

SAFE COMMUNITY SERIES

HIGHLIGHTS

FIRE PREVENTION — SESSION SUMMARY

HERE'S WHAT YOU MISSED (October 7th, 2025):



Lithium-ion batteries are in most household electronics and pose a fire risk if misused. Here are some tips on how to handle these batteries:

- Only buy listed products, with recommended safety lab stamps. Products without certification may not meet safety standards, increasing fire risk.
- Charge devices on hard surfaces, never on pillows, beds and couches.

Draw a Floor Plan and Designate a Meeting Place: Map your home, mark escape routes, and mark smoke alarms. Pick a safe specific location outside your home, and make sure your home's address is visible from the street so emergency services can find you.

During a Fire: Evacuate immediately and stay outside. Crawl low under smoke, call 911, and if your clothing catches fire, stop, drop, and roll.

For more information about Fire Prevention, please visit:
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