

**Sonoma County**  
**Fire Chief's Association**  
**Operations / Training Section**  
**April 2012 Meeting Minutes**

Called to order by Dan George at 0900 hours.

**Attendance:** Introductions

***Members***

Dan George  
David Cornelssen  
Wes Kitchel  
Spencer Andreis  
Sean Lacey  
Rick Blackmon  
Jack Piccinini  
John Lantz  
Darrin DeCarli  
Bill Braga  
Eleanor Ratliff  
John Marty  
Tony Gossner

***Members***

Herb Wandel  
Randy Collins  
Ken Sebastiani

***Changes to Agenda:*** None

***Approval of minutes:*** Done

***Liaison Reports:***

***Sonoma County Fire Chiefs:***

B Braga and R Collins updated group. 2 new REDCOM board members installed

***Fire Tech:***

Driver Operator 1A cut from the current budget to meet 5% cuts  
JC in discussions with Cal Fire on 130 classes  
JC live burns May 3 & 19  
CSFM working on changes to the Cert Prgograms

***Marin Ops Group:***

No rep this month. Cornelssen attended the Mar. meeting Marin STL refresher May 14.  
Discussed 1<sup>st</sup> alarm assignments and upgrades to working fire. Carried over  
EMS Life Source working on a new PCR system. Implementation soon.  
Ken Mazzuco retiring from Marin County

***SC Fire Prevention Officers:*** No update

***Old Business:***

**RIC Policy** (update) D DeCarli discussed the changes. Resending to the group for review.

**Strike Team Leader:** J Piccinini heading a group looking at currency requirements. They will also look at the current program and recommend adjustments needed based on the CICCIS 2010 document. D Cornelssen, R Dorgherty & S Lacy assisting

**Bylaws** Role the Ops group into the current TO's

**Goal Setting Minutes:** Dan will follow up with Tom Forester

**DMV Reg.s:** Rolled over to the next meeting. J Lantz and R Bosordi will discuss class they attended

**Radio Tones:** Recommended the REDCOM policy be updated to include language recognizing some agencies abilities to generate tones on Tac channels

***New Business:***

***1030 TO's meeting started***

Discussed meeting format. Asking all members of both groups attend both sections starting at 0900hrs. Operations issues will precede training.

**Round Table Information:** Updated training attendees on previous discussions and

**Meeting Adjourned:** 1130 hours

**Submitted by:** David Cornelssen