

2026 DULUTH LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY

March 20 – 22, 2026

Welcome to the 2026 Duluth Leadership Development Academy! We hope you take full advantage of all the networking and educational opportunities we are offering in 2026!



CLASSES

- All classes will be held at the Duluth Entertainment Convention Center (DECC) and have limits to class size set by the instructor. Please do not attend a class you are not registered for. We may have unexpected last minute cancellations, please check with the MSFCA staff at the registration desk. Changes will be made on a first-come-first-served basis.
- Certificates will be distributed at the end of each session.

MEALS

- Light refreshments will be available on Saturday and Sunday, and lunch is available on Saturday only. These meals are only for registrants. No family members please.
- Families are welcome to attend the networking event on Saturday night.

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EXPO MAP



Lake Superior Ballroom JK PQ

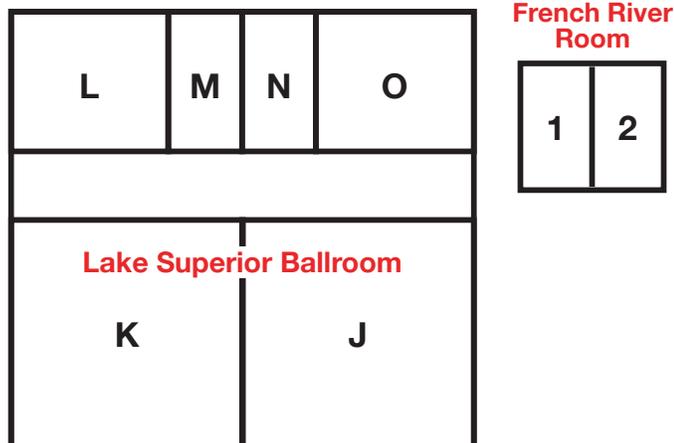
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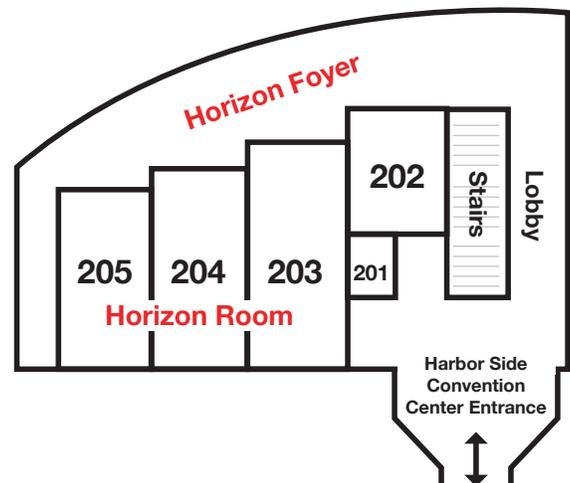


FLOOR MAPS

CITY SIDE SKYWALK LEVEL



HARBOR SIDE SKYWALK LEVEL



EXHIBITORS



24Restore

6250 McKinley St NW
Ramsey, MN 5530
612-424-2424
www.24restore.com

Alex Air Apparatus

312 Oak St S
New London, MN 56237
800-264-2320
www.alexairapparatus.com

Anytime Restoration Fire & Water Damage

14645 Felton Ct, Ste 101
Apple Valley, MN 55124
612-494-1176
www.anytimestoration.com

Clarey's Safety Equipment

1725 Hwy 14 E
Rochester, MN 55904
651-261-9099
www.clareys.com

Custom Fire Apparatus, Inc.

509 68th Ave
Osceola, WI 54020
715-294-2555
www.customfire.com

Dinges Fire Company

243 E Main St
Amboy, IL 61310
815-245-4744
www.dingefire.com

Echo Data Analytics

2901 93rd Way
Brooklyn Park, MN 55444
612-412-9330
www.echodataanalytics.com

Emergency Apparatus Maintenance, Inc.

7512 4th Ave
Lino Lakes, MN 55014
800-326-3911
www.eamservice.com

Fire Safety USA

3253 19th St NW
Rochester, MN 55091
507-529-8444
www.firesafetyusa.com

Great Plains Fire

17277 230th St
Fergus Falls, MN 56537
888-993-9889
www.greatplainsfire.com

HIEBA System Solutions

715 Morgan
Clyman, WI 53016
608-432-2793
www.hiebasystemsolutions.com

Hotsy Minnesota

2951 100th Court NE, Ste 100
Blaine MN 55449
763-786-5525
www.hotsymn.com

Jefferson Fire & Safety

7620 Donna Dr
Middleton, WI 53562
608-836-0068
www.jeffersonfire.com

Lindstrom Restoration

9621 10th Ave N
Plymouth, MN 55441
763-544-8761
www.firerepair.com

MacQueen

1125 7th St E
St. Paul, MN 55106
800-832-6417
www.macqueeneq.com/firerescue

MN Board of Firefighter Training & Education (MBFTE)

445 Minnesota St, #146
St. Paul, MN 55101
952-232-7319
www.mbfte.org

MN Dept. Of Natural Resources

402 SE 11th St
Grand Rapids, MN 55744
218-322-2692
www.dnr.state.mn.us

MN Fire Service Certification Board (MFSCB)

PO Box 490667
Blaine MN 55449
866-566-0911
www.mfscb.org

MN State Fire Marshal Division

445 Minnesota St, #145
St. Paul, MN 55101
651-201-7202
www.dps.mn.gov/divisions/sfm

MN Traffic Incident Management (TIM)

2500 County Rd B2 W
Roseville, MN 55113
651-802-0878
www.minnesotatzd.org/tim

MnFIRE

PO Box 124
Isanti, MN 55040
763-242-1819
www.mnfireinitiative.com

Service Restoration

1120 Hampshire Ave S
Bloomington, MN 55420
952-999-1960
www.servicerestoration.com

SoundOff Signal

3900 Central Pkwy
Hudsonville, MI 49426
800-338-7337
www.soundoffsignal.com

Vehicle Response Training

465 W 220th St
Jordan, MN 55352
612-242-9696
www.vehicleresponsetraining.com

SAVE THE DATES

More information: www.msfca.org

Fire Service Day at the Capitol

April 27, 2026

Capitol, St. Paul, MN

Women Explore Fire Day in Minnesota

May 2, 2026

Multiple events across Minnesota

More information: www.womenexplorefire.com

Minnesota Fallen Firefighter Memorial Service

September 27, 2026

*Fallen Firefighter Memorial – State Capitol Grounds
St. Paul, MN*

More information:

www.mnfireservicefoundation.org/memorial

MSFCA 2026 Annual Conference

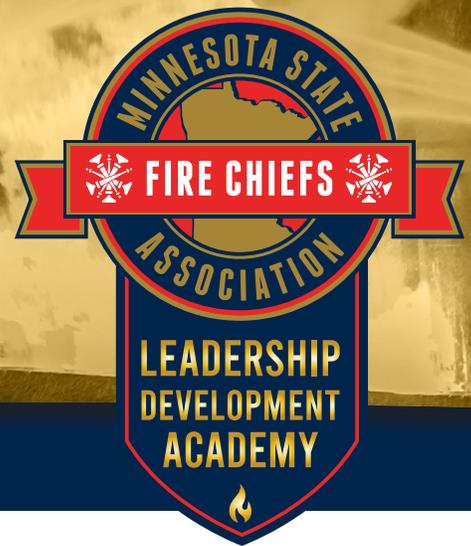
October 14-17, 2026

*Duluth Entertainment Convention Center
Duluth, MN*

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SCHEDULE



FRIDAY, MARCH 20

- 12:00 PM – 5:30 PM** Vendor Setup – Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ
- 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM** Registration – Canal Park Brewing Company (300 Canal Park Dr, Duluth, MN 55802)

SATURDAY, MARCH 21

- 7:30 AM – 5:00 PM** Registration – Outside Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ
- 7:30 AM – 6:30 PM** Vendor Show – Light Refreshments – Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ
- 7:50 AM – 8:00 AM** Welcome – Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ
- 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM** Classes

- » **Accountability of Leadership: Crisis Management Inside Public Safety** – Harbor Side Ballroom 204
- » **Buddy to Boss** – French River Room 2
- » **Critical Thinking for Fire Ground Operations** – Lake Superior Ballroom O
- » **EMS Attack Crew: Leading and Preparing Our Firefighters to Succeed on Every Medical Call** – St. Louis River Room
- » **Fire Ground Management – First Arriving Officer** – French River Room 1
- » **G-131 - Wildland Training (FFT1) for Structural Firefighters (Saturday ONLY)** – Harbor Side Ballroom 202
- » **Inspire the Leader Within** – Lake Superior Ballroom MN
- » **Modernizing Fire Incident Reporting: NERIS Functionality and Community Risk Reduction Development** – Harbor Side Ballroom 203

SATURDAY, MARCH 21 CONT.

- 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM** Break – Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ
- 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM** Lunch – Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ
- 2:30 PM – 3:30 PM** Break – Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ
- 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM** Networking Event – Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ (light hors d'oeuvres, hosted beer & cash bar)
Attendees' families are welcome for the evening reception for no charge.

SUNDAY, MARCH 22

- 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM** Classes
- 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM** Break – Lake Superior Ballroom JKPQ

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