



Commentary

Welcome to the December edition of the FPANZ monthly newsletter.



Scott Lawson

First, I would like to briefly introduce myself. I have accepted the role of Executive Director for the association, with Keith Blind recently appointed as the President. I have worked in the fire protection industry for 26+ years in a number of roles, starting as a cadet with Wormald through to fire alarm technician, product manager, logistics and distribution manager, and contract project manager, to name a few. For the past year or so, I have been working with FPANZ on special projects such as the membership structure, FireNZ, and back office process improvements. Over the years, I have met and worked with a good number of you; to those I have not yet met, I look forward to doing so during my time with FPANZ.

AGM

The FPANZ annual general meeting took place in November and included a number of formalities such as voting in FPANZ council members and reviewing the Board of Directors as stipulated in the constitution. A number of people have completed their terms on the board. Special thanks go to the following members for their service and commitment to the association: David Nathan for his contribution as President; Keith Blind for his leadership as Executive Director and vice President; Mitchell Brown, Jacqui Bensemman, Joe Rose, Geoff Cardale, and David Percy as former Directors on the Board; and Claire Williams and Aaron Nicholson, council members who leave us at the end of this year. I would like to welcome the following people to the Board of Directors: Rob Fenton, Sarah Nathan, and—new to the FPANZ Council—Steve Reid, Brigitte Knill, Trent Fearnley, and Geoff Merryweather. The full details of Council/Board and associated industry groups can be found on page 20 of this edition.

TRAINING SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP

The shortage of skilled and competently trained staff in the fire protection industry continues to cause pain in the market place. From my own experience, the number of recruiters who contact me via LinkedIn trying to find skilled staff indicates that, as an industry, we have not been giving this enough investment in recent years. All too common in our industry are stories of staff poaching, rising hourly rates, and little being done to address the root cause. To this end, FPANZ

is forming a Training Special Interest Group (SIG) to address some of the issues around industry training and future staffing. If you have an interest in training or skills to offer this group, please get in touch.

FIRENZ 2016 UPDATE

We have secured the ASB Showgrounds in Greenlane for next year's conference (9–11 November 2016). We will publish more details as we complete work on the programme; however, plans are well underway and we are working on it being even bigger and better than this year's event in Wellington. Keep an eye out for the extended programme in coming months. We have also uploaded photos from FireNZ 2015 to Facebook [here](#) and the presentations can be found [here](#).

CHRISTMAS HOURS

Our office will be closing for the holidays on Wednesday 23 December and will reopen on Monday 18 January 2016.

In signing off, I would like to thank all association members for your continued support this year. I hope you are able to spend some relaxing downtime with your families and loved ones over the Christmas break. Be safe and have an enjoyable holiday season; I look forward to engaging with you in the New Year.

Scott Lawson
Executive Director, FPANZ

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Passive Group Update

- Author **Ron Green** - Passive Group Chair

We are planning to hold our first practical fire stopping session in Auckland for FPA members. This will be different than any previous passive training undertaken by FPA due to its practical hands on learning. It is aimed at all levels of knowledge with a focus on those who are required to fire stop cables, conduit, cable trays and sprinkler pipes. Supervisors and estimators will also benefit from this practical workshop. The whole session will be approximately three hours which means its only half days loss of production for members.

The session will first consist of some important theory and understanding of fire stopping systems and how plasterboard reacts in a fire plus lots of helpful tips and hints! Following the theory will be the practical session where we are planning for all attendees to be able to do fire stop at least one penetration in various mini lightweight plasterboard walls. How many numbers we will be able to accommodate will depend on suppliers and the number of walls we will be able to build.

From the first Auckland practical session we will complete an evaluation for any necessary improvements and then plan to repeat the sessions nationally including some more sessions in Auckland.

Evacuation Consultants Group Update

- Author **Ela Langford** - EVAC Group Chair

To all of the people who participate I would like to personally thank you for all the support and input for our Evacuation Special Interest Group for 2015.

We have had an exciting and very successful year and I am looking forward to the challenges and achievement of the new goals we have set for 2016. With the Code of Practice now established, the review and alignment process between the certification process and the code will begin in the new year.

The fire-review program launched in July 2015 is well underway and seven projects addressing specific fire related issues are launched and/or about to begin. These include the following projects: Fire Safety for Support Housing, Alteration to existing buildings and as near as is reasonably practical decisions for fire safety requirements, Material Group Numbers- Timber Linings, Role of the New Zealand Fire Service in consenting, Review of the Acceptable Solutions C/AS1-7, Fire Design for Prisons and Fire Stations and other specialist buildings, Understanding the various legislation in relationship to fire.

We are living in a truly exiting and pivotal time, faced with many changes to come for our sector, and so I warmly invite you to attend SIG group meetings and get actively involved.

May you all experience a blessed Merry Christmas and to everyone have a wonderful New Year.

See you in 2016.

Your Chair, *Ela Langford*

HOFFE Group Update

- Author **Lance Hunt** - HOFFE Group Chair

To all of my team I would personally like to thank you for your support and input for our special interest group in 2015.

The major focus for this group for most of 2015 was the collection of extinguisher usage data, I am pleased to report after a lot of hard work from all involved we reached the milestone of 500 surveys.

The data has been analysed and the final draft copy will be submitted by the 8th December to the New Zealand Fire Service leadership team. We will keep you informed as we head into 2016 as this is only the start of the process.

We are at draft stages for both the contractors and product importers code of practise once this document is in place it will be used as a guidance and educational tool both for people in the Fire Industry and also for those whom want to enter. We are aiming to finalise this in early 2016.

Halon collection programme continues in 2016 were we are collecting and identifying Halon. The HOFFE SIG group has been involved in this process.

There will be the continuation of the MBIE meetings responding to their need for industry relevant feedback and have submitted answers to their questionnaires. The questionnaires were part of a MBIE consultation process to find answers within the industry to the identified need for changes to legislation and gain greater alignment across the various documents governing our industry. We will continue to liaise with MBIE to this effect and of course keep you all abreast as to when and if changes occur.

Regards,

Lance Hunt,
HOFFE SIG Chair
*Merry Christmas to all,
have a happy and safe break!*



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Inspectorates Group Update - Author **Jason Godsmark** - Inspectorates Group Chair

Merry Xmas to one and all. As 2015 draws to a close, I find myself looking back at another interesting year for the fire protection industry. Construction growth has been steady in a number of areas around the country and this looks likely to continue well into 2017.

As has been noted by Ron Green and others: with the end of leaky building issues, there appears to be a new focus on fire protection systems installed in buildings. Currently the focus is on Passive protection, but active systems are also being looked at as a part of the investigations. Vigilance is needed from both the inspectorates and the contractors to ensure that all systems are installed to the highest standard and that no shortcuts are taken.

The inspectorate SIG is developing a seminar/roadshow in association with the FPA for 2016 with the intention of helping Contractors gain knowledge of the requirements for getting fire systems inspected for compliance and the steps to ensuring these systems pass first time, on time, every time. If there are any areas that you think particularly need covering please contact either the FPA or myself and we will look to incorporate your ideas.

DECEMBER'S HELPFUL HINT: Fire Rated wiring and staged evacuation.

There appears to be some confusion on when and where to use fire rated cables with evacuation systems. NZS4512:2010 402.2 (r) give guidance on this:

"In staged evacuation systems (see 406.12), where the path of loudspeaker or alerting device cabling traverses another firecell or

evacuation zone, such cabling, including joints and terminations, shall have a minimum fire resistance rating of AS/NZS 3013 classification WS51 W. Cabling within the firecell or evacuation zone it serves is not required to be fire-rated."

Staged evacuation does not necessarily mean an EWIS system, any modern analogue addressable fire alarm system is usually capable of providing staged evacuation without the need of an EWIS panel.

If the cabling for your speaker zone from the fire alarm panel runs through another zone then the cabling from the FAP to the First speaker in that zone must be fire rated as per above. This will be the case in most systems.

Regards, and I hope you all have a Happy New Year!



Fire Protection Association New Zealand

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if you have any question or would like to advertise please contact us on fpanz@fireprotection.org.nz

Court fine reminds businesses to check smoke detectors



A recent Auckland District Court decision serves as a reminder for businesses to make sure their smoke detectors are compliant.

The BB Nightclub in Auckland Central was fined \$4000 in the Auckland District Court last week after pleading guilty to covering 15 smoke detectors with plastic covers.

Auckland Council inspectors found the smoke detectors covered during an inspection in October 2014.

This meant that the fire alarm system was unusable and the building was unsafe for use.

Auckland Council's Manager Compliance – Building Control, Wolfgang Nethe, says the fine is a reminder that covering a smoke detector can have serious impacts on the performance of fire alarm systems and the safety of buildings.

"These systems are designed to keep people safe and it is everyone's responsibility to make sure they are compliant with the Building Act. The consequences of having an alarm system that doesn't work properly could be fatal."

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Positive Response to Fire Programme



- Author **Nicola Martin** - Advisor - Stakeholder Engagement, Construction & Housing Markets | Building, Resources & Markets, Ministry of Business, Innovation & Employment (MBIE)

Since the launch of the Fire Programme in July 2015, seven projects addressing specific fire-related issues are underway or about to be launched. As part of the programme, MBIE has been talking with stakeholders across the sector about how to improve New Zealand's fire safety regulations.

The programme is designed to improve the effectiveness of the changes made to the fire regulations in 2012. It comprises 14 projects focussing on specific areas of fire regulation.

MBIE has received a positive response from stakeholders wanting to provide input into the projects as they relate to them. Stakeholder input into each of these projects will continue to play a key role as the programme develops and progresses. The overall aim is to ensure a well-functioning regulatory system, which is why stakeholder input is so essential to the programme.

UPDATES TO THE PROGRAMME

As the programme has evolved, updates have been made to the content of some of the projects:

PROJECT 1: Fire Safety for Supported Housing

The project working group has commissioned a design guide to allocate building fire safety measures, and a code of practice outlining building management procedures. These will be developed to work in tandem, giving equal consideration to the specific needs of residents, the management procedures of service providers and the duty of care of building owners.

PROJECT 2: Alterations to Existing Buildings and As Near as is Reasonably Practicable Decisions for Fire Safety Requirements

The first working group is scheduled for February 2016. A task group is currently gathering information to feed into that working group, analysing how decisions are made by the three main stakeholders: the New Zealand Fire Service, fire engineers and Building Consent Authorities. This is intended to allow the working group to more accurately identify problems and consequences before developing solutions.

PROJECT 3: Material Group Numbers – Timber Linings

The working group has started analysing issues and challenges facing the industry, and is tasked with balancing an adequate and reasonable level of safety against creative design, innovation and greater choice.

PROJECT 4: Role of the New Zealand Fire Service in Consenting

This project, which focusses on the building consent process for fire, will now include the FEB process from Project 6 (Re-Introducing Alternative Solutions and the Effectiveness of the FEB Process).

PROJECT 7: Review of the Acceptable Solutions C/AS1-7

This project now involves a high-level view of the construct of Acceptable Solutions. It will first investigate if there is a better format for usability before the content is reviewed. The project will now include a review of the requirements for storage buildings from Project 10 (Structural Stability and Storage Buildings).

PROJECT 9: Fire Design for Prisons and Fire Stations and Other Specialist Buildings

This project now includes a review of fire design for structural steel car parking.

PROJECT 14: Understanding the Various Legislations in Relation to Fire

With imminent changes proposed to the Hazardous Substances New Organisms Act, (HSNO), this project has evolved to analyse the interaction between HSNO and other legislations (most notably, the Building Act, Fire Services Act, Fire Safety and Evacuation of Buildings Regulations and Resource Management Act). The second phase of the project will look to gain a better understanding of how all other relevant legislations interact.

Further projects will be commenced in the New Year. [See the full list.](#) We will provide updates on a two- to three-monthly basis via this email and Codewords.

We are in the process of verifying and updating the Fire Programme stakeholder database. We want to reconfirm that you still wish to receive updates from the Fire Programme, and identify what specific interest areas you may have. It will take three to five minutes to complete. [Please complete the questionnaire here.](#)





CLAIMS

MANAGING YOUR WORKPLACE ACC CLAIMS WHEN THEY HAPPEN



Requests from our clients for assistance with ACC workplace claims has seen Manage Company develop a new on-line toolkit for managing workplace injuries when they happen.

The on-line toolkit which operates under the ManageCLAIMS brand provides tips, templates, guidance, factsheets and the support you need when lodging a claim with ACC. It allows the employer to manage the employee, manage ACC and ultimately manage their ACC levy penalties. It provides the tools, forms and tips on how to control the doctor and speed up the whole process by over 40%.

Martin Wouters (Managing Director and Designer of the Toolkit) says one of the aims for business should be to avoid a medical certificate which says “fully unfit for work” where possible and the toolkit provides a very useful way of managing this process. The key areas of focus are.-
Prior to an injury happening, At the time of injury, Communication, Pay and Return to work.

Our job is to keep it up-to-date and compliant and we also provide a support function so employers can ask the curly questions.

The toolkit is available to FPA members at an introductory price of \$249 + GST per year. Please go to www.workrisk.co.nz/claims to sign up using promo code CLAIMS to save yourself \$100! (offer only available until 31st October 2015)



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Calling all Halon Fire Extinguisher Owners



FPANZ is promoting awareness around Halon fire extinguishers and wants to recover these from the commercial sector and from private owners.

Halon has fallen out of favour due to its environmental impact and long atmospheric life time. It is considered to be a potent greenhouse gas and contributes to ozone depletion. However, safety is the main issue as servicing of Halon extinguishers has not been available since 1998 when the production of Halon was banned under the Montreal Protocol.

Over the previous ten years, more than 60 tonne of Halon has been recovered by FPANZ members and this was sent for safe destruction. It is estimated that a further five to ten tonne is still in use. This needs to be recovered now as any unit still in use will be well over ten years old and will not have been serviced.

“Fire extinguishers, just like smoke detectors, need to be checked by a certified agent annually” says Blind

“We do have fears that Halon extinguishers, due to this lack of servicing, may fail to operate correctly in the event of a fire. We are prompting all members of the public to check their boats, cars, workshops, caravans and planes to see if they still have a yellow Halon extinguisher and to exchange this for a unit coloured red”.

“There will be a cost to change, however both the public and the environment will benefit as we can be sure new systems will operate correctly in event of a fire and the impact on the ozone layer will also be reduced” says Blind.

There are now many suitable and cleaner alternatives available and FPANZ members located nationwide will accept Halon units and provide information on the safer alternatives available. Halon extinguishers are easy to identify as they are bright yellow. Replacement units will be coloured red.

“We look forward to gathering as many of the remaining Halon systems and hand held fire extinguishers here in New Zealand and to have the contents safely destroyed” says Blind.

“We will also have greater confidence that owners will be protected in the event of a fire and this will ultimately protect lives”.

Our message is: **“Be Safe Yellow is Out – Red is In!”**

For further information check the FPANZ website for a certified agent near you:

<http://www.fireprotection.org.nz/>



Yellow extinguishers, Halon extinguishers, are so old – if you have one, the chances are they will let you or your family down in a fire.

Halon damages the ozone layer which in turn can affect our health, causing skin cancer, cataracts and other illness as well. Damaging the ozone layer can also impact on our weather, our soil and our crops.

Protect yourself, your family or business, by handing in your old yellow extinguisher. It's easy to do – simply take it to the nearest local approved Fire Extinguisher Service Agent. A list can be found at www.fireprotection.org.nz



YELLOW IS OUT
RED IS IN

While there, talk to these experts about your needs and how best to protect against fire, including alternatives such as a red fire extinguisher*, a fire blanket, a smoke alarm, and other effective choices. Often a combination is the best approach.

So act now and hand in your old yellow extinguisher. It's a service for the general public and small businesses. A small recovery charge will be set at \$10 per kilogram (up to a maximum extinguisher weight of 2.1 kg in size). A Halon extinguisher larger than 2.1kg is considered a commercial size and will be disposed of at a quoted rate.

**There is more than one type of red fire extinguisher on the market. Ask which one best suits your needs.*

For more information

call FPANZ on 09 414 4450 or visit us at www.fireprotection.org.nz

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Update on Using FPANZ Logos

Just a timely reminder to all of our members about the correct usage guidelines for all FPANZ logo's. It has been brought to our attention there are a number of members not complying with these guidelines and the unauthorised usage of the new FPA logo. Over the next few weeks we will be formally following up with these members to ensure compliance with the FPANZ Guidelines for logo usage.

In summary no entity is permitted to use the main trademarked FPANZ logo without written permission of the Executive Director. Members are permitted to use the appropriate tier

status logo and this can be supplied in print quality format for use on websites, stationary and the like. If you are currently using the FPA logo on your website / stationary etc. this needs to be removed and replaced with your tier status logo please contact one of the team if you need an electronic copy of your tier logo.

For full details of the guidelines for logo usage please visit the following link.

<http://www.fireprotection.org.nz/about-us/logos>  **CLICK TO OPEN LINK**



Fire Research & Investigation Unit

Heads Up



BACKGROUND

Being a nation surrounded by water and a mild climate, boating is a popular pastime in New Zealand. With one of the highest rates per capita of boat ownership in the world there are boats of all sizes found around the country. Whether under construction in a boat builder's shed or up on the hard for maintenance there is always a large number of boats being worked on at any time. Many of these boats represent considerable investment as well as a strong emotional connection for their owners.

Unfortunately boats under undergoing work often have more ignition sources than usual. In addition, many of the materials commonly used in boat construction or maintenance, boat structures, furnishings, fuel and equipment are often very combustible. These factors create a very high fire risk for boats as the combustibles cause fires to develop extremely fast and cause extensive damage.



In New Zealand there's been a number of luxury yachts and many private boats that have been extensively damaged as a result of fires during construction or maintenance. Traditional fixed fire detection and suppression systems designed for buildings are not suited to boats temporarily located on land.

CASE STUDY - INCIDENT DETAILS

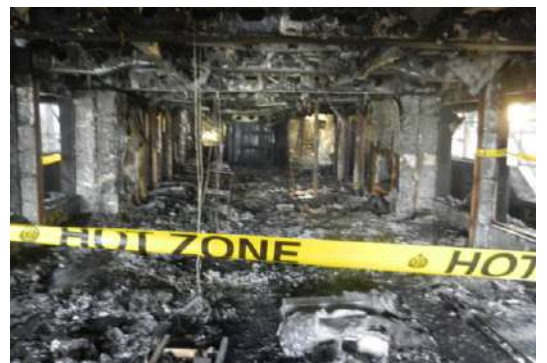
A 53 metre luxury yacht with an estimated value on completion of US\$50 million was under construction in Auckland and was approximately 75% complete after two years work.

Around 1.00a.m. on a Sunday morning a fire is believed to have started inside the building, external but adjacent to the yacht. The fire activated a security system motion detector and a guard responded to the scene within minutes of the activation. Six minutes later the yacht's internal fire detection system activated indicating smoke had penetrated into the vessel. The first fire engine arrived within 14 minutes of the initial activation and encountered a well developed fire inside the vessel. The onboard fire suppression systems were not commissioned at the time of the fire.

When the fire was finally declared extinguished the luxury yacht had been extensively damaged by fire.



The luxury yacht as it was to be

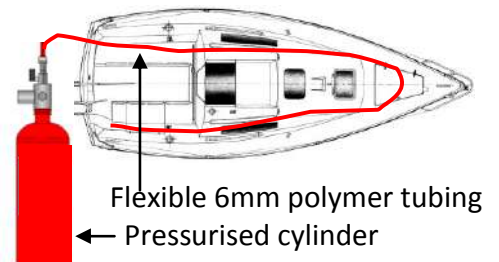


The remains of the yacht after the fire

FURTHER INFORMATION

By their nature pleasure craft have relatively small compartments and openings compared to buildings. These factors lend themselves to the use of gas flooding as an effective form of fire suppressant. Even when a fire may be remote from the point of gas release the compartment would quickly become flooded with a gaseous fire suppressant enabling early containment and/or extinguishment. The challenge is to enable the gas to be directed into the fire affected compartment from a supply source without installing fixed pipework.

Available within the fire protection industry is a highly portable fire suppressant system that enables fire protection to be easily and temporarily placed into boats while maintenance or construction is underway. It works similar to a handheld fire extinguisher but uses an 6mm polymer tubing that can be easily run from a pressurized cylinder or combinations of cylinders. The tubing is rated to rupture at a defined temperature (70 C to 140 C) and releases the cylinder contents at the point of rupture effectively creating a localised discharge nozzle where the fire is.



Any sudden change in pressure in the cylinder can activate a cellular monitor on the cylinder to notify a selected recipient that the system has activated.

The system can use most commercially available fire suppressing agents including gases, foam and dry chemicals although gases may provide the most effective medium for use in boats. Modern fire suppressant gases are non-toxic allowing people working in the vicinity to evacuate from the area on fire.

The advantages in using a pressurised system using flexible tubing include:

- it is very easily to place throughout a boat and can be easily shifted or removed as work progresses or finishes
- it becomes both a fire detector and extinguishing applicator providing protection 24/7
- combinations of different suppressing agents (as appropriate to the risk) can be used on the vessels
- it has a precise sensitivity so will activate at a known temperature
- it is leak resistant but ruptures when exposed to flame
- there is no control panel and system not reliant on an electrical source
- cylinders come in a range of sizes to suit the size of the compartment/boat (1kg - 84kg)
- for multi-level vessels separate systems can be placed on each level



LESSONS LEARNED/RECOMMENDATIONS

The fire risk to boats under construction or undergoing significant maintenance can be significantly reduced by utilising a temporary fire protection system like this one. These self-contained pressurised fire protection systems could be used by:

- boat clubs and marinas who could manage stocks of these systems renting them to boaties for the duration of maintenance work
- commercial boat builders, marine engineers and shipwrights
- luxury yacht builders
- private individuals working on boats at home

Variations of the system with fixed nozzles can be used as permanent fire protection for boats at sea.

Further information on fire protection systems for boats can be sourced through the Fire Protection Association (NZ) at (09) 414 4450.



SAFETY SPOTLIGHT

- Worksafe New Zealand has updated its information on the Health and Safety at Work Act. Read more about what you need to know about the new law [here](#).
- ACC has developed a 'Safe Christmas' tool box talk for your site – 12 simple steps to keep you and your team safe in the lead up to the Christmas break. Click [here](#) to download a copy.
- New to the Charter website is information on worker participation in health and safety, and health and safety representatives. The work of Libi Carr, the Charter Officer in engaging workers has shown a demand for information on how workers can fully participate in health and safety, including the role of health and safety representatives. Download and print the information [here](#).
- For anyone who missed out on Lawrence Waterman's presentation to Charter members in October, you can access a video link [here](#). Lawrence shared some new thinking from his two current UK projects - which aim to transform H & S culture and behaviour.

Graham's View

One thing that really strikes me at the moment is the number of cranes on the city skyline. There's every sort of crane; tower cranes, track crawlers, hiabs, mobile cranes as well as a multitude of lifting devices, scaffold structures and elevated work platforms. It is pretty clear that we are moving away from repair to rebuild and that brings a whole lot of new health and safety challenges.



After the first earthquakes, the government and insurers did a fantastic job of setting up organisations to repair damaged homes, infrastructure and other buildings. A number of PMOs were established and along with SCIRT, these all created a fantastic platform to drive better health and safety outcomes and get consistency across the industry. It was a golden opportunity really. Never before had so much work been controlled by such a small number of organisations. This good work was boosted by the establishment of the Canterbury Rebuild Safety Charter which through its commitments, tools, guidelines and other benefits has been the champion of best practice across the industry, particularly for the small and medium sized contractors. And it's been a huge success.

The appearance of numerous cranes on the skyline is giving a strong signal that the work has moved to vertical construction and away from home and infrastructure repair. With these two repair activities, the common fatal risks were confined spaces, electrocution, asbestos, traffic, live buried services and moving plant. Tremendous effort has been made to identify these hazards and manage them correctly. Now the work is going more vertical and this introduces a new range of Hazards. Workers new to this area may be unfamiliar with some of these hazards.

Vertical construction needs focus on a new set of hazards such as working from heights, suspended loads, harmful dust and other hazards. It's not that these hazards were absent in the earthquake repair phase, it's just that the focus has to shift. We also have to engage strongly with workers to ensure that they have the appropriate skills, training and experience for the new wave of work and that their concerns and suggestions are being listened to.

Libi Carr has done a fantastic job on behalf of the Safety Charter to engage with workers and receive their honest feedback. We will be using that feedback to help plan for our Charter programmes for 2016. It's looking to be an exciting year for Canterbury and the Safety Charter.

On behalf of all the Safety Charter Steering and Working groups, I would like to wish everyone a very special Christmas and a happy and safe New Year.

The best gift you can give your whanau is YOU. Please keep safe.

Graham Darlow
Charter Steering Group Chair





CHARTER NEWS



How Max Contracts are using the Member's Area of the Safety Charter Website

Martin Luther King said – *“You don't have to see the whole staircase. Just take the first step”*.

The Charter's personal leadership assessment tool is that first step. When we heard about the Member's Area at the last Charter event in Rydges we were curious to try it out, to see how it could help us.

So far our Health and Safety Committee and Directors have completed the personal leadership assessment task and we are planning to roll it out to our Site Supervisors next. It's a thought-provoking exercise that highlights the areas you need to work on as you navigate through. For those with limited computer literacy it is very user friendly and straight forward.

In summary we are supportive of the personal leadership tool because:

- It is tailored to four different levels of the company structure (directors, managers, site supervisors and workers)
- Ownership is given back to the individual with practical guidance for improvements
- Results page is visual
- Personal assessment is an important tool for leaders in our business
- It gives people the practical help to take a step on the health and safety journey that we are all on
- Assessment can be completed again when improvements have been made.

SAFETY CHARTER OFFICER HERE TO HELP

We are very pleased to announce the continued engagement of Libi Carr as the Charter Officer. As well as continuing her work with engaging workers on Charter signatory sites, Libi's focus will be broaden to include supporting the attraction of new signatories and supporting current signatories with their Charter performance.



Libi is available to support you with your Charter work and we recommend you discuss this with Libi if you have yet to do so. This may include Libi:

- Coming to your sites to engage workers on health and safety and the Charter
- Working with you on how the Charter resources can help you to improve your Charter performance
- Presenting to your contractors and sub-contractors on how signing up to the Charter can help them improve their health and safety performance

To contact Libi:
email her at libi.carr@safetycharter.org.nz
or phone 022 639 2516

MY LEADERSHIP RESULTS

[Back to leadership assessments](#)

The table below shows how you have rated your leadership in each section of the assessment

Section	Item	Rating
PLAN	Get involved in planning	50%
	Have accountability	100%
	Resourcing	50%
MOTIVATE	Be seen and engage with safety on site	50%
	Communicate effectively	80%
	Recognise and celebrate success	0%
	Engage self and others in safety culture	0%
BUILD UNDERSTANDING	Develop own understanding	50%
	Develop understanding of others	100%
	Stay informed and listen	0%
	Transparent reporting	50%
	Monitoring and checking	14%



Successful Fatigue Programme to Continue in December and January

Following a successful water bottle campaign earlier this year, aimed at helping rebuild workers build resilience to fatigue, WorkSafe New Zealand, ACC and the Charter are running it again in December and January.

The 'Beat Fatigue' campaign aims to remind construction workers, who are under pressure with new year deadlines and working in warmer weather, about beating fatigue.

"As construction work involves high-risk activities we need our workers to be alert to be able to stay safe on site. Fatigue can be a key factor in accidents and we need to reduce fatigue," says WorkSafe's Canterbury Occupational Health Project Manager, Donna Burt.

The Beat Fatigue campaign includes water bottles labelled with specific messages, delivered to sites across the rebuild by WorkSafe inspectors and ACC staff.



"The earlier campaigns were successful with positive feedback received from workers and managers. We were delighted with the response," says Ms Burt.

"The campaign provides an opportunity to discuss fatigue and why it's such a problem, and leave them with something practical to remember the message," she says.

THE WORKER'S VOICE

Update from Libi Carr, Charter Project Officer

Kia Ora koutou.

I am very pleased to be continuing in the role of Charter Project Officer until June 2016 and extend my thanks to all who have supported and assisted me in the role over the last six months.

I look forward to continue the work of the Safety Charter through supporting existing signatories in practical ways that can help them achieve the 10 Charter Commitments.

With the new health and safety legislation coming into force on 4 April 2016 I will continue to focus on worker engagement in health and safety. This will include meeting and talking with workers and their organisations, often on site, about health and safety representatives (reps) and recommend options for their training.

The work plan has been broadened to include attracting new Charter signatories. The Charter Steering Group is currently considering how to provide further support to current signatories, including an induction process for new signatories that allows organisations to take advantage and provide feedback on the resources the Charter provides them.

Many of us will now be counting down to the Christmas break. Homeowners are keen to see work completed before Christmas, with the lounge freshly painted and the outdoors landscaped before the family arrives on Christmas Day. This can ramp up the pressure to complete all tasks before Christmas. For all of you out there at the coalface we acknowledge and appreciate the work you do and trust that you will all get a good rest before we kick off 2016.

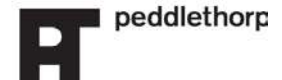


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WELCOME ABOARD

A warm welcome to our newest 'batch' of Charter signatories:



We also welcome our new endorsees for this month:



We now have 274 signatories and endorsees.

A big shout-out to everyone who has supported, nominated and challenged other businesses to sign up for safety.



Working with Asbestos?

Talk to WorkSafe about New Licenses

Are you running a business (for example, building, roofing, plumbing or demolition), with workers who remove asbestos as part of their job? Here's a heads-up about changes to asbestos-related work next year.

Asbestos regulations are being updated to bring New Zealand into line with other countries. With more than 170 New Zealand workers dying each year from asbestos-related diseases, our work practices need to improve.

Under the new regulations coming in on 4 April 2016, removing more than 10m2 of bonded asbestos (non-friable) in one job will require a licence. The licence will be issued by WorkSafe New Zealand.

New nationwide licensing system for asbestos removal

The new licensing system for asbestos related work is aimed at ensuring people working with asbestos have the necessary skills and experience to keep themselves, and others, safe.



NEW LICENCES	WHAT ASBESTOS CAN BE REMOVED?	WHO WILL NEED THIS LICENCE?
Class B	Any amount of non-friable (bonded) asbestos or asbestos containing material Asbestos contaminated dust or debris (ACD) associated with removing any amount of non-friable asbestos or ACM	This is the licence you will need if you are removing more than 10m2 asbestos.
Class A	Any type or quantity of asbestos or asbestos containing material (ACM) including: - Any amount of friable asbestos or ACM - Any amount of asbestos	This is the licence you will need if you are removing any amount of friable (powdery or has potential to become powdery) asbestos.
No licence required	Up to and including 10m2 of non-friable asbestos or ACD associated with the removal of that amount of non-friable asbestos, cumulatively over the course of the removal project. ACD that is not associated with the removal of friable or non-friable asbestos and is only a minor contamination.	

What do I need to do?

Please register your interest with WorkSafe if your business is likely to require a 'Class B asbestos licence' next year. (We don't need to know about Class A licences yet).

To register click here.

You'll be asked for:

- The name of your business
- The size of your business (number of employees)
- The type of business you operate (building, roofing etc)
- The town or city your business operates in
- Contact details.

Find out more about the new rules for work involving asbestos, including indicative licensing fees, at www.worksafe.govt.nz

I have a Certificate of Competence for restricted asbestos work. What do I need to do?

If you have a current Certificate of Competence, you don't need to do anything yet. Your certificate will allow you to work under the new asbestos regulations (under the categories listed on your certificate), until your certificate expires. At that point you will need to apply for one of the new licences or to work on another business's licence.

WorkSafe will be writing to all Certificate of Competence holders about the new regulations in November.

Asbestos may be found in any of the following places:

- Roofs
- Ceilings
- External cladding and eaves
- Interior walls and finishes
- Floors
- Insulation and pipes
- Flues and seals on wood burners
- Fuse boards
- Fences
- Excavations (pipes)



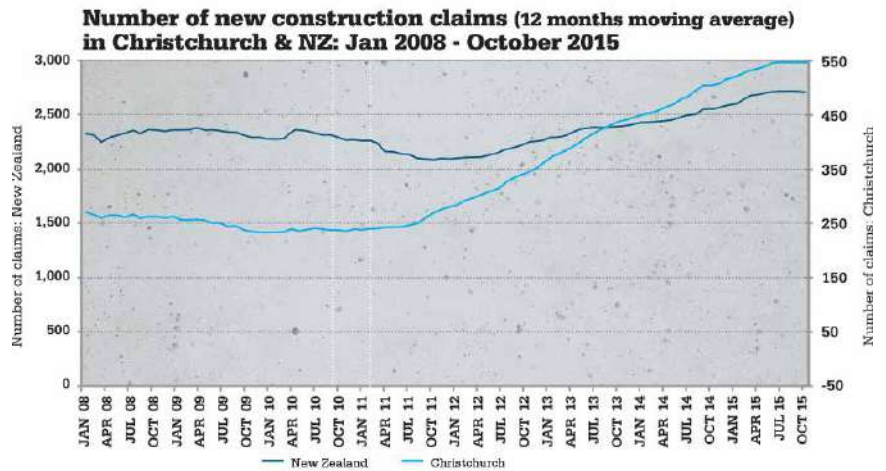
ACC Data Update

New construction-related claims in Canterbury remained static in October (547 recorded cf. 547.4 in Sept). Those claims that become entitlement claims – that is where a person requires more than five days off work – decreased slightly with 81 recorded in October; 82 in September). The average cost of claims in the first 12 months post-injury remained fairly static at \$1971.

For the second consecutive month, heavy truck drivers recorded the largest increase in claims by occupation (32.8% increase), followed by bricklayers/stonemasons and plasterers.

The residential building sector continues to dominate claims; but continues to level out (following three consecutive months of decreasing claims). This trend continues with the Labour On Hire sector also recording another decrease in claims (for the fourth consecutive month.)

Click here to read the October 2015 dashboard. 



Wishing all Charter Members a safe and happy Christmas and a prosperous 2016.

...Stay safe!



Fire Safety isn't something you would take a gamble on, is it?

Next time you need advice, servicing, installation, or fire protection products, there's a simple way to ensure you are dealing with professionals with the relevant training, knowledge, ethics and responsibility critical to the safety of lives and the protection of property.

The way to ensure you are not taking an unnecessary gamble with lives, property, or fire safety is to **choose a member of the Fire Protection Association of New Zealand.**

FPANZ members are proud to belong to an Association which:

- Sets the standards for the Fire Safety Industry in New Zealand
- Ensures its members operate to professional Codes of Practice and Ethical Conduct
- Pursues continuous professional development for members and their staff
- Has established high-level formal relationships with the New Zealand Fire Service, Government agencies, International Fire Associations and the wider community
- Is active in the ongoing development and review of Fire Codes and Standards.

The Fire Protection Association of New Zealand (FPANZ) is a not-for-profit Incorporated Society governed by a constitution and Board of Directors, with its national head office based in Auckland. The Association is the voice of the industry and responsible for these key areas in the industry:

Code of Ethical Conduct

Under the Association's constitution, all members and companies are bound to the Code of Ethical Conduct. Our members are committed to operating to best practice, and are accountable to the Association for their performance. All members are subject to a fully-documented complaints and disciplinary procedure.

Vetting

All prospective new members of FPANZ must supply detailed information on their company, staff and market activities, including customer references. Additional background checks are also done, then all information is reviewed by the Board of Directors to establish that the applicant meets the requirements to become a member of FPANZ.

Insurance

One of the other benefits of dealing with a member of FPANZ is that all members must carry a minimum of two million dollars in public and product liability insurance.

Promoting Industry Training and Education

The Fire Protection Association of New Zealand works closely with key stakeholders: Competenz, FireTech, and its members to ensure the industry is providing continuous industry development and relevant training to staff.

Special Interest Groups

FPANZ Special Interest Groups (SIGs) provide a forum for sub-groups of members to keep abreast of the latest issues affecting their particular discipline, and to ensure that sector-specific issues and concerns are addressed in a timely and professional manner.

For more information or to confirm if your Service Provider is a FPANZ Member, visit our website www.fireprotection.org.nz

or contact: Fire Protection Association NZ, Phone: +64 9 414 4450; Email fpanz@fireprotection.org.nz

To make sure you're not leaving it up to a game of chance, ask your service provider if they are a member of the Fire Protection Association of New Zealand.

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Vice President:	Chris Mak	AON

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Geoff Cardale	Fire Protection Inspection Services
Geoff Willis	Metalbilt Doors - a Division of RCR Infrastructure
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Richard Stewart	AFAM
Simon Nathan	Fire Security Services
Kevin Borley	AMPAC
Kris Tocker	Ultrafire

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TBA	Contractors Group
Ela Langford	Evacuation Consultants Group
Lance Hunt	HOFFE Group
Jason Godsmark	Inspectorate Group
TBA	Training Group

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Ron Green	Association of Building Compliance
Trent Fearnley	Institute of Fire Engineers NZ Branch
John Lucas	Insurance Council of New Zealand
Rob Fenton	New Zealand Fire Equipment Manufacturers' Association
Rob Saunders	New Zealand Fire Service
Geoff Merryweather	Society of Fire Professional Engineers (NZ Chapter)

BOARD MEMBERS:

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	Treasurer - TBC

LISTINGS

Current FPA Financial Members of the Fire Protection Association of New Zealand Financial Year 2015/2016

PLATINUM MEMBERS



Argus Fire Systems Service Ltd
Chubb Fire & Security
Fire Security Services Ltd

New Zealand Fire Service
Tyco New Zealand Ltd - Trading as - Wormald
Winstone Wallboards Ltd

GOLD MEMBERS



Ampac Pacific Ltd
FFP Canterbury Ltd (Fire Fighting Pacific)
Fire Protection Inspection Services Ltd
Fire Solutions Limited
Firewatch New Zealand Ltd

First Fire Systems Ltd
Guardian Alarms Ltd
Nationwide Fire Protection Ltd
Pacific Building Services Ltd
Pertronic Industries Ltd
Potter Interior Systems
PSL - Phillips & Smith Ltd

South Pacific Fire Protection Ltd
Steel & Tube Holdings Ltd
Triangle Fire Protection Ltd
Tyco New Zealand Ltd - Trading as -
Tyco Fire Protection Products

SILVER MEMBERS



Alan Wilson Insurance Brokers
Almak Ltd
AON New Zealand Ltd
Aquaheat New Zealand Ltd
Armitage Systems Ltd
Ask Metro Fire Limited
AssetCare Ltd
B & M Sprinkler Ltd
BECA Carter Hollings & Ferner Ltd
BRANZ Ltd
Coating Technologies Ltd
Compliance Fire Alarms Ltd
Compliance Fire Protection Ltd
Cowley Services Ltd

Ecoglo International Ltd
Elite Fire Protection
Fire & Mechanical Contracting Ltd
Fire Control Services Ltd
FFP Nelson Marlborough Fire Ltd
Firepro Centabuild Ltd
Fire Protection Compliance Ltd
Fire System Maintenance Ltd
Hydroflow Distributors Ltd
IANZ
Kingspan Insulated Panels Limited
RCR Building Products NZ Ltd
Trading as -Metalbilt Doors
Promat Australia Pty Ltd

Property Brokers Compliance Ltd
Protech Design Ltd
Safety First NZ Ltd
Select Alarms
Specialist Firestop Contractors Ltd
Tansley Electrical Ltd
Tech Group of Companies -
Electrotech Controls Ltd
Tycab NZ Limited
Tyco New Zealand Ltd -Trading as
ADT Fire Monitoring NZ
UniFire Ltd
Viking Sales & Services Ltd

BRONZE MEMBERS



Active Fire Consultants Ltd
Actron Fire Services Ltd
AFAM Ltd
Affordable Fire Protection Ltd
Alarm and Power Services Ltd
Alarm New Zealand Ltd
Allied Alarms Limited
Allproof Industries NZ Ltd
Amerex Fire Pacific (NZ)
Argest Technical Services
Auckland Independently Qualified Persons Ltd
Automatic Fire Sprinkler Services Ltd
Babbage Consultants Ltd
Ballard Consulting
Bondor NZ Ltd
Brooks New Zealand Limited
BSC Fire Protection Ltd
Building & Fire Safety Ltd
Building & Fire Services (2008) Ltd
Capital Fire Extinguishers Ltd
Central Fire Design Ltd
CLC Consulting Group Ltd
Commercial Door Services Ltd
Complete Fire Protection Services Ltd
Cosgroves Ltd
CoveKinloch Building Compliance and Asset Management Limited
CSD Sealing Systems (NZ) Ltd-
Beele Australasia
Eastland Fire Compliance & Locking Ltd
Electrinet LTD
Emergency Management Solutions Ltd
Engineering Design Consultants
Enlightened Solutions Ltd
Fire & Building Compliance Ltd

Fire and Safety Training Ltd
Fire Corp Industries Ltd
Fire Engineering Services Ltd
Fire Extinguishers Ltd
Fire Group Consulting Ltd
Fire International (NZ) Ltd
Fire Protection Services Ltd
Fire Protection Technologies Ltd
Fire Risk Management
Fire Safety Net Ltd
Fire Sprinkler Installations NZ Ltd
Fire System Inspections Ltd
Firetech Training Ltd
FM Insurance Company
Forman Building Systems
Galbraith Engineering Ltd
H.J Asmuss & Co Ltd
Hills Building Technologies
Hilti NZ Limited
HomeSafe Limited
HSM Group Ltd
Hudson Fire Inspections Ltd
IAG New Zealand Ltd
iFire Protection Ltd
James Hardie NZ
Kensway Fire Ltd
Laser Electrical Blenheim
Loktronic Limited - ViTech Division
Macdonald Barnett Partners Ltd
Mainland Extinguishers
Marsh Ltd
Maximus Fire Ltd
National Consultants Ltd
National Fire Protection Ltd
Nelson Alarms Ltd
Norman Disney & Young
Notifier Fire Systems

Nova Evacuation Services
Nova Flow-Tec Services Ltd
NZ Fire & Compliance Ltd
NZ Fire-Shield Ltd
Oceania Tanks (A division of Rendertech Ltd)
Pacific Consultants Limited
Passive Fire Installations Ltd
QBE Insurance (International) Ltd
Red Alert New Zealand 2012 Ltd
Redfire Systems Ltd
Reliance Fire Protection Limited
Rhino Fire & Security Ltd
Richdale Fire & Security 2012 Ltd
RJ Nelligan & Associates Ltd
RYANFIRE Products Ltd
Security Specialists Ltd
Shearer Contracting Ltd
Skycity Auckland Ltd
Smoke Control NZ Ltd
South City Electrical & Security Ltd
Southern Fire Protection Ltd
Southgate Fire and Safety
Spot On Fire Protection Ltd
Steelguard Ltd
Stephenson & Turner NZ Ltd
Superior Electrical
Tag Safe Limited
Tasman PFV Ltd
Tasman Tanks New Zealand Ltd
Ultra Fire Protection
Vero Insurance NZ ltd
Vicaluc
Waitemata District Health Board
Westland Fire Equipment Ltd
Xfire Ltd t/a Crossfire
Zone Architectural Products Ltd

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Lusi Huang
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Paul Walters
Peter Matheson
Peter Thompson

Peter Whitehead
Phil Bolton
Phil Williams
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Sonya Lee-Ann
Burgin
Steve Larkin

LISTINGS

FPANZ Certified Evacuation Consultants as at December 2015

Michael Bull, Almak Ltd

Napier, 06 843 3482
Coverage: Hawkes Bay - Wellington

Andy Conway, FFP Canterbury Ltd (Fire Fighting Pacific)

ALL South Island
Levels: 1, 2, 3, 4

Phil Jackson**Waitemata District Health Board**

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P O Box 5004, Palmerston North 4441
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John Llewell**Safety Fire New Zealand Limited**

PO Box 1830, Auckland 1140
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Jenny Maxwell**Safety First NZ Ltd**

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Diane Thomson**Red Alert NZ 2012 Ltd**

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Auckland
Level 1, 2, 3, 4

FPANZ Certified Fire Alarm Contractors as at December 2015

Aquaheat New Zealand Ltd

PO Box 51031, Tawa

Argus Fire Protection

PO Box 13508
Onehunga, Auckland

Armitage Group

PO Box 300 483
North Harbour, Auckland

Ask Metro Fire Limited

PO Box 84103, Westgate
Waitakere, Auckland

Chubb Fire & Services

PO Box 19616, Christchurch
All Branches

Compliance Fire Alarms

PO Box 18817, Christchurch

Cowley Services Ltd

PO Box 13782, Auckland

FFP Nelson Marlborough Fire Ltd

PO Box 2365, Stoke, Nelson

Fire Control Services Limited

PO Box 87-122
Meadowbank, Auckland 1742

Fire System Maintenance

PO Box 29074,
Greenwoods Cnr, Auckland

FFP Canterbury Ltd (Fire Fighting Pacific)

PO Box 22189, Christchurch

Fire Security Services

Private Bag 3207, Hamilton
All Branches

First Fire Systems

PO Box 112120, Penrose, Auckland

Guardian Alarms

73 Rugby Street, Mt Cook, Wellington

Auckland, Wellington & Christchurch branches**Property Brokers Compliance Ltd**

PO Box 5004, Palmerston North

Select Alarms

PO Box 544, Hamilton

Tech Group of Companies

PO Box 3016, Napier

Triangle Fire Protection

PO Box 34 449
Birkenhead, Auckland

Wormald NZ

Private Bag 93011, Auckland 1061
Coverage: National

FPANZ Inspection Group as at December 2015

AON: Aon Inspection Services

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Inspections.admin@aon.com
Locations: NZ wide with branches in
Auckland, Hamilton, Wellington,
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inspections - Gisborne, Taupo and
anywhere North from there up to Cape
Reinga.

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LISTINGS

Listed Sprinkler Contractors Provided by Aon as at December 2015

CONTRACTOR NAME	LISTING TYPE
Absolute Fire Protection	Provisional
Affordable Fire Protection.....	Provisional
AFS Total Fire Protection (Including Life Safety Service (2010) Ltd)	Full
Almak	Full
Aon Inspections Service.....	Full
Aquaheat Industries Ltd.....	Full
Argus Fire Systems Service Limited.....	Full
Armitage Group Limited.....	Full
Ask Metro Fire	Full
B&M Sprinkler Ltd.....	Full
Black and White Fire Systems (2011) Ltd.....	Provisional
BSC Fire Ltd	Full
Central Fire Design Limited.....	Full
Chubb Systems & Services Ltd Chubb NZ Ltd.....	Full
Compliance Fire Protection Ltd	Full
Cowley Services	Full
Dynamic Fire Protection	Provisional
Electrotech Controls Ltd	Full
Emergency Management Solutions	Full
Emerson Fire Protection Ltd	Full
Elite Fire Protection Ltd	Full
Fire Control Services Limited	Full
Fire & Mechanical Contracting Ltd	Full
FFP Canterbury Ltd (Fire Fighting Pacific) ...	Full
FFP Nelson Marlborough Fire Ltd	Full
Fire Protection Engineers Limited	Full
Fire Protection Inspection Service Ltd.....	Full
Fire Security Services Ltd	Full

CONTRACTOR NAME	LISTING TYPE
Fire Solutions Limited.....	Provisional
Fire Sprinkler Installations NZ Ltd	Full
Fire System Inspections Ltd.....	Full
Fire System Maintenance Ltd	Full
Fire Systems Consultants Ltd.....	Full
First Fire Systems Limited	Full
Homesafe Ltd	Full
Hudson Inspections.....	Full
iFire	Provisional
JW Fire Equipment Services Ltd	Provisional
Kensway Fire Limited.....	Full
LA Inspection Services Ltd.....	Provisional
Maximus Fire Limited	Provisional
Menzies Fire Limited (A)	Full
Menzies Fire Limited (B).....	Provisional
Nationwide Fire Protection Ltd	Full
Nelson Marlborough Fire Services Ltd	Full
Oceania Fire Protection.....	Full
Pacific Building Services.....	Full
Property Brokers	Full
Rapid Fire Protection Ltd	Full
TA Fire Subs.....	Provisional
Triangle Fire Protection Ltd.....	Full
Southgate Fire & Safety Limited	Full
South Pacific Fire Protection Ltd.....	Full
Sprinkler Fitout Specialist Limited	Full
Ultra Fire Sprinkler Systems Ltd	Full
Wormald (Tyco New Zealand) Ltd	Full
Zero Fire Limited.....	Provisional

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FPANZ Fire Extinguisher Service Agents as of December 2015

COMPANY NAME	PHONE	EMAIL/WEBSITE	LOCATION/S
Actron Fire Services Ltd	(09) 357 6767	actron@extra.co.nz www.actron.co.nz	National, Auckland
Argus Fire Systems Service Ltd	0800 427 487	service@argusfire.co.nz www.argusfire.co.nz	Whangarei, Auckland Hamilton, Rotorua Wellington, Christchurch
Armitage Group	09 476 0936	www.armitagegrp.com	Auckland
Capital Fire Extinguishers Ltd	04 236 6400	peter.donald@capitalfire.co.nz www.capitalfire.co.nz	Greater Wellington
Chubb Fire & Security Ltd	0800 800 535	www.chubb.co.nz	National through central contact
Compliance Fire Protection Ltd	(03) 382 1155	glenda@cfpl.co.nz www.compliancefire.co.nz	Christchurch
Eastland Fire Compliance & Locking Ltd	(06) 868 3333	geoff@efcl.co.nz www.efcl.co.nz	Gisborne & East Cape
Fire & Building Compliance Ltd	0800 488 758	info@fbc.co.nz www.fbc.co.nz	Auckland, Waikato, Tauranga, Turangi
Fire Corp Industries Ltd	09 634 6279	mike@firecorp.co.nz www.firecorp.co.nz	Auckland
FFP Canterbury Ltd (Fire Fighting Pacific)	(03) 366 7889 (03) 688 9070	linda@ffp.co.nz timaru@ffp.co.nz www.ffp.co.nz	Christchurch Timaru Canterbury
Fire International (NZ) Ltd	09 524 8847	fireintern@clear.net.nz www.fireinternational.co.nz	Auckland
Fire Security Services Ltd	0800 114 611	robinm@firesecurity.co.nz www.firesecurity.co.nz	North Island
Firewatch (NZ) Ltd	0800 347 392	sales.support@firewatch.co.nz www.firewatch.co.nz	National through Agents
Mainland Extinguishers	(03) 544 9645	mainx@extra.co.nz	Richmond, Nelson
National Fire Protection (2006) Ltd	(09) 473 6102	nat-fire@extra.co.nz www.nationalfire.co.nz	Auckland, Rodney
Property Brokers Compliance Ltd	0800 226 675	compliance@propertybrokers.co.nz www.propertybrokers.co.nz	Lower North Island
Reliance Fire Protection Limited	0800 25 25 65	rod@reliancefire.co.nz www.reliancefire.co.nz	Christchurch, Canterbury
Southern Fire Protection Ltd	(03) 476 7873	southernfire@extra.co.nz southernfire.co.nz	Dunedin
Spot on Fire Protection Ltd	0800 444 700	spotonfireprotection@extra.co.nz www.spotonfireprotection.co.nz	Bay of Plenty
Westland Fire Equipment (2006) Ltd	(03) 762 5609	wfe2006@extra.co.nz	South Island West Coast -South Karamea to Haast
Wormald (NZ) Ltd	0800 4967 6253	Wormald.questions.nz@tycoint.com www.wormald.co.nz	National

FPANZ Recorded Fire Saves for November 2015

1/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Health, Institutional WAIKIWI, INVERCARGILL CITY	Structure Fire	People otherwise impaired: unconscious, mental/physical impairment)
1/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Health, Institutional AVENAL, INVERCARGILL CITY	Structure Fire	Equipment not being operated properly
1/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage PORAITI, NAPIER CITY	Structure Fire	Installation deficiency
2/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Educational MOUNT VICTORIA, WELLINGTON CITY	Miscellaneous Fire	Unlawful
2/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage LEAMINGTON, WAIPA DISTRICT	Electrical Hazards	Information not recorded
3/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage MOUNT WELLINGTON, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Operating deficiency - not classified above
4/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage ROTOKAWA, TAUPO DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Part failure, leak or break
5/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage AUCKLAND CENTRAL, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Short circuit, earth fault
5/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Health, Institutional NORTH DUNEDIN, DUNEDIN CITY	Structure Fire	Operating deficiency - not classified above
5/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Educational HAVELOCK NORTH, HASTINGS DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Equipment unattended
5/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Health, Institutional DUNEDIN CENTRAL, DUNEDIN CITY	Electrical Hazards	Information not recorded
5/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Residential HOSPITAL HILL, NAPIER CITY	Structure Fire	Unlawful
6/11/2015	Sprinkler PFA Call	Not Recorded JOHNSONVILLE, WELLINGTON CITY	Not Recorded	Information not recorded
6/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage WHAKATU, HASTINGS DISTRICT	Electrical Hazards	Information not recorded
7/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage KINLEITH, SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT	Miscellaneous Fire	Undetermined
7/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage MANGERE, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Other electrical failure
7/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Health, Institutional GATE PA, TAURANGA CITY	Structure Fire	Unlawful
7/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Educational GLEN INNES, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Careless disposal or use: cigarettes, cigars, ashes, embers
8/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage MAYFAIR, HASTINGS DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Failure to clean
8/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Not Recorded MOSGIEL, DUNEDIN CITY	Structure Fire	Information not recorded
8/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage KINLEITH, SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT	Chemical, Biohazard, Radioactive Incident	Information not recorded
11/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Residential NORTHCOTE POINT, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Equipment unattended
11/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Residential NAPIER SOUTH, NAPIER CITY	Structure Fire	Mechanical failure, malfunction - not classified above
11/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage ROSEDALE, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Unattended cooking
11/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Not Recorded OTARA, OPOTIKI DISTRICT	Miscellaneous Fire	Information not recorded
11/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Not Recorded FRANKTON, QUEENSTOWN-LAKES DISTRICT	Not Recorded	Information not recorded
11/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Not Recorded FRANKTON, QUEENSTOWN-LAKES DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Information not recorded
12/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage MANUKAU, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Short circuit, earth fault
12/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage ROTOKAWA, TAUPO DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Part failure, leak or break
13/11/2015	Sprinkler PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage WIRI, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Lack of maintenance
13/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage GLENBROOK, AUCKLAND	Mobile Property Fire	Part failure, leak or break
13/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Health, Institutional HENDERSON, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Operating deficiency - not classified above
14/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Residential QUEENSTOWN, QUEENSTOWN-LAKES DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Part failure, leak or break
15/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Not Recorded HAMILTON CENTRAL, HAMILTON CITY	Not Recorded	Information not recorded
16/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Educational NAWTON, HAMILTON CITY	Structure Fire	Suspicious

FIRE SAVES

FPANZ Recorded Fire Saves for November 2015

16/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage UPPER RICCARTON, CHRISTCHURCH CITY	Electrical Hazards	Information not recorded
16/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Residential TRENTHAM, UPPER HUTT CITY	Structure Fire	Unattended cooking
17/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Recreational, Assembly ANNESBROOK, NELSON CITY	Structure Fire	Heat source too close to combustibles
17/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage AUCKLAND CENTRAL, AUCKLAND	Electrical Hazards	Information not recorded
17/11/2015	Other PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage DUNEDIN CENTRAL, DUNEDIN CITY	Structure Fire	Part failure, leak or break
17/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Not Recorded MOMONA, DUNEDIN CITY	Structure Fire	Information not recorded
17/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage GREENLANE, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Part failure, leak or break
18/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage KINLEITH, SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT	Flammable Liquid, Gas Incident	Information not recorded
19/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Health, Institutional TE ATATU PENINSULA, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Unattended cooking
21/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Health, Institutional DUNEDIN CENTRAL, DUNEDIN CITY	Structure Fire	Short circuit, earth fault
24/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage ROSEDALE, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Other electrical failure
24/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage AUCKLAND CENTRAL, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Spontaneous ignition
24/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Educational NEW PLYMOUTH, NEW PLYMOUTH DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Unattended cooking
24/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Health, Institutional PAPAKOWHAI, PORIRUA CITY	Structure Fire	Unattended cooking
25/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage SYDENHAM, CHRISTCHURCH CITY	Structure Fire	Part failure, leak or break
25/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage SOUTH DUNEDIN, DUNEDIN CITY	Electrical Hazards	Information not recorded
25/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Residential WAIKANAE, KAPITI COAST DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Carelessness with heat source - not classified above
26/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Commercial, Retail, Manufacturing, Storage WELLINGTON CENTRAL, WELLINGTON CITY	Structure Fire	Unattended cooking
26/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Not Recorded KAIAPOI, WAIMAKARIRI DISTRICT	Structure Fire	Information not recorded
27/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Residential THORNDON, WELLINGTON CITY	Structure Fire	Unattended cooking
27/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Not Recorded TE ARO, WELLINGTON CITY	Structure Fire	Information not recorded
27/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Residential TE ARO, WELLINGTON CITY	Structure Fire	Other electrical failure
28/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Residential DANNEMORA, AUCKLAND	Structure Fire	Automatic control failure
29/11/2015	Automatic PFA Call	Residential TAURANGA, TAURANGA CITY	Structure Fire	Unattended cooking
30/11/2015	Manual PFA Call	Educational PIPITEA, WELLINGTON CITY	Structure Fire	Other electrical failure



FPANZ EVENTS CALENDAR 2016

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
1	New Year's Day	Auckland / Nelson Anniversary										
2												
3					Fire Australia Conference - Melbourne					HOFFE Group / Training Group SIG Meeting - Auckland		
4	Day After New Year's Reserved									Passive Group SIG Meeting - Auckland		
5										Evac Group SIG Meeting - Auckland		HOFFE Group / Training Group SIG Meeting - Auckland
6		Waitangi Day				Queen's Birthday				Inspection Group SIG Meeting - Auckland		Passive Group SIG Meeting - Auckland
7			Get it Right Training Seminars - Auckland, Rotorua, Wellington, Christchurch, Dunedin							Contractors Group SIG Meeting - Auckland		Evac Group SIG Meeting - Auckland
8		Waitangi Day Reserved										Inspection Group SIG Meeting - Auckland
9												Contractors Group SIG Meeting - Auckland
10												
11												
12												
13												
14			Taranaki Anniversary									
15		HOFFE Group / Training Group SIG Meeting - Auckland	BOINZ Conference - Christchurch									
16		Passive Group SIG Meeting - Auckland										
17		Evac Group SIG Meeting - Auckland										
18	FPANZ Office Opens	Inspection Group SIG Meeting - Auckland		HOFFE Group / Training Group SIG Meeting - Auckland								
19		Contractors Group SIG Meeting - Auckland		Passive Group SIG Meeting - Auckland	National Council FPANZ Board Meeting - Christchurch							
20				Evac Group SIG Meeting - Auckland								
21			Otago Anniversary	Inspection Group SIG Meeting - Auckland								
22				Contractors Group SIG Meeting - Auckland								
23												
24												
25	Wellington Anniversary	National Council FPANZ Board Meeting - Auckland	Good Friday	ANZAC Day								Christmas Day
26		FireNZ Publication										Boxing Day
27												
28			Easter Monday									
29		FPANZ Fish-Off	Southland Anniversary									
30												
31										Marlborough Anniversary		

*The Team at FPANZ
wish you a very
Merry Christmas
and a Happy
New Year.*



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