



Tennessee Fire Chiefs Association Spring Quarterly Meeting Park Vista Hotel Gatlinburg, TN May 5 - 8, 2026

**(Room Rate \$110/night, room rate code CDTF26 if booked by April 1st or till room block is full
Hotel Reservations Call 865-436-9211 or use group code above online/Hilton APP**

[Available Rooms - The Park Vista - a DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel - Gatlinburg](#)

Tuesday, May 5, 2026:

TN Firefighting Commission Work Session 0900 – 1700
(Meeting Room: TBD)

Wednesday, May 6, 2026:

TN Firefighting Commission Business Meeting 0900 – 1700
(Meeting Room: TBD)

TN Pipeline Emergency Response Initiative (TNPERI) Board Meeting 1000 – 1300
Committee Chair Ken Tuggle **(Meeting Room: TBD)**

Volunteer Committee Meeting 1000 – 1030
Committee Chair Melvin Martin **(Meeting Room: TBD)**

Vendor Room Open (Meeting Room: TBD) 1030 – 1600

New Chief Officers and Attendees Networking Session 1030 – 1130
Introduction for all new chief officers and attendees to network with
TFCA Board of Directors and Committee Chairs **(Meeting Room: TBD)**

LUNCH w/Vendors (Meeting Room: TBD) 1130 – 1230

“National Firefighter Registry for Cancer Program Overview” 1230 – 1300
Presented by Jeff Burns, NFR Ambassador, Ret. Miami- Dade FRD Lt. **(Meeting Room: TBD)**

“Understanding & Reducing Complex Secondary Stress in First Responders” 1300 – 1400
Presented by Casey Merrill, Executive Clinical Director Hope Nation **(Meeting Room: TBD)**

Medical CEU Training Presented by Guardian Group 1400 – 1700
Registration required for CE Credit **(Meeting Room: TBD)**

NETWORK ROOM Sponsored by Platinum Corporate Sponsor **MES!** 1900 – 2300
(Meeting Room: TBD)

Thursday, May 7, 2026:

BREAKFAST for TFCA Members Only (Meeting Room: TBD) Sponsored by Platinum Corporate Sponsor <u>NAFECO!</u>	0730 – 0830
Congressman John Rose (TN Governor Candidate) Q&A Session Candidate requested to come speak to membership (Meeting Room: TBD)	0830 – 0930
Vendor Room Open (Meeting Room: TBD)	0900 – 1430
“Fire Codes & Standards: What Chiefs Need to Know and Why” Presented by Jeremy Criner, CFO, CTO, EFO, MIFireE – Regional Director NFPA (Meeting Room: TBD)	0930 – 1015
“CPSE Program Appraisal Process” Fire Accreditation Consortium of TN Presentation/Meeting Presented by Jim White, CFAI Program Manager <i>Committee Chair Jason Powell</i>	1015 – 1130
LUNCH for TFCA Members Only (Meeting Room: TBD) Sponsored by Platinum Corporate Sponsor <u>Siddons-Martin Emergency Group!</u>	1130 – 1230
Legislative Committee Meeting Committee Chair David Windrow (Meeting Room: TBD)	1230 – 1315
TN Fire Chiefs Leadership Academy Hosted by Gary West, Chief West Strategies, Inc. (Meeting Room: Meeting Room: TBD)	1315 – 1600
Mutual Aid Committee Meeting Committee Chair Chief Eric Mitchell (<i>Meeting Room: TBD</i>)	1600 – 1630
Professional Development Committee Meeting Committee Chair Ronnie Beasley (Meeting Room: TBD)	1630 – 1700
NETWORK ROOM Sponsored by Platinum Corporate Sponsor <u>MES!</u> (Meeting Room: TBD)	2000 – 2300

Friday, May 8, 2026:

TFCA Board/Business Meeting (Meeting Room: TBD)	0830 – 1100
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SAVE THE DATE
TFCA Annual Leadership Conference
August 1 – 4, 2026
Murfreesboro, TN
Embassy Suites Hotel & Conference Center
615-890-4464
Room Rate \$169/night Group Code: 90Z
<https://www.hilton.com/en/attend-my-event/tn-fire-chiefs-assoc-2026/>
Full agenda to be posted on the TN Fire Chiefs webpage soon