



**Utah State Firefighters Association
2026 Convention
Thursday, June 11, 2026**

Meeting started at 8:30 a.m.

Welcome by President Austin Knight
Austin announced a couple updates to the program in the boo.

Prayer – Roger Christensen
Honor Guard – SLCFD & American Fork Fire
Pledge – Devin Bills

Welcome to UFRA – Brad Wardle

Welcome to Provo – Chief Jeremy Headman

Response – President Austin Knight

Intro of Officers & Spouses – President Knight

Roll Call of Past Officers – Gina Bell

In attendance:

President Austin Knight
1st Vice President Roger Christensen
2nd Vice President Ryan Mellor
Secretary Gina Bell
Treasurer Coty Chadburn
Membership Steward Sam Larson
Trustee Kevin Beck
Trustee Steve Hales
Trustee Chris Shubert
Trustee Rob Johnson
Trustee Bryan Steward
Historian Tya Wells
Convention Chair Andy McBride
Area Steward Harold Chadwich
Area Steward Mike Ahlstrom
Ara Steward Mark Hales
Museum Chair David Hammon

Past Presidents (not called in earlier roll)

MONTE N. CURTIS - MOAB CITY
ROBERT HARRISON - SPANISH FORK
TRAVIS GRAF - ST. GEORGE
LANCE NAY - RICHFIELD
MIKE AHLSTROM - TROPIC
ELDON FARNSWORTH - SOUTH SALT LAKE
BRADY GEORGE - SALT LAKE CITY
DAVID GILLETTE - TOOELE CITY
EDDIE HALES - SPANISH FORK

Past Membership Steward - Perry Skaug

Intro of Auxiliary – Sharlene Skaug

Introduction of Keynote Speaker – Ryan Mellor

Keynote Speaker – Chief Shelby Willis – State Fire Chiefs and Farmington Fire Department

Roll Call of Departments – Gina Bell – Secretary

American Fork	Garland
Grantsville	Lehi
Maob Valley Fire District	Monroe
Payson	Richfield
Salt Lake City	South Salt Lake
South Summit	Spanish Fork Fire & EMS
St. George	Tooele
Tremonton	Tropic
Wasatch Fire District	Woodland Hills Fire & ESM

Appointment of Resolution & Credential Committees – President Knight
There will be one resolution to be approved. That will take place at the banquet.

Nomination of Officers (nominated during the past year)

5-Year Trustee Tyrone Harward St. George

Secretary Brady George Salt Lake City

2028 Convention St. George

(All above nominations are unopposed and accepted by acclamation)

Convention Bid 2027 & 2028 (Tropic 2027 & St. George 2028)

Service Award Ceremony

Memorial will be at 4:30 pm at the Provo Library

Meeting Adjourned