

COMMITTEE ON PYROTECHNICS

TO: Committee on Pyrotechnics

FROM: Guy R. Colonna, Staff Liaison

DATE: December 7, 2009

SUBJ: Meeting Notice – ROP meeting for NFPA 1125 and continued work on NFPA 1124

The next meeting of the Committee on Pyrotechnics has been scheduled for **February 1 – 2, 2010 at the Hilton Salt Lake City Center, Salt Lake City, UT. This meeting is the ROP meeting for NFPA 1125 (A2011 revision cycle) and the continuation of work towards the next revision to NFPA 1124.**

The meeting will start at 8:30 a.m., Monday, February 1st and will conclude by 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 2nd. In addition, a task group meeting for the Rocketry members and any other interested members will be conducted on Sunday, January 31st starting at 1:00 p.m. until about 6:00 p.m.

NFPA 1125 is in the Annual 2011 revision cycle and 14 Public Proposals were submitted prior to the November 24, 2009 closing date. NFPA 1124 is also currently in this same cycle working on the recommendations delivered by the Standards Council in its decision regarding the consumer fireworks retail sales provisions in Chapter 7. It is possible that an additional change in cycle for NFPA 1124 will be required. However, work on the 9 items in the Council Decision will continue during breakout sessions at this meeting. A total of 44 Public Proposals have been submitted to NFPA 1124 so far.

To further assist the Committee in its work on the Council decision items, members of the NFPA 1 Committee have been invited to join the Pyrotechnics Committee task group working on NFPA 1 issues as part of the business on February 1st.

Lunch will be provided on the first day to facilitate the Committee's work. The date and location of this meeting was selected to coordinate with the ROP meeting of the Fire Code Committee to enable the task group work on the NFPA 1 related items from Chapter 7 of NFPA 1124.

The agenda for this meeting will be dedicated to ongoing work associated with the three NFPA 1124, Chapter 6 and 7 task groups established at the meeting in October 2008 in Minneapolis – NFPA 1 items, NFPA 5000 items and NFPA 101, 13, and 204 items. In addition, the Rocketry representatives will lead the Committee in discussion of the ROP items pertinent to the next revision of NFPA 1125. In addition, the NFPA 1123 ballistics task group might provide an update on its activities with respect to future changes to NFPA 1123 distance tables.

A block of rooms has been set aside for this meeting at the Hilton Salt Lake City Center, 255 S. West Temple, Salt Lake City, UT 84101. The rate for rooms is \$109.00 for single/double. You are responsible for making your own reservations; you can do this by calling (801) 328-2000 by the January 18, 2010 cut-off date and requesting the NFPA room block for the Pyrotechnics Committee meeting. I have reserved 20 rooms for the 31st and 1st, and 10 rooms for the 2nd.

The hotel does not provide transportation from the airport – shuttle service provided by Valley Shuttle costs \$8 one way and \$16 roundtrip. For shuttle reservations, please call 866-550-7433. Taxi from the airport to the hotel (about 7 miles) is estimated to cost \$20.

The meeting attendance form is enclosed; please return this form by January 8, 2010. A tentative agenda is also enclosed.

Thank you in advance for your participation. Please feel free to contact Patti Mucci or me for assistance. This information is also posted on the Committee web site. We can be reached at (617) 984-7948 and FAX (617) 984-7110 or e-mail at gcolonna@nfpa.org. I look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Note: Please remember that the return of ballots and attendance at Committee meetings is required in accordance with 2-1.3.1 of the Regulations Governing Committee Projects.

Enclosures: (1) Agenda
(2) Meeting Attendance form

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February 1 – 2, 2010

Hilton Salt Lake City Center

Salt Lake City, UT

8:30 a.m.

DRAFT AGENDA

1. Meeting opening, welcome members and guests, and introductions
2. Chair's remarks, James K. Lathrop
3. Review and approve minutes from August 31 – September 1, 2009 meeting (San Diego, CA)
4. Staff Liaison update (Committee Roster, schedule, advisory service)
5. NFPA 1124 – Task Group Reports
 - a. NFPA 1 Items Task Group – T. Trout, leader
 - b. NFPA 5000 Items Task Group – W. Weimer, leader
 - c. NFPA 13, 101, 204 Items Task Group – J. Farley, leader
6. NFPA 1125 – Rocketry Task Group Report on January 31, 2010 pre-meeting session
7. NFPA 1123 – Ballistics Task Group Update
8. Breakout sessions – various task groups
9. NFPA 1125 Report on Proposals
 - a. Public Proposals – review and action by Committee
 - b. Committee Proposals – review and action by Committee (as needed)
10. Other business
11. Review plans and schedule
12. Next meeting – TBD

ATTENDANCE FORM

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**February 1 - 2, 2010
Hilton Salt Lake City Center
Salt Lake City, UT
8:30 a.m.**

_____ I will attend the meeting.

_____ I will be unable to attend the meeting

Signature

Print Name

Please return the form by January 8, 2010.

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Form may also be FAXED: (617) 984-7110

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