

**TEXAS COMMISSION ON FIRE PROTECTION**

Presiding officer Daniel DeYear called the December 05, 2024, meeting of the Fire Fighter Advisory Committee to order at 10:00 a.m. at the North Lamar Boulevard Building, 4800 N. Lamar Boulevard, in Austin, Texas.

Member Attendance: Amended per the March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025 meeting.

Daniel DeYear	Daniel Anderson	Vince Abrigo	Antonio Ramos
Tye Prange	Shane Parker	Michael Silva*	Robert VanDine
Robert Ainsworth*			

\*Excused absence

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Staff present:

Frank King	Sami Lepisto	Cliff Grant	Yazzy Chavez
Rick Wallace	Joyce Guinn	Mike Wisko	Grace Wilson

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1. Roll Call – Secretary, Antonio Ramos called roll, and a quorum was present.

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2. Committee member training – Agency Chief, Mike Wisko delivered the committee member training.

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3. Adoption of minutes – A motion was made by Daniel Anderson and seconded by Shane Parker to approve the minutes from the September 26, 2024, Fire Fighter Advisory Committee meeting. The motion carried.

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4. Discussion and possible action on the rule review of 37 Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Chapter 423, Fire Suppression - A motion was made by Shane Parker, seconded by Daniel Anderson, to table further discussions regarding the rule review of 37 Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Chapter 423, Fire Suppression, to allow for additional research and analysis on the chapter. The motion was carried.

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5. Discussion and possible action on the rule review of 37 TAC, Chapter 425, Fire Service Instructors- A motion was made by Shane Parker and seconded by Robert Van-Dine to table for further discussions and additional research. The motion carried.

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6. Subjects for future meeting agenda items-

- I. Discussion on Committee Member Orientation Processes.
  - II. Comprehensive Review of All Certifications.
  - III. 37 TAC, Chapter 423, Fire Suppression.
  - IV. 37 TAC, Chapter 425, Fire Service Instructors.
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7. Future meeting dates – The committee confirmed the 2025 meeting dates for:

- March 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>
- June 12<sup>th</sup>
- September 25<sup>th</sup>
- December 4<sup>th</sup>

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8. Adjourn meeting – A motion was made by Antonio Ramos and seconded by Daniel Anderson to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried.

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Daniel DeYear  
Presiding Officer