain Devin Flannery South Francisco Fire Department (CA)

Assistant Chief Randall Hanifen, West Chester Fire Department (OH)

Deputy Chief Stephen Ludwig, Middletown Fire Division (OH)

Battalion Chief Demond Simmons, Oakland Fire Department (CA)

Fire Chief Joe Zatylny, Edmonton (Alberta) Fire Rescue Services

[Full Bio of Candidates](#)

Check back on [COS Section](#) of Website for ballot Information.

For general election questions,

email elections@iafc.org or phone 703-273-0911.

Bylaw Changes**Article I, Section 3 — Vacancies**

The Committee recommends to DELETE: “by a vote of the members.” The CBR Committee requests clarification on whether the full membership can vote or only members of the section. **I would recommend that it read, “by a vote of the section membership.” This also matches the wording in Article V, Section 4.**

Article V, Section 4 — Eligibility for Office

The Committee recommends to ADD to line 1: “Members of the section’s board of directors must be current, section and IAFC members in good standing at the time of their candidacy and, if elected, must maintain IAFC and section membership for the duration of their term.”

Current Bylaws**Now Available****Strategic Plan
Goals and Objectives****2021-2024****Fire Rescue International****July 28th- July 30th****Charlotte, North Carolina**[Event Details Here](#)

Registration and Housing for FRI 2021 will open May 2021.

We hope to See You There!

Check out more events @IAFC

[Conferences & Events](#)

Click Here for
Additional Resources

Meet Your COS Board**COS Executive Board****Chair-** Assist. Chief Randall Hanifen**Vice-Chair-** Capt. Brian Morrison**Secretary-** Capt. Sherry Dean**Treasurer-** Assist Chief Rob Frampton**Directors-at-Large**

Batt. Chief Demond Simmons

Capt. (Ret.) Mike Jaffa

Capt. Donald Scott

Dep. Chief Steve Ludwig

Dep. Chief Jerry Helm

Capt. Mark Duerr

Capt. Joe Bradley

Lt. (Ret.) Joe Bynum

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