

# SFPE NCR AGM

January 26th 2023

## **AGENDA**



- President's Welcome
- Constitution Update
- Executive Committee Update
- Programming Report
- Membership Report (including new fee structure for 2023)
- Treasurer Report
- Fundraising
- SFPE Canadian Chapters
- Other Business

## **WELCOME!**



#### Objective:

- ► To advance the science and practice of fire protection engineering and its allied fields, to maintain a high professional and ethical standing among its members, and to foster fire protection engineering education
- Modernizing SFPE NCR
  - Wild Apricot / Website / LinkedIn
  - Online Events
  - Chapter Constitution

### **CONSTITUTION UPDATE**



- Proposal posted on website
- Do not require NCR members to be SFPE members
- Recommend Executive Committee to be SFPE members, but not required
- Membership requests through website
- President and VP can hold office for 2 years OR UNTIL SUCCESSOR FOUND
- Added gender neutral language
- Removed bi-annual Newsletter requirements
- Officer nominating committee will be formed by the Executive Committee
- Removed chapter meetings
- Amendments by Executive Committee

### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**



- ► The Nominating Committee, recommends the appointment of the following members as Chapter Officers and members of the Executive Committee for 2023
- President Lindsay Ranger
- Vice-President/Membership Dominic Esposito
- Programming Chief Peter McBride
- ► Treasurer Geoff Randal / Richard Michels
- Student Representative Adam Petrycki (social media)
- Secretary EMPTY
- ▶ Directors Claire Frechette, Amer Al Merabi, Chief Duncan McNaughton
- Directors at Large Bill Fremis, Matt Jardine

### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**



- Kevin Wu stepped down
- Chief Duncan McNaughton OFS joined in January
- Adam Petrycki joined as Student Representative
- Need more Directors!
  - Secretary (meeting minutes)
  - ▶ Online event organizer (creating posters, initiating events in WildApricot).

## **PROGRAMMING REPORT 2022**



- ► February 9<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Student Conference 40
- March 9<sup>th</sup> Simulation: High Fidelity and Versatility. Dr. Katherine Lamb 16
- May 3<sup>rd</sup> Mass Timber Demonstration Burns. Dr. Steve Craft 60
- May 25<sup>th</sup> New Energy Efficient Homes . Dr. Beth Weckman -17
- June 29<sup>th</sup> Celebration Of Dr. Hadjisophocleous Retirement 28
- Oct 6<sup>th</sup> High Rise Fire Fighting. Cpt Brent Brooks 61

## **PROGRAMMING IDEAS 2023**



- ► NBCC/NFCC 2020 Code Update (2 part presentation)
- Witness training at OFS training facility
- ▶ 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Student Conference
- Nuclear industry related
- NRC Code harmonization
- Lithium ion batteries
- Facility tours
- More in person networking events
- Aiming for 8 in 2023
- Can use SFPE technical sessions for PEO PEAK hours

## MEMBERSHIP REPORT



- 40 active members
- 6 lapsed members
- Revenue (2022 to end of November):
  - ► Membership Fees: \$700
  - ► Technical Session Registrations: \$955
    - ▶ 51 member registrations
    - ▶ 70 non-member registrations
  - ► Total: \$1655

### MEMBERSHIP REPORT



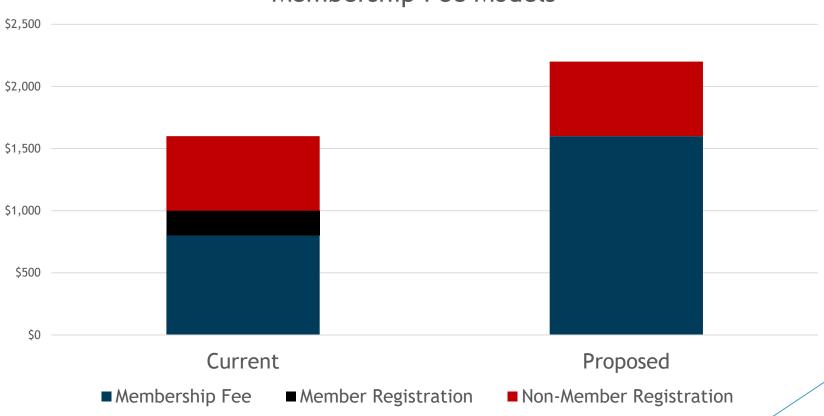
- NEW fee structure
  - ► Increasing membership fees to \$40 / year
    - ▶ Offset with free member attendance to Technical Sessions
  - Members have until March 31, 2023 to renew at existing pricing
  - Motion passed by Directors unanimously
  - Will send out email to members following AGM
  - ▶ Going forward will require dues to be paid January 1st of each year
  - ▶ Assume an active annual membership of 40, 60 non-member registrations

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#### Membership Fee Models



## TREASURER'S REPORT - 2022



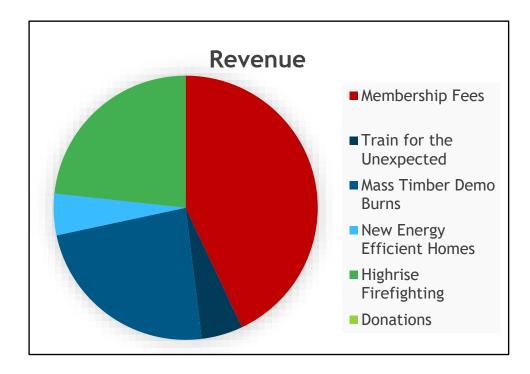
#### Richard Michels & Geoff Randall

Opening Balance: \$2,827.90

Revenue: \$1760.00

Net: \$410.19

Closing Balance: \$3238.09

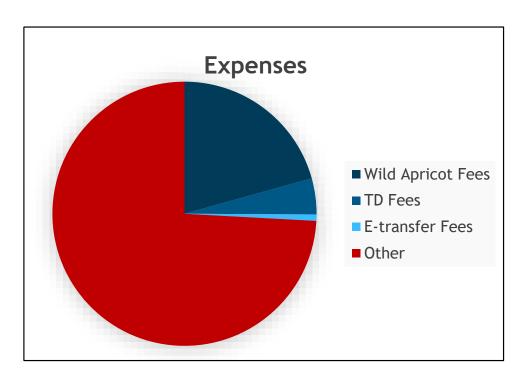


Membership Fees	\$720.00
Train for the Unexpected	\$85.00
Mass Timber Demo	\$95.00
New Energy Homes	\$85.00
Highrise Firefighting	\$390.00
Donations	\$0

## TREASURER'S REPORT - 2022



• Expenses: \$1349.81



Wild Apricot Fees	\$ 279.19	
TD Fees	\$ 59.40	
E-transfer Fees	\$ 10.50	
Other	\$ 1,000.72	

## WEBSITE



- No longer needed old website once migrated to Wild Apricot
- ▶ Will only pay for <u>sfpe-ncr.ca</u> domain going forward
- Allows us to manage events and membership
- All content moved

## **FUNDRAISING**



- ▶ 2023 Initiative to renew Ken Richardson Bursary fund
- Auction off antique brass fire extinguisher
- ► French and English. Unique piece of Canadian Fire Fighting History





## **SFPE Canadian Chapters**



- Created a group of SFPE Canadian Chapter Presidents
- Possible formation of an SFPE Canada organization
  - Discussions with SFPE Headquarters
  - Foster collaboration between chapters
  - Promote fire protection engineering professional practice in Canada
  - Survey now available
- Cross promotion of online events with other chapters

## **Other Business**



## **SOCIAL EVENT**



Please join us this evening at Mill St. Brew Pub 6:00-8:00 pm



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