



The meeting of the New Jersey State Association of Fire Districts will be held on September 12th, 2025, at 09:30 hours. Located Wildwood Convention Center 4501 Boardwalk, Wildwood, NJ 08620 in Ballroom -C

Agenda (Zoom meeting Recording)

Flag Salute

Oath of Office

Richard Mikutsky - DFS

President Robert Donahue, & Vise President Richard Horton

Treasurer Greg Santonastaso, & Secretary Artie Hayducka

Trustees

North Nick Lombardi

Central Peter Goldring

South John Mulholland

At Large Benjamin Guerrini

Assemblyman Rob Karabinchak (D-Middlesex)

Legislative report from Lynn

Robert Kennedy & George Allen (DCA- Local Government Services -on Zoom)

Secretary report

Treasurers report

Old Business – Brian Wallace / Kirk LeBlanc -VFIS

New Business

Leza Raffel (Communication Solutions)

“Connecting with the Hard-to-Reach Voters in Order to Get Your Referendum Passed” – NJ is a-changing, with a growing density of faith-based communities, NYC senior citizen transplants and non-English speaking households. What are the best practices for reaching these unique groups of voters, educating them on the needs of your fire district and convincing them to vote in February? Communication Solutions will share its strategy – which yielded three out of three winning referendums in February of 2025.