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## Final Action Results from the 2021 NFPA Technical Meeting

The 2021 Technical Meeting provided an opportunity for continuing debate on 10 NFPA standards, with the pursuit of 30 certified amending motions. As the third stage of the NFPA standards development process, the Technical Meeting is an integral step which ensures that consensus is achieved prior to Standards Council review and issuance of new editions. As a result of the debate and voting by NFPA members, three certified amending motions were passed, while 27 failed to gain the support of the voting membership. To view the results of the Tech Session, the final debate reports, or information regarding deadlines for filing of appeals, please visit [www.nfpa.org/2021techsession](http://www.nfpa.org/2021techsession).

## Proposed Tentative Interim Amendments Seeking Comments

The following proposed tentative interim amendments (TIAs) are being published for public review and comment. Anyone may submit a comment on these proposed TIAs by the listed closing dates at tias_errata_fis@nfpa.org.

TIAs are amendments to an NFPA standard that are processed in accordance with Section 5 of the Regulations Governing the Development of NFPA Standards. If issued, TIAs become effective between editions of a standard. An issued TIA automatically becomes a Public Input for the next edition of the standard, and proceeds through the NFPA standards development process.

### NFPA 13-2019 and Proposed 2022 Editions
- **Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems**
  - TIA Log No.: 1595
  - Reference: Table 7.3.1.1
  - Comment Closing Date: August 4, 2021
  - Submitter: John Denhardt, American Fire Sprinkler Association
  - Available for review and comment submission at [www.nfpa.org/13](http://www.nfpa.org/13)

### NFPA 13-2019 and Proposed 2022 Editions
- **Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems**
  - TIA Log No.: 1596
  - Reference: 7.5.1.3(new)
  - Comment Closing Date: August 4, 2021
  - Submitter: John Denhardt, American Fire Sprinkler Association
  - Available for review and comment submission at [www.nfpa.org/13](http://www.nfpa.org/13)

### NFPA 13-Proposed 2022 Edition
- **Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems**
  - TIA Log No.: 1599
  - Reference: 14.2.8.2.4(new)
  - Comment Closing Date: August 9, 2021

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Submitter: John Denhardt, American Fire Sprinkler Association
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/13

NFPA 13-Proposed 2022 Edition
*Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems*
TIA Log No.: 1600
Reference: 21.1.1 and 23.1
Comment Closing Date: August 9, 2021
Submitter: John Denhardt, American Fire Sprinkler Association
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/13

NFPA 30-2021 Edition
*Flammable and Combustible Liquids Code*
TIA Log No.: 1565
Reference: Figures 16.2.6, 16.4.1(c), Table 16.5.2.16, 16.5.2.7, Tables 16.5.2.7, 16.5.2.17, 16.5.2.18, Figure 16.6.4.1(b), 16.6.5.1, and Figures 16.6.5.1(a) and 16.6.5.1(b)(new)
Comment Closing Date: July 26, 2021
Submitter: Steven Wolin, Reliable Automatic Sprinkler Co., Inc.
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/30

NFPA 55-2020 Edition
*Compressed Gases and Cryogenic Fluids Code*
TIA Log No.: 1601
Reference: 17.2.9(new) and A.17.2.9(new)
Comment Closing Date: August 30, 2021
Submitter: Keith Ferrari, Linde/Praxair, Inc.
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/55

NFPA 70*-2020 Edition
*National Electrical Code®*
TIA Log No.: 1589
Reference: Section 210.8(F)
Comment Closing Date: July 19, 2021
Submitter: Dan Buuck, National Association Home Builders, and Clayton Traylor, Leading Builders of America
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/70

NFPA 105-2022 Edition
*Standard for Smoke Door Assemblies and Other Opening Protectives*
TIA Log No.: 1554
Reference: 7.5.2.2.3 and A.7.5.2.2.3
Comment Closing Date: August 4, 2021
Submitter: Dion Abril, Joint Committee on Energy and Environmental Policy (JCEEP)
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/105

NFPA 652- 2019 Edition
*Standard on the Fundamentals of Combustible Dust*
TIA Log No.: 1525
Reference: 1.3.3(new), 2.4, 3.3.6, Various new definitions in 3.3, 8.4.2.2, 8.4.2.6.2 item (4), 9.4.6, A.3.3.8, A.9.4.7.4.6 and D.1.2.8
Comment Closing Date: August 30, 2021
Submitter: Samuel Rodgers, Honeywell
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/652

NFPA 1221-2019 Edition
*Standard for the Installation, Maintenance, and Use of Emergency Services Communications Systems*
TIA Log No.: 1580
Reference: 11.3.9,11.3.9.2.3, 11.3.9.2.3.1.1(new), 11.3.9.2.3.1.2(new), and 11.3.9.2.3.1.3(new)
Comment Closing Date: July 27, 2021
Submitter: John Facella, Panther Pines Consulting
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/1221

NFPA 80-2019 and Proposed 2022 Editions
*Standard for Fire Doors and Other Opening Protectives*
TIA Log No.: 1553
Reference: 19.5.1.3 and A.19.5.1.3
Comment Closing Date: August 4, 2021
Submitter: Dion Abril, Joint Committee on Energy and Environmental Policy (JCEEP)
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/80
Comment Closing Date: July 26, 2021
Submitter: Amanda Newsom, UL LLC
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/1977

NFPA 1999-2018 Edition
Standard on Protective Clothing and Ensembles for Emergency Medical Operations
TIA Log No.: 1579
Reference: Various in Chapters 7 and 8
Comment Closing Date: July 26, 2021
Submitter: William Fithian, Safety Equipment Institute
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/1999

NFPA 1999-2018 Edition
Standard on Protective Clothing and Ensembles for Emergency Medical Operations
TIA Log No.: 1586
Reference: Section 8.1.3 and 8.1.4(new)
Comment Closing Date: July 26, 2021
Submitter: Amanda Newsom, UL LLC
Available for review and comment submission at www.nfpa.org/1999

Committee Calendar

Detailed meeting information is located on each Document Information Page under the Next Edition tab. If you are planning to attend a Technical Committee meeting as a guest, please familiarize yourself with the Regulations Governing the Development of NFPA Standards (Section 3.3.3.3) for further information.

For specific meeting information, please contact the responsible staff liaison listed on NFPA’s Document Information Page and refer to the Technical Committee tab.

Interested in getting more involved? NFPA Technical Committee meetings are open to the public.

As NFPA continues to ensure the safety of our volunteers and participants during the COVID 19 pandemic, all meetings are currently being held via Web meeting.

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19-20 Hot Work Operations (51B First Draft)
19-20 Interior Finish and Contents (INT) (101, 5000 First Draft)
19-21 Hyperbaric and Hypobaric Facilities (HYP) (99, 99B First Draft)
20-22 Building Construction (BLC) (220, 221, 5000 First Draft)
22 Professional Qualifications (1026, 1030, 1091, 1910 First Draft CC)
22 Boiler Combustion System Hazards (85 Pre-First Draft CC)
22-23 Medical Equipment (MED) (99 First Draft)
22-23 Operations (OPS) (30 First Draft)
26 Operations (OPS) (30 First Draft)
28 Operations (OPS) (30 First Draft)
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Then choose the “Technical Committee” tab and select the link “Apply to Committee.” Sign-in or create a free online account with NFPA before using this application system.

The Regulations Governing the Development of NFPA Standards require that no more than one-third of the voting members shall represent any one interest. On some occasions, a Technical Committee or Correlating Committee may be temporarily out of balance, due to a member resignation, change of status, pending recruitment efforts, or other circumstance, resulting in representation of an interest exceeding one-third of the total Voting Members. In such circumstances, the Standards Council requests that recruitment efforts be made to restore the Technical Committee or Correlating Committee to a normal balance of interests.

### Aircraft Fuel Servicing Call for Members

Following Standards Council Decision No. 20-6 (20-12-21), the Membership Task Group reported back to the Council at their April 2021 meeting about concerns regarding the membership of the Technical Committee on Aircraft Fuel Servicing (AIF-AAA) (see 21-4-1-d of the April 2021 preliminary minutes). The Council voted to disband the current Technical Committee on Aircraft Fuel Servicing (AIF-AAA) with thanks for their participation. The Council further directed a call for Committee applications be published. All existing members of the Committee, as well as other interested individuals, are encouraged to apply online at www.nfpa.org/407tc. NFPA staff will return to the Council with a proposed start-up roster and a recommendation for a Committee Chair at the August 2021 meeting.

Qualified individuals are encouraged to submit an online application.

### Fire Protection of Cannabis Growing and Processing Facilities Call for Members

At its April 2021 meeting, the Standards Council voted to approve the request of Brian Lukus, City and County of Denver, Colorado, to develop a new standard to address fire protection of cannabis growing and processing facilities (CGP-AAA) after review and deliberation of this request. NFPA Staff is to provide the Committee Membership Task Group with recommendations for the initial roster of the responsible Technical Committee in preparation for the August Council meeting, and to present proposed scopes for the committee and project to the full Council in August, as well. In accordance with the Regulations, once the responsible Technical Committee is appointed, has developed a draft document, and agrees that the draft is ready for public input, the TC will then make a request to the Council to enter the draft into its initial revision cycle.

Qualified individuals are encouraged to submit an online application.

### Propane Powered Vehicles Call for Members

The technical committee on Liquefied Petroleum Gases (LPG-AAA), responsible for NFPA 58, *Liquefied Petroleum Gas Code*, currently has a limited number of members with experience in manufacture, installation, maintenance, and inspection of propane powered
automotive vehicles. We are in need and seeking additional interested professionals to step forward and participate on the technical committee for the development of this standard.

Qualified applicants who are propane vehicle component manufacturers, fuel system manufacturers, original equipment manufacturers, installers, and mechanic instructors are being sought with expertise in the use of this standard or propane powered automotive vehicles.

Stakeholders in the following classification categories are sought:

- Consumer
- Installer/Maintainer
- Enforcing Authority
- Special Expert
- Manufacturing

Qualified individuals are encouraged to submit online application.

Should you have any questions or need assistance in submitting your application, please contact Delisa Fleming, Membership Coordinator, at dfleming@nfpa.org.

Fire Doors and Windows Call for Members

The Technical Committee on Fire Doors and Windows (FDW-AAA) is responsible for NFPA 80, Standard for Fire Doors and Other Opening Protectives and NFPA 105, Standard for Smoke Door Assemblies and Other Opening Protectives. We are currently seeking professional individuals interested to participate in the development of these standards with expertise in installation, maintenance, or inspection of the various types of opening protectives addressed in NFPA 80 and NFPA 105. Technical committee members in the following classification categories are being sought: Enforcing Authority, Insurance, User, Installer/Maintainer, Labor, Special Expert, Applied Research/Testing Laboratory, and Consumer.

Qualified individuals are encouraged to submit an online application.

Detention and Correctional Occupancies Call for Members

The Technical Committee on Detection and Correctional Occupancies (BLD-DET & SAF-DET) is responsible for requirements pertaining to the protection of human life and property from fire and other circumstances capable of producing similar consequences, and on the emergency movement of people in detention and correctional occupancies within NFPA 101®, Life Safety Code®, and NFPA 5000®, Building Construction and Safety Code®. We are currently seeking professional individuals interested to participate on this technical committee with expertise in the committee scope. Technical committee members of all classification categories are currently being sought.

Qualified individuals are encouraged to submit an online application.

Safety to Life – Alternative Approaches to Life Safety Call for Members

The Technical Committee on Safety to Life – Alternative Approaches to Life Safety (SAF-ALS), responsible for NFPA 101A, Guide on Alternative Approaches to Life Safety, is seeking new members. Individuals with experience using the NFPA 101A fire safety evaluation systems (FSEs) in the following interest categories are being sought: Manufacturer, User, Installer/Maintainer, Labor, Applied Research/Testing Laboratory, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, and Consumer.

Qualified individuals are encouraged to submit an online application.

Standards Seeking Public Input

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