NVFC '24 FALL MEETING FUELING THE FUTUR INSPIRING VOLUNTEER EXCELLENCE SEPT 18-20, 2024 / KANSAS CITY, MO Kansas City Marriott Country Club Plaza | 4445 Main St. | Kansas City, MO SCHEDULE Updated 8.22.24 Suggested Meeting Attire: Casual -- khaki's, neat jeans, polos, NVFC wear DAY 1: CHECK IN. COMMITTEES Location WED., Sept. 18 11:30 - 4:00 Check-In | Registration | Gathering Room Open Union Hill 12:30 - 1:15 **Finance Committee Meeting** Roanoke 1:30 - 3:00 **Wildland Committee Meeting** Seville 3:15 - 4:45 **EMS/Rescue Section Meeting** Seville 6:30 - 8:30 Optional Activity | All Welcome! | To Be Announced, additional fee 2nd Fl Restaurant Day 2: KICK OFF, OPENING GENERAL SESSION, ROUNDTABLE & COMMITTEES Location THURS., Sept. 19 Directors, Association Representatives, & Corporate Members may participate in all activities 6:30 - 7:15 Morning Walk! All Attendees Welcome! Lobby 7:30 - 4:00 Check-In | Registration | Gathering Room Open Union Hill Morning Coffee Service Sponsored by Tesla 7:30 - 11:00 8:00 - 9:00 **Executive Committee Meeting** Southmoreland 9:00 - 9:15 Break 9:15 - 9:45 **Nominating Committee** Roanoke 9:45 - 10:00 Break **GENERAL SESSION** (NVFC Directors, State Association Representatives, Corporate Members & Partners) 10:00 - 11:15 Salon ABCD Call to Order (Steve Hirsch, Chair) **Opening Ceremony** - Invocation (Rev. John F. Long, Jr.) - Presentation of the Colors (Kansas City [MO] Fire Dept. Honor Guard) - Welcome (Larry Jennings, President, Firefighters Association of Missouri; Tim Bean, Missouri State Fire Marshal) Roll Call (Bob Guthrie, Secretary/Treasurer) Chair's Report (Steve Hirsch) Investment Report (Kyle Balliet, Shorebridge Wealth Management) Approval of the Consent Agenda (previous minutes, committee assignments, Treasurer's report) CEO Report (Sarah Lee) **Old Business** New Business 11:15 - 11:45 **EXECUTIVE SESSION - Election** Salon ABCD CHAIR'S LUNCH Sponsored by Clarion Fire & Rescue Group 11:45 - 12:45 Seville Afternoon Beverage Breaks Sponsored by Columbia Southern University 12:00 - 2:30 **Balloting Legislative Committee Meeting** 12:45 - 1:45 Southmoreland 1:45 - 2:00 Break 2:00 - 3:00 **Recruitment & Retention Committee Meeting** Southmoreland

3:00 - 3:10	Break	
3:00 - 3:10	Nominating Committee - Election Review	Roanoke
3:10 - 3:30	EXECUTIVE SESSION - Election	Salon ABCD
3:30 - 4:45	Railway Safety and Volunteer Fire Departments: Best Practices and Collaborative Solutions	Salon ABCD
	This roundtable will bring together experts and stakeholders to discuss and develop best practices for preparing	
	for, and responding to, railway incidents in collaboration with volunteer fire departments.	
	Facilitator: Ryan Woodward, NVFC Chief of Legislative & Regulatory Affairs	
	P anelists: Derek Lampkin, Manager Hazardous Materials, BSNF Railway; Lane A. Sekavec, CHMM, Sr.	
	Manager Hazardous Materials, Hazardous Materials Management - Response, Union Pacific Railroad; and	
	Andy Elkins, Executive Director, HazMat Compliance, Bureau of Explosives, Association of American Railroads	
4:30 - 6:00	Auction Items - Please bring items to set out	Seville
6:00 - 8:00	DINNER All Attendees Welcome! Sponsored by BNSF Railway	Seville
8:00 - 9:30	NVFC HEALTH & SAFETY FUND AUCTION All Attendees Welcome! Sponsored by ESIP	Seville
Day 3: COM	MITTEE MEETINGS, SPEAKER, GENERAL SESSION, CLOSING	
FRI., Sept. 20	Directors, Association Representatives, & Corporate Members may participate in all activities	
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7:15 - 8:00	Morning Walk! All Attendees Welcome!	Lobby
8:00 - 3:00	Gathering Room Open	Union Hill
8:00 - 10:30	Morning Coffee Service Sponsored by NFPA	
8:30 - 10:00	OSHA Update and Action Items	Salon ABCD
10:00 - 10:15	Break	
10:15 - 10:45	EXECUTIVE SESSION - Election (if needed)	Salon ABCD
10:45 - 11:15	Conference Committee Meeting	Southmoreland
11:15 - 11:30	Break	
11:15 - 2:30	Balloting (if needed)	
11:30 - 12:30	Breaking the Stigma: Embracing Mental Health and Self-Care	Salon ABCD
	In this session participants will gain a deeper insight into what mental health is, the common misconceptions, and	
	the impact of stigma on individuals and communities. This session will also discuss practical self-care strategies	
	that can help improve mental well-being and a brief lesson on how to develop personalized action plans to continue the journey towards better mental health and well-being for you or fire departments you work with.	
	Presenter: MacKenzie Pfeiffer	
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12:30 - 1:30		Seville
1:30 - 2:30	Health, Safety & Training Committee Meeting	Southmoreland
2:30 - 2:45	Break	
2:30 - 2:45	Nominating Committee - Election Review	Roanoke
2:45 - 4:15	GENERAL SESSION Directors, Association Representatives & Corporate Members	Salon ABCD
	Call to Order (Steve Hirsch, Chair)	
	NERIS Update (Tom Jenkins, UL FSRI)	
	Committee Actions and Report Outs - Conference Committee (Joe Guyotte, Chair)	
	State Association Remarks & Updates For the Good of the Council	
	Closing Remarks (Steve Hirsch, Chair)	
	Benediction (Rev. John F. Long, Jr.)	
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4:15	Adjourn	

