

SAVE THE DATE!!

Fire Prevention Institute

October 17-20, 2016 - Campbell's Resort ~ Lake Chelan, WA

Join us at Campbell's Resort in Lake Chelan for the annual **Fire Prevention Institute**. This conference focuses on important prevention and strategy issues facing fire officials and will include essential training hours needed for code recertification. **WSAFM will Issue ICC Continuing Education Credits!!**

Although program tracks for **Public Education, Fire Investigation, and Fire Prevention** are still being developed; Campbell's has advised they are prepared to take your lodging reservation NOW!! Room rates will be based on the government per diem rate in effect October 1, 2016. **In order to receive this special rate, reservations must be made by September 15, 2016.** Once this date has passed, or the room block has been filled, you will need to find alternate lodging. Reservations should be made directly with the hotel by calling (800) 553-8225. **Please be sure to provide registration code #345804.**

Registration Fees:

- **Full Conference - \$385**
(Includes 2 breakfasts, 2 lunches and Banquet)
- **Single Days** on Tuesday, October 18, or Wednesday, October 19 - **\$130/per day**
(Tuesday includes breakfast & lunch; Wednesday includes breakfast, lunch and banquet)
- **Half Days** on Monday, October 17, or Tuesday, October 20 - **\$90/per day**
(No meals included in half day registrations)

Although the specific agenda is still being developed, preliminary contact has been with the following speakers to arrange for presentations:

- **Kenneth Harding - Spears FlameGuard CPVC Inspector/Plan Check Training Program** - This class will provide the attendees with the opportunity to learn the proper Inspection, Plan Checking, Testing, Handling, and Installation of CPVC fire sprinkler pipe, fittings, and valves. It will review the Listing and Approval applications while addressing key points of the Spears Manufacturing FlameGuard FG-3 CPVC Fire Sprinkler Products Installation Guide. The program will also include discussions on the related codes and standards (NFPA 13, 13D and 13R) governing the installation of residential and light hazard fire sprinkler systems.
- **Jim Tidwell - Non-Flammable Refrigerants** - This program is intended to raise the awareness of the fact that non-flammable refrigerants are being phased down due to their global warming potential. Think Montreal Protocol on steroids. Several manufacturers, including Honeywell, have developed some very low flammability replacements that are far safer than most other alternatives. "This class will cover the impending change from traditional, non-flammable refrigerants to more environmentally friendly, but also more flammable refrigerants. We will explore the potential for regulatory changes to address the increased hazard related to these products, along with methods the regulatory community can employ to encourage less flammable refrigerants to be developed for the marketplace.
- **Joe Torrillo** - Former Lieutenant with the New York City Fire Department. On September 11th Joe was buried alive when the first tower fell, was rescued and moved to a "safe" place, and then was buried again when the second tower fell. Joe speaks across the United States to all types of companies and associations, but his favorite groups to speak for are groups of fire related organizations. He has general programs with topics of Leadership and Teamwork, etc. as well as more specific fire related programs such as:
 - Understanding and Assessing Life Safety in Buildings
 - The Most Infamous Fires in the USA, and What We Should Have Learned
 - Saving Lives Through Public Education
- **Stephen Hrustich** - Assistant Chief/Fire Marshal with Gwinnett County Fire & Emergency Services (Lawrenceville, GA) - Community Risk Reduction and Leadership

A detailed program agenda and information regarding online registration will be available in the coming months. For further information, please contact Ellen Tombleson, at (360) 596-3902 or by email at ellen.tombleson@wsp.wa.gov