



# UNIFIED FIRE AUTHORITY

## MEMORANDUM

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TO: All Personnel

FROM: Fire Marshal Watkins

SUBJECT: iPads for LIV Business Inspections

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The LIV platform continues to demonstrate its value in supporting our community risk reduction (CRR) efforts through consistent and efficient business fire inspections.

Field feedback confirms the need for improved hardware to optimize LIV's performance. Sonim phones alone have proven insufficient, leading to workflow delays and data entry challenges.

With support from UFA IT, we are now deploying the (medical) iPads and leveraging Sonim phones for hotspot connectivity. This enhancement ensures reliable access to inspection tools and resources in the field, directly advancing our CRR mission.

The attached instructions provide guidance on using the Sonim phone as a hotspot to maintain connectivity. If you encounter any issues, please submit an IT ticket for assistance.

Thank you to UFA Operations personnel for your continued support and commitment to this important initiative.