



For Immediate Release

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The State Capital Area Firefighters' Association (SCAFFA) has made the decision to reschedule their annual fire school due to public health concerns after hearing the recommendations of our local health experts. This annual training was scheduled for March 19th-22nd, 2020. SCAFFA Fire School brings hundreds of firefighters from across the state to Topeka to attend this training.

After much discussion with local health officials, emergency responders, and sponsoring organizations, it was decided that, out of an abundance of caution, the training would be rescheduled. It simply does not make sense to bring hundreds of first responders together, and pose an unnecessary risk at this time.

Those who were scheduled to attend the training will receive information via email that was supplied upon registration. The SCAFFA board is currently working to secure new dates for the training, hopefully in September. Please watch www.scaffa.org for further information regarding the new dates for the annual training.

We as a board truly appreciate the students, vendors, instructors, and sponsors understanding of this situation. We look forward to having you attend our training this fall. If you have further questions, please feel free to contact the Executive Board of SCAFFA at the emails listed on the webpage.

Chad Lady, President

State Capital Area Firefighters Association