

**25th Annual New Mexico Fire Service Conference
September 26 – 29, 2024 ✦ Ruidoso, New Mexico**

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM-AT-A-GLANCE

“Preparing New Mexico’s Fire Service for the Future”

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH

11:00 am – 6:30 pm

REGISTRATION

10:30 am – 6:30 pm

VENDORS SET-UP

3:00 – 7:00 pm

**LINDA GAUME JARAMILLO
MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT**

1:00 – 4:00 pm

**FUND ACT & EMS AGENCY
CERTIFICATION**

- Rachel Marquez, Fund Act Coord.
NMDOH - EMS Bureau

6:30 – 8:30 pm

**WELCOME RECEPTION, VENDOR
SHOW & DINNER**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH

7:30 am – 5:00 pm

REGISTRATION

8:00 – 8:30 am

**REFRESHMENTS/VENDOR TIME
EXHIBIT HALL OPEN**

8:00 – 8:30 am

OPENING CEREMONIES

Class A Uniforms or coat and tie

WELCOME

- Kevin Hope, NMFCA President
- James Salas, Immediate Past President
- Mayor Lynn Crawford

8:30 – 8:50 am

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

TOPIC: *To Be Determined*

- Emily Jaramillo, Fire Chief
Albuquerque Fire Rescue

9:00 – 11:30 am

MORNING GENERAL SESSION

TOPIC: This House Rocks – Achieving
Firehouse Excellence

- Mike Gagliano, Captain (Retired)
Seattle Fire Department

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH – Con’t.

11:30 – 1:00 pm – **LUNCH**

11:30 – 4:30 pm

EXHIBIT HALL OPEN

1:30 – 5:00 pm

AFTERNOON GENERAL SESSION

1:30 – 4:00 pm

TOPIC: The Art of Go/No Go

- Mike Gagliano
Captain (Retired)
Seattle Fire Department

2:45 – 3:00 pm - **BREAK**

4:15 – 4:30 pm

**TOPIC: NM State Fire Marshal’s
Office Firefighters Training Academy**

- Austin Meuli
Deputy State Fire Marshal

4:30 – 5:00 pm

TOPIC: TBD

5:30 – 10:00 pm

DINNER & MUSIC

Entertainment: THUNDERKATZ

Classic Country – Fabian Romero

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH

8:00 am – 12:00 pm

REGISTRATION

8:00 – 9:00 am

REFRESHMENTS & VENDOR TIME

8:00 am – 1:00 pm

EXHIBIT HALL OPEN

9:00 – 11:30 am

MORNING GENERAL SESSION

TOPIC: TBD

- Jason Fejer, Lt.
Public Information Officer
Albuquerque Fire Rescue

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH – Con’t.

11:30 am – 1:00 pm - **VENDOR TIME**

12:00 – 1:00 pm - **LUNCH**

1:30 – 4:00 pm

AFTERNOON GENERAL SESSION

1:30 – 4:00 pm

TOPIC: Fully Involved Leadership

- Mark Von Appen
Captain (Retired)
Palo Alto Fire Department, CA

2:45 – 3:00 pm – **BREAK**

4:15 – 6:00 pm

**NMFCA ANNUAL BUSINESS
MEETING & BOARD ELECTION
(President-Elect, D2 & D4)**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH

8:30 am – 12:30 pm

CLOSING PLENARY

8:30 – 11:30 am

**TOPIC: Fully Involved Leadership –
Con’t.**

- Mark VonAppen
Captain (Retired)
Palo Alto Fire Department, CA

10:15 – 10:30 am -**BREAK**

11:30 am – 12:00 noon

Closing Remarks

- Kevin Hope, President
NM Fire Chiefs Association
Fire Chief – City of Artesia
- Door Prize Drawings
- SW Division – IAFC Business
Meeting & Election

12:00 pm

CONFERENCE ADJOURNS

