



UNIFIED FIRE AUTHORITY

MEMORANDUM

25-161

September 9, 2025

TO: All Personnel
FROM: Cliff Burningham, Uniform Committee Chair
SUBJECT: Uniform Committee Openings

There are currently two openings on the Uniform Committee; open positions include the Engineer and Women's Representative positions. These positions were previously filled by Cameron Ascarte and Jenn Bevan, respectively. We appreciate the excellent work that these individuals have given as committee members. They have represented their ranks well and have contributed greatly to the betterment of all members.

We are seeking motivated individuals for these positions who are in good standing and have completed any probationary requirements. Position expectations include: attendance of committee meetings, performance of research, contribute to discussions, and assist with projects/assignments as needed. Regular in-person attendance is expected, however these meetings may be attended electronically on occasion if necessary. The Uniform Committee meets every other month, with additional meetings scheduled as needed.

Interested individuals may contact committee members with any questions. Applicants should email a letter of interest to Cliff Burningham at cburningham@unifiedfireUT.gov with a brief explanation of why they are interested. Please also include any pertinent knowledge, strengths, and abilities that you possess which may benefit the organization by you serving in this position.

All interest will be accepted until 5pm on Friday, September 26, 2025.

Committee members listed below can answer questions about serving on the committee or assist with addressing uniform concerns also.

Assistant Chief Wade Russell	Command Staff
Cliff Burningham- Chair	Captains
Lee Ascarte	Battalion Chiefs
Eric Van Duren	Paramedics
OPEN	Engineers
Bridger Bentzinger	Firefighters/Specialists
OPEN	Female Rep
Chad Simons	Sworn Day Staff
Tony Barker	Skaggs Liaison

Paul Story	Local 1696
Bill Brass	Policy