



Industry Update

APRIL 2025

WELCOME

Welcome to April's newsletter,

2025/2026 Membership Fees

As part of our most recent board meeting, budget discussions, and 50-year celebration activities, we have decided to maintain the membership rates as current for another financial year. This means that we have now held our membership fees since 2014. Taking the consumer price index into account, our membership fees have decreased modestly every year since 2014 while we have delivered more services and undertaken more advocacy for our members. This year is a special celebration of our 50 years in existence, and we plan to continue to deliver even more value for our members, so make sure you look at all of the events we are running. Many of them are free or heavily subsidised for FPANZ members.



Scott Lawson

Revamp of Special Interest Groups

We are planning to transform the format of our special interest group (SIG) meetings into workshop and continuing professional development (CPD)-type events. These changes will be implemented over the coming months. All meetings will continue to be accessible via Zoom, enabling staff from across the country to participate. The new format will emphasize shorter, more frequent events with specific topics and CPD components. Additionally, the SIGs will conduct working meetings focused on particular projects or tasks relevant to each group.

The objective is to enhance the value of these meetings and address the need for CPD by using these sessions effectively. We will also formalize the process around working group participation to ensure a more equitable distribution of workload among members.

During this redevelopment phase, we will begin with the EVAC and passive SIGs. We extend our gratitude to Ben Bakker for his role in managing the current passive SIG. Although he is stepping down before the end-of-year election, he will assist in redeveloping the passive SIG before we elect a new chair at the AGM later this year, when elections will also be held for the EVAC SIG chair. ▶

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Review of Joint Standards

We have been asked to participate in the review of two joint standards that are relevant for the HOFFE (Hand-Operated Fire-Fighting Equipment) sector. AS/NZS 1841.1 is the main manufacturing standard, and AS/NZS 1850 is a fire testing standard that provides suitability and ratings for fire extinguishers. AS/NZS 1841 relies on extinguishers passing AS/NZS 1850 tests. We are assessing the financial impacts and funding needs for both projects. They could affect the redevelopment of NZS 4503, so we are conducting due diligence. It's encouraging that FPANZ is involved, as it allows us to advocate effectively for our members.

FireNZ Call for Papers and Update

Just a reminder that the call for papers for FireNZ 2025 is still open. This one is shaping up to be a big year, with 90% of booths and sponsorships now sold. So, if you are working on something new for the industry, researching, testing or have something great to share, don't be shy – fill in your application to present. We also welcome new speakers, those who are developing their careers and want to showcase their ideas to the more seasoned members in our industry. Don't miss out, our Auckland event is shaping up to be one of the biggest ever.

If you were wanting to exhibit or sponsor, we also have very few of these stands left, so don't miss out. Get in touch today.

“Get it Right” Seminars and Webinars

We have had a great response to our “Get it Right” seminars. We will be adding further seminars each month to make it easier for our members and their staff to undertake their CPD. The next one we have added is in the newsletter, and this is relevant for the alarms members. We are also exploring more business-related seminars for our small- to medium-size members. If you have topics you would like us to deliver, then please let us know.

Until next month

Scott Lawson
Chief Executive Officer, FPANZ



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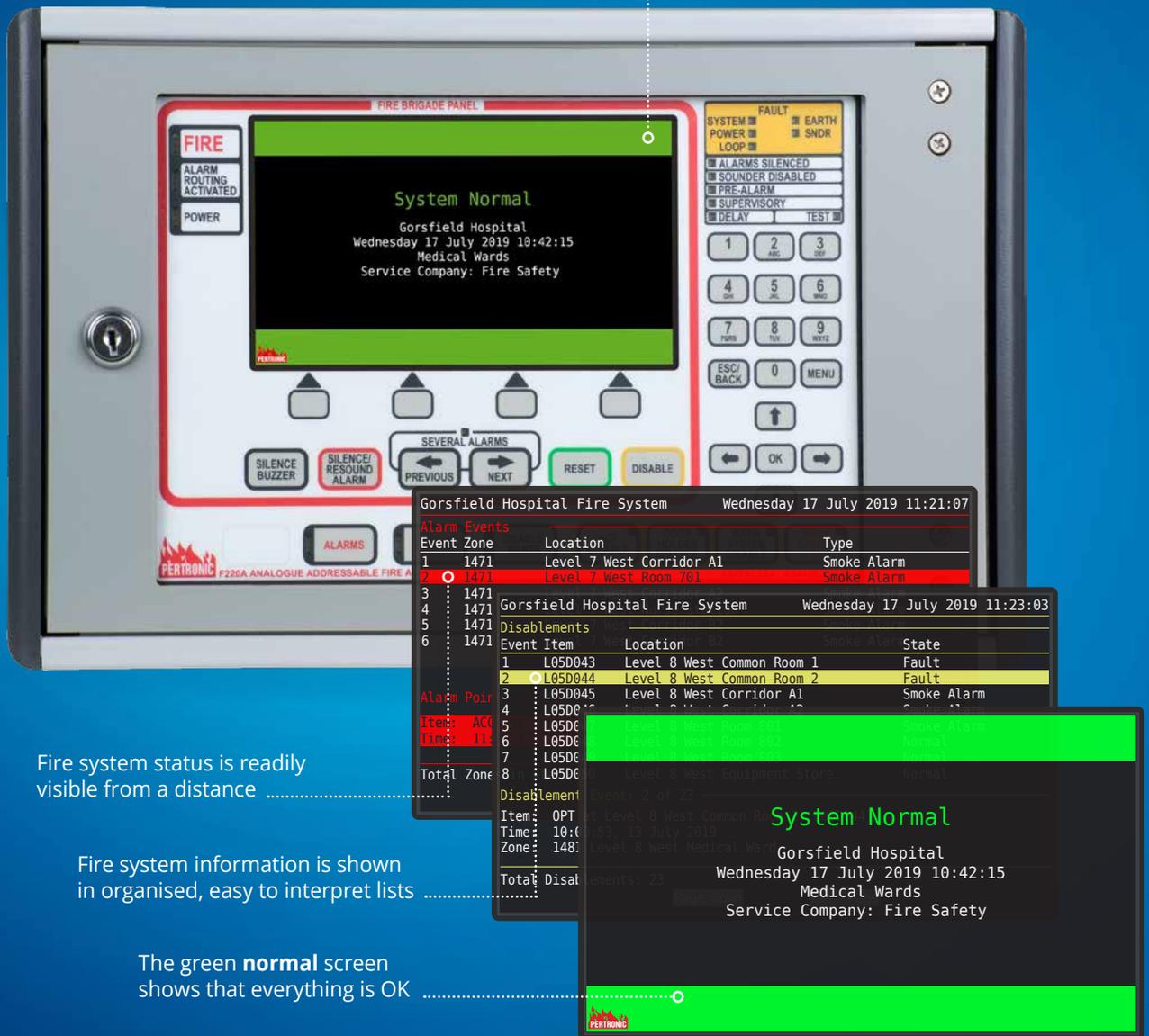
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1	1471 Level 7 West Corridor A1	Smoke Alarm
2	1471 Level 7 West Room 701	Smoke Alarm
3	1471	
4	1471	
5	1471	
6	1471	

Gorsfield Hospital Fire System Wednesday 17 July 2019 11:23:03

Event Item	Location	State
1	L05D043 Level 8 West Common Room 1	Fault
2	L05D044 Level 8 West Common Room 2	Fault
3	L05D045 Level 8 West Corridor A1	Smoke Alarm
4	L05D046	
5	L05D047	
6	L05D048	
7	L05D049	
8	L05D050	

Alarm Pair: 3, 4
Item: ACC, 5
Time: 11, 6
Total Zone: 8, 7

Disab: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
Item: OPT, 1
Time: 10:00, 2
Zone: 148, 3
Total Disab: 8, 4

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HOFFE SIG Update

› Authors **Steve Smith & Lance Hunt** – HOFFE SIG Chairs

Well, daylight savings is gone – it's darker longer, temperatures are dropping, the rain's increasing, Trump's behaving like a madman and we are starting to get bombarded by local council members telling us what a good job they are doing for us – welcome to winter 2025!!

On the plus side, in our HOFFE Group we have some good things happening – the key one is that funds are being forwarded by member companies to the Charitable Trust to support our NZS 4503 review.

On a topical note though, it is early days but there has been some movement forward with a group in the process of being established to progress the new AS/NZS standards for dealing with Lithium-Ion fire extinguishers. This will be a new class (Class L) to be added to the existing AS/NZS 1841 & 1850 framework, this would include as a minimum adding the following updates:

- a) Specifying materials and components suitable for Lithium-Ion fire extinguishers;
- b) Outlining manufacturing methods appropriate for these specialized fire extinguishers;
- c) Detailing performance requirements specific to Lithium-ion fire extinguishers;
- d) Providing guidelines for instructions and markings related to Class L fire extinguishers.

This is of course the beginning of quite a process, it is also one that has implications for other related documents including our servicing and testing standards. This will potentially be a long process which could well result in amendments being added to our standards.

It is also remembering that fires involving Lithium-Ion batteries are inherently dangerous, they have some very hazardous byproducts (especially if it's in a confined space) and can be difficult to tackle, especially as the batteries are often situated within appliances or beneath covers.

We have had an instance where a prominent organisation had mistakenly told people that foam fire extinguishers were banned from the 3rd December this year. As most of you will be aware the 3rd of December is the date when AFFF type of foam is no longer allowed but Fluorine Free foams can be used and these are going to be used for the foreseeable future, after all the risks they best cater for are still there!! The confusion is easily understood and has been addressed by the organisation concerned.

The next HOFFE Group meeting is on Wednesday 18th June at 1pm.

Regards,
Steve Smith & Lance Hunt,
HOFFE SIG Chair 2024/2025



Passive Fire Protection SIG Update

» Author **Ben Bakker** – Passive Fire Protection SIG Chair

Revamping SIG Meetings: A New Direction for Industry Engagement

The FPANZ Special Interest Groups (SIGs) are undergoing a refresh aimed at increasing member engagement and supporting ongoing professional development across the industry.

The Passive and EVAC SIGs, meetings will shift from traditional formats to shorter, more focused workshop-style sessions. These sessions will be built around specific industry topics and practical tasks, offering members opportunities to upskill, share knowledge, and contribute to meaningful projects.

All meetings will continue to be available via Zoom, making it easy for participants across the country to stay involved.

This change is about more than just meeting formats, it's about creating regular, accessible opportunities for professional growth and industry collaboration, allowing members to participate in targeted projects and contribute to resources that benefit the wider fire protection sector.

We encourage all members to get involved and help shape the future direction of these groups.

My term as Chair of the Passive SIG is coming to an end, but I'll be assisting with the group's redevelopment ahead of a new Chair being elected at the AGM later this year.

This new format brings a fresh opportunity to engage more members, share knowledge, and build valuable resources for our industry.

I've appreciated the chance to lead the Passive SIG and look forward to supporting a smooth handover."

Stay tuned for upcoming workshop invitations and project updates, and if you're keen to contribute, reach out to FPANZ to express your interest in joining a working group.

Kind Regards,

Ben Bakker

Passive Fire Protection SIG Chair 2024/2025

Aon Sprinkler Certification Technical Note		
Note Number: TN 25-51	Issue: 3	Date: 28 April 2025
Subject:	Meeting Pods	
Notice: Aon Sprinkler Certification Technical Notes provide guidance notes which may be used in certification of sprinkler installations by Aon New Zealand. If sprinkler installations are being certified by any other Sprinkler System Certifier, these Technical Notes may not apply.		

There is an increased use of meeting pods within the modern office environment. These units are not exempt from compliance with NZS4541. There are multiple paths to achieve compliance with NZS4541, including:

1. Based upon International Building Code 2015 section 9.3.3.3, meeting pods less than 1200 mm x 1200 mm can be treated as furniture. The pod needs to be located to comply with 509.1 (clear space) or 512.2.1 (obstructions); or
2. Place fire sprinklers within them in accordance with section 7; or
3. Demonstrate via full scale fire testing that sprinkler protection within the pod is not required. There may be requirements in aligning the pods with sprinklers with such pods; or
4. Provide an internationally accepted listing for meeting pods where the ceiling is designed to open on detection of fire. The ceiling shall be configured to open on detection of fire within the protected space, via a sprinkler, detector or manual call point operation.

If options 3 and 4 are required, Aon will review application data from the importers or manufacturers of the meeting pods and issue a listing certificate. In these cases, there may be restrictions on the placement of the meeting pod in relation to the general room fire sprinkler heads. Reference needs made to the conditions on the listing certificate to ensure compliance.

Some meeting pods that are coming to market that require greater than Extra Light Hazard protection. Specifiers need to be aware that the compatibility of an unsprinklered pod within an office may require the office to be protected to at least Ordinary Hazard Two criteria.



Stephen Ridder
Fire Protection Consultant

PN22 Version 2 – Now Published

» Author: **Nicky Marshall, PN22 FPANZ Representative**

Engineering NZ are happy to announce that Practice Note 22 Version 2 – Guidelines For Documentation And Coordinating Fire Safety Designs is now officially published!

- » Access the latest version here: [\[PN22 Fire Safety Design \(Version 2\)\]](#)
- » Download it from the website: [\[Practice Notes | Engineering NZ\]](#)

All designers involved in building design should review the updated Practice Note, as it provides guidance on how all parties should engage in this process and highlights key considerations for effective fire safety design.

What’s New in PN22 Version 2?

This updated Practice Note provides essential guidance for fire designers, focusing on best practices to improve documentation quality, communication, and coordination.

The latest version includes:

- ✓ **Corrections** following revisions to the Building Code’s ‘Protection from Fire’ acceptable solutions and verification methods.
- ✓ **Enhanced guidance** on communication, coordination, and defining responsibilities to improve fire design documentation quality.
- ✓ **Best practices** for all designers involved in building design, ensuring collaborative engagement throughout the fire design process.

Developed with Industry Expertise

PN22 Version 2 was developed by Engineering New Zealand, in collaboration with dedicated volunteers from:

- » Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE)
- » Auckland Council (AC) & Christchurch City Council (CCC)
- » Society for Fire Protection Engineers New Zealand Chapter (SFPE NZ)
- » Institution of Fire Engineers New Zealand Branch (IFE)
- » Fire and Emergency New Zealand (FENZ)
- » Fire Protection Association New Zealand (FPANZ)
- » New Zealand Institute of Architects (NZIA)
- » Architectural Designers New Zealand (ADNZ)
- » Structural Engineers Society (SESOC)
- » Representatives from Passive Fire engineers/consultants and Façade engineers

Gathering Feedback & Upcoming Webinar

To support the adoption of PN22 Version 2, Engineering NZ is actively seeking feedback. A webinar is planned for approximately three months from now to discuss user experiences and insights.

If you have thoughts or feedback on this update, we encourage you to share them. Stay tuned for further details on the upcoming webinar!

Thank you for your engagement and support in improving fire safety practices.



Seeking Expressions of Interest: Future FPANZ Board Members

As President of the Fire Protection Association New Zealand (FPANZ), I'm proud of the progress we've made together as an industry in recent years—being a stable voice for the fire protection industry, raising standards, and promoting professional excellence. As we look ahead, it's vital that our leadership continues to reflect the values, diversity, and talent of our sector.

To that end, we are seeking **Expressions of Interest (EOI)** from individuals within the fire protection industry who may be interested in standing for **future Board positions** with FPANZ.

This is not an election announcement, but rather an invitation to start a conversation. We want to connect with members of our community who are eager to contribute at a strategic level and help shape the direction of our Association and our industry.

What Are We Looking For?

We are seeking individuals who bring a combination of the following:

- › **Impartiality:** An ability to engage in discussion and decision-making in a way that prioritises the good of the industry and the association, above any one company or interest.
- › **Governance Experience or willing to learn:** Familiarity with governance principles and a commitment to good practice in board operations. Previous board or leadership experience is an advantage but not essential. We would equally be interested in talking with anyone who is interested in governance and prepared to learn and work.
- › **Strategic Thinking:** A mindset focused on long-term direction, opportunities, and risks facing our industry, rather than just the day-to-day.
- › **Passion for the Industry:** A genuine commitment to improving the fire protection sector for all – whether through training, regulation, innovation, or culture.

Diversity of Perspective Matters

Our Board functions best when it includes a broad range of voices and experiences. We are keen to hear from individuals across the full spectrum of our industry – from contractors and consultants to engineers, suppliers, and technicians. If you care about where we're headed, and want to be part of that journey, we want to hear from you.

Interested?

If this speaks to you, or you know someone you think would be a great fit, please get in touch. You can express your interest or learn more by contacting me direct at justin@contego.co.nz 03 260 7888

Looking forward to discussing the future of the industry.

Regards,

Justin McEntyre
President, FPANZ

fire NZ 2025



Our annual FireNZ national conference has established a reputation as the premier fire industry event for keeping abreast of advancements in all aspects of fire safety in NZ.

ATTEND as a delegate or speaker.

FireNZ provides a comprehensive national forum for fire industry professionals. It draws delegates from countries throughout the Pacific and keynote speakers from around the world.

The conference programme is designed to provide insight and learning, to extend current thoughts on the various presentation topics, and to provide robust debate around key industry issues. FireNZ delegates are industry professionals with a strong interest in the latest developments across fire protection and related products and services.

EXHIBIT or SPONSOR at FireNZ.

This is an opportunity to showcase advanced cutting edge practices in fire protection engineering that are used to protect people, property and the environment from fire.

The FireNZ Conference and Tradeshow 2025 will provide you with the opportunity to create valuable connections and new business opportunities with key industry buyers, suppliers, stakeholders and leading international experts. Once again the tradeshow hours will suit our exhibitors and maximise the time spent with our delegates.

The conference will provide information for, amongst others:

- Fire Protection Contractors
- Fire Consultants
- Fire Engineers
- Architects
- Building Surveyors
- Property Developers
- Distributors and Installers
- Insurance Professionals
- Fire Equipment Manufacturers
- Fire Survey Personnel
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- System Designers HVAC/Fire



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Workforce Development Council

The Government has decided to disestablish the current Workforce Development Councils and establish new Industry Skills Boards (ISBs).

The ISBs will take on some of the WDC functions from January 2026. There will be differences between WDCs and ISBs. ISBs will have a role strongly focused around their standard setting function with a lower level of government funding available. It is also expected that the number and coverage of ISBs could be different from the WDC model.

Included below are details on;

- **The current ISB Industry Consultation process,**
- **The Minister's decision on the work-based learning model,**
- **A call for nominations for the new Establishment Advisory Groups for the ISBs.**

As well as how all of this applies to the services you rely on from the team at Hanga-Aro-Rau.

Consultation on the number and coverage of Industry Skills Boards opens.

TEC has commenced consultation on the number and coverage of Industry Skills Boards. The proposals also include some sectors where standards setting is proposed to transition to NZQA.

The consultation document can be found here. [Consultation on Industry Skills Boards' coverage | Tertiary Education Commission](#)

TEC will be running webinars on the proposals set out in the consultation document in the next two weeks.

You can register for a webinar [here](#).

Consultation runs from 28 April until 5.00pm Tuesday 20 May 2025.

Minister announces Government's decision on future work-based learning model.

Last Thursday 24th April, the Minister for Vocational Education announced the government's decision to introduce an industry-led, independent work-based learning model.

See Minister Simmonds' full press release here: [A better path for apprentices and trainees | Beehive.govt.nz](#).

The key aspects are:

- Any qualified provider (institutes of technology and polytechnics, private training establishments, wānanga) can offer work-based learning, managing all aspects of apprenticeships and traineeships.
- Industry Skills Boards (ISBs) will be established from 1 January 2026 to develop qualifications and standards, endorse programmes, and provide workforce analysis.

The transition of this model will see Te Pūkenga's work-based learning divisions transfer to ISBs for up to two years, ensuring continuity in training.

For more information, see the TEC page: [New work-based learning model](#).

This decision reflects the Government's commitment to ensuring the vocational education system is more responsive to industry needs. It follows the targeted consultation earlier this year and confirms that WDCs will still be disestablished on 31 December 2025 and Industry Skills Boards (ISBs) will be operational from 1 January 2026.

Nominations for Establishment Advisory Groups for Industry Skills Boards

The TEC is also inviting industries to nominate representatives to help establish the Industry Skills Boards.

Each Industry Skills Board will have an Establishment Advisory Group with three members from industry. Establishment Advisory Groups will be responsible for ensuring each Industry Skills Board can successfully stand up on day one. The role of the Establishment Advisory Groups is focused on governance rather than industry advocacy.

Candidates will need strong governance and change management skills, an industry background and an understanding of education and training.

Nominations received **before 13 June 2025** will be considered for the Establishment Advisory Groups which will operate through 2025. However, industry nominations after this date are still welcomed. Later nominations will be considered for any unfilled positions on Establishment Advisory Groups or for additional members of the first boards of Industry Skills Boards.

Industry bodies are encouraged to get involved to ensure Industry Skills Board are industry-led from the very beginning.

Further information on the Establishment Advisory Groups and the nomination process can be found here [Help establish Industry Skills Boards | Tertiary Education Commission](#)

What does this mean for Hanga-Aro-Rau and the services you rely on?

Right now, this means that Hanga-Aro-Rau are continuing with their current 2024-25 work programme and don't anticipate changes until 30 June 2025.

They are working with TEC to develop an amended work plan to ensure they can deliver their functions and wind-up Hanga-Aro-Rau by 31 December 2025. This amended plan will cover the period 1 July 2025 to 31 December 2025.

Hanga-Aro-Rau is committed to advocating for industry to have a strong voice in the new system and also want to ensure the needs of current and future workforces are met, particularly Māori, Pacific People, disabled people, and other underrepresented groups.

Hanga-Aro-Rau believe that the redesign process is best supported by robust evidence and policies that have been proven to work well, and have developed **three white papers**, focusing respectively on Māori, Pacific Peoples and disabled people. The success of these groups is essential to the success of the VET system as a whole. They can be downloaded from their website on the links below.

1. [Redesigning Vocational Education and Training system to unlock the potential of Māori and the Māori economy through workforce development: Strategies to inform vocational training design.](#)
2. [Redesigning the Vocational Education and Training system to unlock the potential of Pacific Peoples through workforce development: Strategies to inform vocational training design.](#)
3. [Unlocking the potential of the disabled: Strategies to inform redesign of the Vocational Education and Training system, and its link to employment support and recruitment,](#)

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Steve Smith	HOFFE SIG Chair

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Greg North	Society of Fire Protection Engineers (NZ Chapter)
Ed Claridge	Auckland City Council
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Pete Gallagher	Fire and Emergency New Zealand

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Member Appointments to the Board:

- Bryce Donaldson
- David Prosser
- Keith Blind
- Chris Mak
- Nicky Marshall
- Samantha McNaughton

Attendance Record

FOR FPANZ BOARD/COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES FOR 2024/2025

BOARD			15/2/24	18/4/24	20/6/24	29/8/24	28/11/24	13/2/25	10/4/25
Justin McEntyre	President		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Chris Mak	Past President		✓	✓	✓	✓	A	✓	A
Keith Blind	Elected Member Director		✓	✓	✓	A	✓	✓	✓
Bryce Donaldson	Elected Member Director		✓	✓	✓	A	✓	✓	✓
Samantha McNaughton	Independent Director		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Nicky Marshall	Elected Member Director		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
David Prosser	Elected Member Director		✓	A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Elaine Christy	FPANZ	NOTETAKER	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Scott Lawson	FPANZ		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

COUNCIL			15/2/24	18/4/24	20/6/24	29/8/24	28/11/24	13/2/25	10/4/25
Scott Lawson	FPANZ	CHAIRPERSON	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Elaine Christy	FPANZ	NOTETAKER	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A	✓
Bryce Donaldson	Argus Fire		✓	S	A	A	A	A	A
Chris Mak	Aon Fire Protection		A	A	A	A	A	✓	A
Greg North	SFPE		✓	✓	S	✓	✓	A	✓
David Prosser	Lifetime member		✓	A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ed Claridge	Auckland City Council		✓	A	✓	A	A	A	A
Garth Moran	Altex		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A	A
Glenn Thompson	Ice Fire		✓	A	A	✓	A	✓	✓
Samantha McNaughton	Hanga-Aro-Rau		✓	✓	✓	✓	A	A	A
Ross Fothergill	Hanga-Aro-Rau					✓	✓	✓	✓
Jason Hill	Institution of Fire Engineers NZ Branch		A	S	✓	S	✓	R	
Scott Lanauze	Institution of Fire Engineers NZ Branch							✓	A
Justin McEntyre	FPANZ President		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A	A
Kevin Withell	Competenz		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A	✓
Lance Hunt	HOFPE SIG Chair		✓	A	✓	A	✓	✓	A
Nicky Marshall	Protech Design		✓	A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Phil Lacey	GHD		✓	✓	A	✓	✓	✓	✓
Rob Scott	NZFEA President		✓	✓	✓	A	✓	R	
Craig Barnett	NZFEA President						✓	✓	✓
Saskia Holditch	MBIE/BSP		✓	✓	✓	✓	A	✓	✓
Steven Smith	HOFPE SIG Chair		A	A	✓	A	✓	A	✓
Pete Gallagher	FENZ		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
Ben Bakker	Passive SIG Chair		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Gim Tan	Contractors SIG Chair					A	✓	✓	✓

Key

✓	Present	A	Apologies
S	Stand in sent	R	Resigned

FPANZ Members

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Alliance Fire and Security	Firewatch New Zealand Ltd	PSL - Phillips & Smith Ltd
Aotea Fire (NZ) Ltd	First Fire Systems Ltd	Simply Fire Ltd
Aquaheat New Zealand Ltd	Flame Stoppers Limited	Southern Insulation Ltd
Ask Metro Fire Limited	Global Fire Limited	South Pacific Fire Protection Group Ltd
BECA Ltd	Guardian Alarms Ltd	SunBuild NZ Ltd
Bondor NZ Ltd	Gulf Contracting Ltd	Trafalgar Fire Ltd T/A Ryanfire Products
Cake Commercial Services Ltd	Holmes Fire LP	Triangle Fire Protection Ltd
Chubb New Zealand	Ice Fire Protection Ltd	Ultra Fire Protection
Contego Systems	Johnson Controls Fire Detection Products	Willoughby Fire Ltd
Evolve Fire Protection NZ Ltd	Life Safety Services	Woodview Construction Ltd
FFP Canterbury Ltd	Metspray NZ 2013 Ltd	Wormald
FFP Nelson Marlborough Fire Ltd	Optimal Fire	WSP New Zealand Limited
Fire Protection Compliance Ltd	Passive Fire NZ Ltd	Xfire Ltd t/a Crossfire
Fire Security Services 2016 Ltd	PBS Fire Data	Zero Fire Ltd
Fire Solutions Limited		



5-14 STAFF/FTE's

Almak Ltd	Firetree Ltd	Origin Fire Consultants Ltd
Alpha Fire Limited	Fire Compliance Services Ltd	Passive Solutions Ltd
Ampac NZ Limited	Fire Control Services Ltd	Potters Interior Systems
Argest Fire	Fire Engineering Services Ltd	Premier Fire New Zealand Pty Ltd
ASJ Ceasefire	Fire TS Laboratory	Promat Australia PTY Ltd
AssetCare Ltd	Fire Safety Net Ltd	Protech Design Ltd
Auckland Lab	Fire Systems Inspections Ltd	Pumpset Technology Limited
Auckland Passive Fire Limited	FireMint Limited	Reliable Fire Sprinkler (Australia) Pty Ltd
Automatic Fire Alarm Monitoring Ltd	Firepro Centabuild Ltd	Safe Spray Ltd
B & M Sprinkler Ltd	GHD Ltd	Safety First NZ Ltd
Bartons Sound Systems Ltd	Halliwell Group Ltd	Select Alarms Ltd
Bensan Distribution Ltd	Hilti NZ Limited	Siemens (NZ) Ltd
BOSS Passive Fire	HSM Group Holdings Ltd	Snap Fire Systems Pty Ltd
BRANZ Ltd	Hydroflow Distributors Ltd	Space Structural Consultants Ltd
Competenz Te Pūkenga	Iconiq Fire Ltd	SpecFire
Compliance Consultants Ltd	iFire Protection Ltd	Sprinkler & Alarms Inspections Limited
Compliance Fire Alarms Ltd	Johnson Controls Australia Pty LTD	SS Firecell
Compliance Fire Protection Ltd	Kingspan Insulated Panels Limited	Steel & Tube Holding Ltd
Cosgroves Ltd	Logic Group	Tansley Electrical Ltd
Crossroads Fire Ltd	Macdonald Barnett Ltd	Tech Group
Ecoglo International Ltd	Marsh Ltd	The Connect Group
Elite Fire Protection	Metalbilt Doors	THE DESIGNFIRE
Elite Passive Fire Ltd	No 8 Fire Limited	T M Consultants Ltd
EQUANS NZ Ltd	Norman Disney & Young	UDSL Fire Protection Solutions
Fireco Limited	NZ Commercial Property Maintenance Ltd	UniFire Ltd
Fireshield	NZ Fire Rating Limited	Viking Sales & Services Ltd

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Current Financial Members of the Fire Protection Association of New Zealand
Financial Year 2024/2025



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Actron Fire Services Ltd
Advanced Applicators Ltd
Alarm New Zealand Ltd
Alarm and Power Services Ltd
Allproof Industries NZ Ltd
Altex Coatings Ltd
Babbage Consultants Ltd
Bakker PFI Limited
Ballard Consulting
Beele Australasia Ltd
Brooks New Zealand Limited
Building & Fire Services (2008) Ltd
Building & Fire Safety Ltd
Central Fire Design Ltd
Certifired
Clarinspect
CLC Consulting Group Ltd
Comfortech Building Performance Solutions
Complete Fire Protection Services Ltd
Consol Construction Solutions Ltd
CoveKinloch New Zealand Ltd
CoveKinloch Compliance Ltd
Delta Fire Ltd
DSPA Oceania
Dulux New Zealand
Eastland Fire Compliance Ltd
ElectriNET Ltd
Emergency Management Solutions Ltd
Engineering Design Consultants
Evacuation Now Ltd
Fire and Safety Training Ltd
Fire Corp Industries Ltd
Fire International (NZ) Ltd
Fire Protection Services Ltd
Fire Protection Technologies Ltd

Fire Risk Sprinklers Ltd
Fire Safe Australia & New Zealand Ltd
Fire Safety Equipment Ltd
Fire Sprinkler Installations NZ Ltd
FireForce Ltd
Firepro Design Ltd
Firestop Centre
FM Global
Galbraith Engineering Ltd
Gasworkz Ltd T/A Fire Equipment
Hawkes Bay
Greenfire NZ
Hardy Compliance and Consulting Ltd
IAG New Zealand Ltd
IANZ
International Paint
James Hardie NZ
JMA Decorators Ltd
JW Fire Equipment Services Ltd
Kaitiaki Fire Protection
KHS – Fire
Laser Electrical Blenheim
Linings Limited
Loktronic Limited - ViTech Division
Mainland Extinguishers
Marsh Ltd
National Consultants Ltd
National Fire Protection
Nelligan Consulting Engineers
Nimbl Group Ltd
Northland Fire Protection Ltd
Notifier Fire Systems
NZ Corrosion Services Ltd
Osborn Associates (NZ) Ltd
Pacific Door Systems Ltd
Passive Fire Applicators Limited

Passive Fire Installations Ltd
Passive Fire Protection Applicators Ltd
PF Installations Ltd
PFITS Consultancy Ltd
PPG Industries New Zealand Limited
Prestige Fire Limited
PWFP Fire Safety
QA FIRE
Red Alert New Zealand 2012 Ltd
Redfire Systems Ltd
Reliance Fire Protection Ltd
RH Fire Ltd
Rhino Fire & Security Ltd
Safeworld
Shield Construction Ltd
Sigma Consulting Engineers Ltd
Skycity Auckland Ltd
Smoke Control NZ Ltd
Southbrook Fire Research Ltd
Spot On Fire Protection (2020) Ltd
Sprinkler Design NZ
Stewart Construction Ltd
Tekin Industries Ltd
Tech Passive Fire Ltd
Timaru Fire Protection
Today's Building Solutions
Total Industrial Solutions Ltd
Triple F Fire Protection Ltd
Twelvea Ltd
UCS Passive Fire Protection
Vero Insurance NZ Ltd
Victaulic NZ
Wainscot NZ Limited
Watertank Inspections Ltd
Wayne Bowden Painters Ltd
Zone Architectural Products



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Alan Hedlund
Alex Davis
Gilbert Gordon
Konrad Cross
Paula Nicolson
Paul Walters
Phillip Watkin
Simon Hemmings
Thomas Miller



PROVISIONAL MEMBERS

Active Fire Safety Specialists Ltd
Beth M Construction Ltd
Global Active Fire
Lumen Ltd
Passive Fire Professionals Ltd
Pulse Fire Ltd
Purple Cow Ltd
SecuriSure Ltd
T&K Passive Safety
Titan Fire Protection
VIP Coating Ltd
VIP Protective Coatings Ltd
Won-Door NZ Ltd

FPANZ Draft Calendar 2025

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KEY	
OFFICE REOPENS	FPANZ office reopens after the Christmas/New Years break 2024/2025
SIG MEETINGS*	8am-Passive AKL 10am-HOFFE AKL 1pm-EVAC AKL
BOARD/COUNCIL MEETINGS	Venue TBA
FireNZ Conference	October 7-9 2025, Auckland Viaduct Event Centre.
FireAustralia Conference	Sydney, 13-15 May 2025
MEMBERSHIP	FPA Membership Year 2024/2025 Finishes 30 June FPA Membership Year 2025/2026 Begins 1 July
AUDIT	Audit 2025
AGM	Board/Council Meetings and AGM. Venue TBA, 27 November 2025
OFFICE CLOSES	FPANZ office closes for the Christmas/New Years break 2025/2026

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