

IaSFSI 2027 SOCIETY CONFERENCE

FEBRUARY 26-27, 2027



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DAY ONE • FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 26

CAMP DODGE

7105 NW 70TH ST • BLDG 3536 (B-59)
JOHNSTON, IA 50131

🕒 12:30 p.m.	Registration
🕒 1:00-2:00 p.m.	Welcome and Updates
🕒 2:00-5:00 p.m.	NVFC: Teaching Hazmat on a Budget
🕒 5:00-5:15 p.m.	Break
🕒 5:15-6:15 p.m.	IaSFSI Annual Business Meeting
🕒 7:30-10:00 p.m.	Social Event at Magee's

💰 **COST:**
\$140

DAY TWO • SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 27

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2006 S ANKENY BLVD
ANKENY, IA 50023

🕒 7:30 a.m.	Registration
🕒 8:00 a.m.	Forest Reeder Drills That Deliver
🕒 11:45-12:30 p.m.	Lunch
🕒 12:30-1:45 p.m.	Jerry Wiser 2025 Instructor of the Year Presentation
🕒 1:45-2:00 p.m.	2026 IaSFSI Instructor of the Year Award
🕒 2:00-2:15 p.m.	Break
🕒 2:15 p.m.	Forest Reeder Outcomes Over Objectives

🛏 **HOTEL:**
RESIDENCE INN
1515 SW MAIN ST, ANKENY
\$119 SPECIAL RATE

REGISTRATION:
<https://www.iasfsi.org/events>



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NVFC: TEACHING HAZMAT ON A BUDGET

Teaching hazmat to responders does not have to be costly. Identify the key components of a hazmat training budget, plan for direct and indirect costs, use a risk-based needs assessment, and align training goals with available funds. Learn to find free and low-cost materials, resources, and opportunities—and leave ready to build practical drills with minimal-cost resources.



FOREST REEDER • DRILLS THAT DELIVER MASTERING INITIAL FIREGROUND OPERATIONS

Are your crews performing at the standard—or above it? Using NFPA 1410 evolutions as the foundation, turn baseline standards into stronger, more consistent crew capability across water supply, attack-line deployment, standpipe operations, and rescue-oriented tactics. This fast-paced workshop gives companies a repeatable roadmap for building real-world fireground readiness.



FOREST REEDER • OUTCOMES OVER OBJECTIVES

Teaching to pass a test is not the same as teaching to perform under pressure. Fire Instructor I and II personnel learn to design, deliver, and evaluate training that produces measurable performance outcomes—aligning NFPA 1041 principles, adult-learning practices, and real-world fireground success.



FEATURED INSTRUCTOR • FOREST REEDER

Forest Reeder began his fire service career in 1978 and retired as Fire Chief of the Tinley Park, Illinois, Fire Department in 2021. Since retiring, he has served as Interim Fire Chief in Sterling, Illinois, and Marion, Iowa. He earned a Master of Science in Public Safety Administration in 2004 and works extensively in instruction, firefighter safety, and officer development. Reeder is the author of *Fire Department Incident Safety Officer*, 4th edition (2025), and co-author of *Fire and Emergency Service Instructor: Principles and Practice*, 4th edition. He was named the 2008 ISFSI George D. Post Instructor of the Year.



ALSO FEATURED • JERRY WISER

2025 INSTRUCTOR OF THE YEAR PRESENTATION

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