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S.C. State Fire Hosts 4th Annual Fire & Community Risk Reduction Summit

Almost 300 attendees from across South Carolina are expected to attend the 4th Annual Fire & Community Risk Reduction Summit May 5, 2022, in S.C. State Fire's Denny Auditorium.

The all-day event will focus on strategies for reducing fire and life safety risks, while featuring multiple nationally recognized speakers and 16 vendors from 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

LLR Director Emily Farr and Assistant State Fire Marshal Nathan Ellis will make opening remarks along with Robby Dawson, National Fire Protection Association Southeast Regional Director, and Amy Masincupp, State Farm Agent.

After lunch, a panel discussion will focus on life-saving updates, resources, and training for attendees to take back to their communities.

"Risk is everywhere," Community Risk Reduction Chief Josh Fulbright said. "Attendees will learn about our current state of affairs in South Carolina and how to reduce fire and life safety risks. This event is a great opportunity to show attendees how to plan ahead and work together with stakeholders in our local communities."

Sponsors include State Farm and the NFPA, in partnership with State Fire's Community Risk Reduction team.

The Fire Academy and the State Fire Marshal's Office make up the Division of Fire and Life Safety, which is a division of the S.C. Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation. The Academy is located at 141 Monticello Trail in Columbia.