

TEXAS COMMISSION ON FIRE PROTECTION
Commissioner's Meeting Agenda
9:00 a.m., May 14, 2026
4800 N. Lamar Boulevard, Room 140, Austin, Texas

The Texas Commission on Fire Protection (the "Commission") may discuss and act on any of the following agenda items. The Commission may go into executive session on any agenda item listed below as authorized by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551:

1. Call to order with a moment of silence, an invocation¹ and pledge of allegiance.
2. Roll call for a quorum and to excuse Commissioner absences, if any.
3. Approve Commission meeting minutes for the February 19, 2026, meeting.
4. Report from the Budget and Strategic Plan Ad Hoc Subcommittee.
5. Reports from fire service interest groups and agencies on matters relating to their specific organizational purposes, functions, activities, and objectives, including reports from TEEEX, the Texas Fire Chiefs Association, the Texas State Association of Firefighters, the State Firefighters' and Fire Marshals' Association of Texas, the Texas Fire Marshals Association, the Texas Association of Fire Educators, the Texas A&M Forest Service, the National Fire Protection Association, the Texas State Association of Fire and Emergency Districts, the Center for Public Safety Excellence, the State Fire Marshal's Office, the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation, and the Firefighter Cancer Support Network.
6. Report from Commission Representative on Texas Homeland Security Council.
7. Matters referred to the Commission by the Health and Wellness Committee.
 - a. Committee report.
 - b. Discussion and possible action regarding the appointment of Heather Hyslop to replace outgoing Committee member Brian O'Neill.
 - c. Endorsement of the 2026 National Firefighter Safety Stand-Down.
8. Matters referred to the Commission by the Firefighter Advisory Committee.
 - a. Discussion and possible action on rule review of 37 Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Chapter 439, Examinations for Certification.
 - b. Discussion and possible action on rule review of 37 TAC, Chapter 441, Continuing Education.
9. Matter referred to the Commission from the Curriculum and Testing Committee.
 - a. Discussion and possible action on updates to the 1030 Fire Plans Examiner Curriculum Manual.

¹ Any invocation that may be offered before the official start of the Commission meeting shall be a voluntary offering to and for the benefit of the Commission. The views or beliefs expressed by the invocation speaker have not been previously reviewed or approved by the Commission and do not necessarily represent the religious beliefs or views of the Commission in part or as a whole. No member of the community is required to attend or participate in the invocation. Such a decision will not impact their right to participate actively in the business of the Commission. Copies of the policy governing invocations and setting forth the procedure to have a volunteer deliver an invocation are available upon written request submitted to the Commission Clerk.

- b. Discussion and possible action on updates to the 1010 Aircraft Rescue Firefighter Curriculum Manual.
 - c. Discussion and possible action on proposed changes to 37 TAC, Chapter 429, Inspector and Plan Examiner Certification.
 - d. Discussion and possible action on proposed changes to 37 TAC, Chapter 439, Examinations for Certification, §439.1.
 - e. Discussion and possible action on update regarding Emergency Manager certification development.
10. Report from HB1593 Committee.
11. Discussion and possible final adoption of proposed changes to 37 TAC, Chapter 427, Training Facility Certification.
12. Discussion and possible final adoption of 37 TAC, Chapter 435, Fire Fighter Safety, §435.33.
13. Discussion and possible final adoption of proposed changes to 37 TAC, Chapter 435, Fire Fighter Safety.
14. Discussion and possible final adoption of proposed changes to 37 TAC, Chapter 437, Fees.
15. Discussion and possible final adoption of proposed changes to 37 TAC, Chapter 439, Examinations for Certification, §439.19(b).
16. Discussion and possible action on 37 TAC, Chapter 463, Advisory Committees, Practice and Procedures.
17. Discussion and possible action on the 2025 Injury Report.
18. Report from the Agency Chief.
 - a. Update regarding agency duties and responsibilities.
 - b. Decisions of the Agency Chief in contested cases and consent orders.
 - c. Status of division functions:
 - i. Training Approval & Testing
 - ii. Certification & Professional Development
 - iii. Compliance
 - iv. Information Technology
19. Discussion on future meeting dates: August 19, 2026 (Workshop), August 20, 2026 (Commission Meeting) and November 12, 2026 (Commission Meeting).
20. Subjects for future Commission meeting agendas.
21. Executive Session (if necessary).
22. Adjourn Meeting.