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Commission on Fire Prevention and Control
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1. USFA Report: Firefighter Fatalities in the United States in 2016

The U.S. Fire Administration (USFA) report, "Firefighter Fatalities in the United States in 2016," identifies and analyzes all on-duty U.S. firefighter fatalities that occurred last year to better understand their causes and how to prevent them.

Eighty-nine firefighters (56 volunteer, 23 career and 10 wildland agency) died while on duty in 2016.

- Activities related to emergency incidents resulted in the deaths of 36 firefighters.
- Seventeen firefighters died while engaging in activities at the scene of a fire.

- Ten firefighters died while responding to emergency incidents.
- Nineteen firefighters died as the result of vehicle crashes.
- Heart attacks were the most frequent nature of fatal injury with 40 firefighter deaths.
- Nine firefighters died while they were engaged in training activities.

The 2016 report, and past reports from 1986 to 2015, is available for download from the USFA's website https://www.usfa.fema.gov/data/statistics/ff_fatality_reports.html
Download the free report

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2. CFA Bookstore News

Now in stock, *Kirk's Fire Investigation, 8th edition.* The Eight Edition *of Kirk's Fire Investigation* is included in required and supplemental fire investigation professional training and certification programs by the National Fire Academy, the International Association of Arson Investigators, and the National Association of Fire Investigators. The Eighth Edition of *Kirk's Fire Investigation blends* the Seventh Edition of *Kirk's* with the Third Edition of *Forensic Fire Scene Reconstruction* to help investigators bring their knowledge and skills to the next level. The new edition covers engineering calculations and fire modeling, and features even more in-depth case studies that provide real-world examples.

Kirk's Fire Investigation, 8th edition…$140.00

Thank, Pam & Karen
CFA Bookstore

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3. FY 2017 AFG Application Assistance Tools Have Been Released

Begin Preparing Your Application Now!

The 2017 AFG Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) release and application period is imminent. A follow-up email blast will be sent with its release and the date of the opening of the application period.

Begin preparing your application now by utilizing the application assistance tools available below.

FY 2017 Application Assistance Tools:

- The GET READY GUIDE are designed to give you a kick-start in preparing your application. It will help better prepare you to thoroughly answer the application questions.
- The SELF-EVALUATION ASSISTANCE sheets are designed to help you understand the criteria that you must address in your Narrative Statement when applying for the Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG) Program. There are two sheets, one for OPERATIONS & SAFETY and one for VEHICLE ACQUISITION.

- The APPLICATION CHECKLIST will help you prepare your grant application. Collecting this information beforehand will reduce the time and energy needed to complete your application.

The COST SHARE CALCULATOR allows you to determine your organizations Local Cost Share for grants. It is important to familiarize yourself with FEMA's administration of cost sharing requirements.

AFG Home Page: www.fema.gov/firegrants

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4. Fairfield Regional Fire School "The Leader in YOU" Seminar

The Fairfield Regional Fire School is offering a one night seminar on "The Leader in YOU" presented by Pete Nichio, a 14 year military veteran and Westport Firefighter. This 4 hour presentation will discuss different styles of leadership and explain how to gain the trust and loyalty of your personnel. The class is scheduled for Wednesday evening, January 10 from 6:30-10:30 pm. The cost per student is $40. See attached flyer for additional details. Follow this link to register online https://goo.gl/forms/KXK8t7oOu0W45s2W2

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5. National Fallen Firefighters Foundation Raffle

Take a chance to win a Cairns "N5A" New Yorker Leather Helmet with custom helmet front.

$10 a ticket to support the NFFF, Raffle drawing Sunday December 17, 2017 @ East Granby Fire Station, Memorial Drive, East Granby, CT - Winner does not need to be present. See attached for more information.

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6. Fire/EMS Legislative Caucus - Rescheduled

The Fire/EMS Legislative Caucus originally on the calendar for 12/12 @ 9:30 has been rescheduled. The new meeting information is as follows:

Date: 12/19/2017

Time: 9:30AM

Location: Legislative Office Building Room 1E Hartford, CT

Members of the Fire Service planning to attend the caucus meeting should be in uniform, if they can, on the newly scheduled date. Thank you for support and cooperation.

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7. ICS-400 Advanced ICS Command and General Staff – Complex Incidents

The Emergency Management and Homeland Security Division of DESPP is conducting ICS-400, Advanced ICS Command and General Staff – Complex Incidents training on January 10 and 17, 2018. This class delivery will be taught over 2 consecutive Wednesdays. The classes will be at the UCONN Health Center, 16 Munson Road, Farmington, CT 06032 from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM each day. To register, go to the www.ct.gov/DEMHS website under Training Calendar. There is no charge for this class. Questions please contact Gary Ruggiero, 860-685-8545 or gary.ruggiero@ct.gov.

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8. Responder Safety – Traffic Incident Management

Have you set up your TIM unit? Want a blueprint?

A new module from the Responder Safety Learning Network helps agencies set up and run their own TIM unit. Click here to take the short module, packed with information on how to move forward!

We look forward to seeing you at www.rsln.org.

Stop by the page today to download resources to educate your community on how to protect the protectors! This week and every week, we're all in this together.

The Responder Safety Learning Network Team

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9. Opioid Overdose Epidemic: The EMS Role – Save the Date

The Connecticut DPH Office of Emergency Medical Services and St. Francis Hospital & Medical Center will present a half-day conference on the **Opioid Overdose Epidemic: The EMS Role** on Tuesday, January 30, 2018 at St. Francis Hospital Chawla Auditorium, Main Lobby 114 Woodland Street in Hartford. Details to follow.

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10. Employment Opportunity –UCONN Storrs, CT – Entry Level Firefighter

$40,226.00/$59,037.00

The University of Connecticut Fire Department with locations in Farmington and in Storrs, is seeking candidates for the position of Protective Services Trainee (Fire) sometimes referred to as an Entry-level Firefighter position. Successful candidates will be responsible for taking a prescribed formal academic and on-the-job training course in firefighting, emergency medical services, and hazardous materials response. Upon successful completion of training and probationary requirements, Protective Services Trainees will be eligible for appointment to the position of Firefighter.

In order to be considered for this position, **a written examination will be held on December 21st, 2017** at the UConn Storrs Campus. More details regarding time and exact

location will be provided at a further date. **There will be no make-up examination date and no refunds - you must plan accordingly.**

HOW TO APPLY:
Please go to www.FirefighterApp.com/UCONNFIRE for more information and to submit your application

APPLICATIONS CLOSE ON DECEMBER 15, 2017!!

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11. Middlesex County Fire Chiefs Association December Meeting Notice - Tonight

The regular monthly meeting of the Middlesex County Fire Chiefs Association will be held on Wednesday, December13th at the Westfield Fire Department beginning at 19:00 hours.

Burt Hale, secretary

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12. EMR & EMT Initial Training Programs

CT Training & Consulting Institute in Portland is offering EMR Initial and EMT Initial training programs beginning in January, 2018. See the attached flyers for additional course and registration information. POST Credit is available to law enforcement officers.

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