

CHIEF PETER J. BURKE, JR.

Candidate for IAFC International Director

New England Division | October 30, 2025

LEADERSHIP & VISION

Aligning Our Organizations for Greater Impact

The fire service needs unified leadership from the IAFC through division, state, and county associations. Together, we can amplify our collective voice, share best practices, and drive meaningful progress for departments of all sizes.

CURRENT LEADERSHIP

- Fire Chief, Hyannis Fire Department (2017-Present)
- Past President, Fire Chiefs Association of Massachusetts
- Member, New England Division Board
- Member, IAFC Communication Committee

EXPERIENCE

- Career Firefighter sine 2002, Chief Officer since 2012
- Instructor and Coordinator, MA Firefighting Academy
- Adjunct Instructor, Cape Cod Community College

PROVEN RESULTS FOR NEW ENGLAND

- Co-coordinated the first Technology Symposium and Health and Wellness Symposium for the Division
- Member if the IAFC Technology Council and Communications Committee

EDUCATION

- Master's, Emergency Management Massachusetts Maritime Academy
- Bachelor's, Fire Science Providence College
- Chief Fire Officer Program UMASS Boston
- Harvard Kennedy School Leadership in Homeland Security and Homeland Security Executive Seminar
- Suffolk University Local Government Leadership Certificate

Vote at the Annual Business Meeting

Thursday, October 30, 2025 (Afternoon) | Mohegan Sun, Connecticut

Questions? Contact Chief Burke at pburke@hyannisfire.org