



## ***INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE COUNCIL***



To: ICC Fire Service Chapter Presidents  
From: International Fire Code Council  
Ref: Meeting between chapter presidents and IFCC  
Date: Friday, October 23, 2009  
Where: ICC Code Hearings, Baltimore Maryland - *Convention Center Room 307*

Dear Chapter Presidents,

The International Fire Code Council (IFCC) would like to invite you to attend a meeting to be held on Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> in Baltimore, Maryland the evening before the beginning of the fire code hearings on the IFC which starts on Saturday morning, October 24<sup>th</sup>. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss and ensure all attendees understand the newly established ICC process of developing codes; to receive feedback on how we the fire service can encourage more fire service participation in the ICC process; and to hear ideas and suggestions from the ICC fire service chapters about any concerns your chapter may have about the ICC.

One of the many functions of the International Fire Code Council is to serve as a liaison between the fire service and the ICC Board of Directors. Since the purpose of IFCC is to represent the interest of the fire service and the ICC in order to meet government, industry, and public needs by providing leadership and direction on matters of fire and life safety, the IFCC would like to have this meeting to provide an open forum for discussion with the fire service chapters. This will enable us to ensure that we are representing the fire service accordingly.

As president of a fire service chapter, we are assuming you will be attending the IFC hearings and again we would like to invite you to meet with some of the IFCC members and myself Friday evening October 23<sup>rd</sup>. If you are unable to attend, please designate one representative from your chapter that is attending the code hearings to attend this meeting. We would appreciate an RSVP made to Mel Cosgrove at the following address: [MCosgrove@iccsafe.org](mailto:MCosgrove@iccsafe.org). Thank you for your service.

Sincerely,

Dwayne Garriss  
Chairman IFCC