



Industrial Fire & Safety Section
International Association of Fire Chiefs
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To: IF&S Section Members
From: Chief Rick Isaacks, Chair
Re: February 7, 2019 Meeting Minutes

Participating in the meeting:

Rick Isaacks
Rick Ramirez
Eddie Avila
Josh Culp
Steve Carver
Tom Kuglin
Craig Shelley

- Meeting come to order – 1002 hours EDT
- Reading of January's minutes
 - Change Financial Report to December Dues and Expenses
 - "...ARAMCO membership special program."
 - Motion to approve; Steve Carver, seconded by Tom Kuglin
- Financial report
 - January's dues = \$150
 - January's expenses= \$0
 - Balance = \$3,500
- Officer Development Program update
 - Provide update to the section membership on the proposed Officer Development Program
 - Receive feedback with a survey on the knowledge and skills curriculum topics
 - 10 questions will be crafted for the survey
 - Review the IAFC's Officer Development Program for similar content
 - An eblast hold date will be set
- PFOS, PFOA and PFAS foam paper:
The White Paper is being reviewed by the Government Relations Department.
- IAFC International Fire Operation Conference be held in Manama, Bahrain on February 19-21, 2019.
 - Topics and Presenters have been scaled down – No Industrial Section members participating as speakers
- FRI 2019 – Craig Shelly has submitted two industrial topics.
 - The topics have been declined
 - No openings for Gary Baum's presentation
 - Emerging Trends area of the program will open as needed for additional classes
- IF&S section project with TEEX

- Look for alternate locations
- Maybe imbed the project into the proposed Officers Development Program
- Industrial Section Scholarship
 - Contacted the awardees
 - Williams contacted regarding the scholarship, cost and billing
 - ✓ Cost reduce ½ to \$1,025 per student
 - ✓ Pay direct to Williams
 - ✓ Bill to section
- ARAMCO special membership being reviewed
- The potential reduction of firefighter exposure to carbon-based carcinogens in structure fires using class A compressed air foam systems research presentation by Gary Baum
 - Find an appropriate forum (Section meeting, etc.) to host presentation
- Dan King, Tennessee Fire Chiefs Association - Industrial Fire Chief Committee, has asked to use the IAFC's Industrial Section's By-Laws. Approved by Rick Isaacks
- Rick Ramirez updated the group on his role as a member of the Technical Advisory Group, with the Community Safety Grant project within the IAFC's Hazmat Center.
- Meeting adjourned at 1048 hours EDT.