

MINUTES
Fire Service Standard and Training Council Meeting
November 6, 2019

COUNCIL MEMBERS: Robert DeKorver (Chair), Art Deyo, David Larsen, Gary Hodson, Paul Hewitt, Chris Trevino

UFRA: Darryl Pranger, Dave Owens, Jolene Chamberlain, Brad Wardle

STAFF: Ted Black, Diane Shipp, Wade Francis

EXCUSED:

Item #1: Meeting called to order by Council Chair Robert DeKorver

Item #2: A motion was made by Gary Hodson and seconded by David Larsen to approve the minutes of the May 1st meeting, motion passed.

Item #3: Report from the Certification Council: Chris Trevino of the certification council gave the report from the Certification Council. Nothing to report.

Item #4: Report on the re-accreditation of non-affiliated training organizations: Jolene indicated that West Valley's is this Saturday, so she is still looking for one member to participate with that. She has Gary and Dave. Chris Trevino will help out with that. Robert thanked Jolene for pulling all that together.

Item #5: Recognition of RCA's that have re-certified: Dave indicated that he, Art and Gary went out with Jolene to do the re-accreditation site visit for Bridgerland. Very impressed with their program, they do a very nice job. Had an opportunity to do everything that we were supposed to do and was very impressed with not only their student interviews and instructor interviews, but also with the program director Brian Davies. Very receptive to the comments and concerns that were very minor from the instructors and the students. Gary and Art were also impressed with their program. There was a motion made by David Larson and seconded by Art Deyo to accept the recommendation of the re-accreditation of the Bridgerland Technical College. Motion passed.

Item #6: Review of proposed changes to R710-10: Ted indicated they found some anomalies in R710-10.

Item #7: Old business. There was no old business to discuss.

Item #8: New business. Brad gave an update on where they are legislatively, to stabilize the funding for the restricted account. We have been working with the State Fire Marshal's Office, the Fire Prevention Board, and the State Fire Chiefs Association to create legislation to stabilize the restricted account so that the Fire Marshal's office and UFRA are funded consistently, and long term.

A Fire 101 class was just done. It was very successful. There were approximately 15 people there. It was a joint effort between UFRA and Provo City. Provo City had three or four council members and their Mayor who came, then we had senators and legislators from the Utah County also attended, it was very successful this year. Great opportunity to showcase what we're doing and how we're doing it and why.

Item #9: Report from council members and staff: NFPA 1072 has been approved in the last certification council meeting? How will the new NFPA 470 figure in to all of this? Everything is being combined, into one standard.

Item #10: Approve meeting schedule for 2020: Meetings will be as follows: January 8, 2020, May 6, 2020, September 2, 2020 and November 4, 2020. A motion was made by Gary Hodson to approve the 2020 meeting schedule. David Larson seconded and the motion passed.

Item #11: Next meeting will be January 8, 2020.