



# News...

Newsletter of the Electronic Security  
Association of Washington

## UPCOMING EVENTS

April 12<sup>th</sup> – Westside Meeting - 11:30-1  
Tri-Ed  
Rose Gunderson – Dept L&I  
Lien Forms & L&I 2016 New Legislation

April 21<sup>st</sup> – Eastside Meeting 11:30-1  
Associated Builders  
Suzanna Schmidt

May 18<sup>th</sup> – Annual Luncheon 11-2  
Maggiano's Little Italy  
Todd Short – Redmond Fire – Zone 1  
Ron Walters – SIAC

July 14<sup>th</sup> – Annual Golf Tournament  
Redmond Ridge  
TeeOff 1:30

August 26<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fire Alarm  
Symposium – Emerald Downs

September 13<sup>th</sup> – Westside Meeting 11:30-1  
ADI

September 15<sup>th</sup> – Eastside Meeting 11:30-1  
Timber Creek Grill Buffett

October – Annual Security Alarm  
Symposium

October 20<sup>th</sup> – Eastside Meeting 11:30-1  
Timber Creek Grill Buffett

November 8<sup>th</sup> – Westside Meeting 11:30-1  
Tri-Ed

November 17<sup>th</sup> – Eastside Meeting 11:30-1  
Timber Creek Grill Buffett

Winter 2016

## Membership

### *Why become a WAESA Member?*

When you become a [Regular Member](#), your dues support both our local Chapter and our National ESA. Regular and Associate Member dues help support the day to day operation of the Association. This allows us to provide you, our members, with educational events, legislative, industry, and ordinance information and supports our youth scholarship program for the children of Police and Fire personnel.

Your membership gives you access to our members only page on our website which has information on governmental affairs both at the state and national level, new ordinance information, and important industry announcements, as well as trade discounts with other members!

We are always looking for new members and encourage you to visit the [ESAweb.org](#) website and view the advantages and benefits for our members. One of our greatest benefits is the liability insurance available through SAARG. We encourage you to get a quote a few months before your insurance renewal. Thank you for your support!

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***WAESA Mission Statement*** – *To deliver the resources needed to promote professionalism, ethics, and technical expertise within the electronic life safety and security industry.*

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***WAESA Vision Statement*** – *Inspire our members to be Industry Leaders.*

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## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

### Volunteer Appreciation

We are very fortunate to have so many volunteers who help plan and run our programs. We are only able to have successful events because of our volunteers. Thank you to all of those listed below. We appreciate their hard work. They are the backbone of WAESA.

**2015 Volunteers:** Russ Hanson – Reach One, Dave Sahms – TMG, Christina Elliott – PSR, Amanda Hoskins – Tri-Ed, Dlo Sykes – Aronson Security, Baron Kofoed – Bosch, Chuck Slaybough – ADI, Todd Short – Redmond Fire, Mike Cunningham – RedHawk and Leon Parks – Honeywell


**2016 Volunteers:** Christina Elliott – PSR, Amanda Hoskins – Tri-Ed, Dlo Sykes – Aronson Security, Andrea Weinheimer – Seevid, Jason Maples – Windy City Wire and Christopher Laing – GroupOne NW

**Board Members** are volunteers too – they are / were: Jamie Vos – Security Solutions, Mike Miller – Moon Security, David Ewton – Bosch, Phill Moran – Limited Energy Services, Shannon Woodman – Washington Alarm, Ron Haner – Alarm Center Inc, Leonard Hanna – AES Corporation, Steve Autio – My Alarm Center and Chris Wood - Graybar

Volunteers bring new ideas and knowledge to the association. We appreciate any time that you can give to the association. Positions range from a board member position, to a committee chair or member, to making a few phone calls. Please contact Jamie Vos ([jamiev@ssnw.co](mailto:jamiev@ssnw.co)) or [info@waesa.org](mailto:info@waesa.org)

## MEMBERS ONLY WEBSITE LOGIN

To help enhance our members experience we have developed a member's only section on our website. This is designed to be an area where we can deliver member only benefits to continue to enhance and encourage membership in our association. We thank current members for their involvement and support and will work hard to drive more member only benefits. We will be sending out the user name and password shortly.




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## Board Members

### April 12th – Westside Meeting – Tri-Ed – 11:

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Security Solutions  
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### Director, Eastern Chapter Chairman, Past President

Mike Miller  
Moon Security  
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### Treasurer Open Position

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## SAVE THE DATES

Save the dates for two of WAESA's most popular events:

### Annual Membership Luncheon Meeting – Wednesday May 18<sup>th</sup> - 11am-2pm

Maggiano's Little Italy Restaurant – 10455 NE 8<sup>th</sup> St, Bellevue WA 98004  
Join us in honoring our 2016 WAESA Scholarship Winners, hear from Todd Short with Redmond Fire about Zone 1 updates, from Ron Walters with SIAC updates, and from current WAESA Board Members with the State of the Association.

Registration is required – see the registration form here.

### 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament – Thursday July 14<sup>th</sup> – Tee off 1:30

The Golf Club at Redmond Ridge – 11825 Trilogy Parkway NE, Redmond WA 98053

Join us for a fun day of golf and help raise the funds for the Scholarships we award to the children of law enforcement and fire service personnel!

We currently have Early Bird Sponsorship pricing – good through May 1<sup>st</sup>! Registration is required – see the registration form here.

## EDUCATION

Effective July 1, 2017 the State of Washington will be requiring the following:

### 907.10 NICET: National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies.

**907.10.1 Scope.** This section shall apply to new and existing fire alarm systems.

**907.10.2 Design review:** All construction documents shall be reviewed by a NICET III in fire alarms or a licensed professional engineer (PE) in Washington prior to being submitted for permitting. The reviewing professional shall submit a stamped, signed, and dated letter; or a verification method approved by the local authority having jurisdiction indicating the system has been reviewed and meets or exceeds the design requirements of the state of Washington and the local jurisdiction (effective July 1, 2017).



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**907.10.3 Installation/maintenance:** All installation, inspection, testing, maintenance and programming not defined as "Electrical Work" by chapter 19.28 RCW shall be completed by a NICET II in fire alarms (effective July 1, 2017).

For more information regarding recently adopted codes: <https://fortress.wa.gov/ga/apps/sbcc/Page.aspx?nid=222>

We don't want there to be any surprises on July 1, 2017. Knowing the NICET testing process can be difficult and time consuming, we wanted to let everyone know well in advance what requirements are coming. I do not know anything further on this right now. Please direct questions or concerns to the Washington State Building Code Council <https://fortress.wa.gov/ga/apps/SBCC/>

## APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

The ESA-WA apprenticeship program provides a great opportunity to enhance the on-the-job education of your apprentices, and if you are doing prevailing wage jobs, you should certainly consider it.

Please contact Stella McDonald, Training Director. For additional information, log onto the Apprenticeship page on our website, [www.waesa.org](http://www.waesa.org).

This program is dedicated to training apprentices in the electronic life safety, security and systems industry and qualifies persons to install, maintain, repair and inspect equipment. The recruitment, selection, employment and training of apprentices during their apprenticeship shall be without discrimination because of race, sex, color, religion, national origin, age, disability, or as otherwise specified by law. We encourage the application of female and minority apprentices.

## ASAP TO PSAP

What is it? The Automated Secure Alarm Protocol (ASAP) service is a computer-aided dispatch system designed by the Central Station Alarm Association (CSAA) and the Association of Public Safety Communications Officials (APCO Int'l).

Instead of our operators calling into the 911 Center and telling the operator where and what the alarm is on, the signal is automatically pushed to the 911 Center, populating the operators screen with the alarm information, including the site address. Seattle is moving toward accepting ASAP to PSAP because of the following:

Eliminates calls into the 9-1-1 Center • Virtually eliminates the mistakes and miscommunication between humans talking over the telephone • 9-1-1 processing time is two to three minutes which translates to two or three minute's reduction in response times • Excellent customer service from shorter response times. According to the City of Richmond, Virginia, "With the advent of the ASAP program, critical life safety signals and highly accurate information is processed in seconds, not minutes, through the NLETS system of state- to- state communication, thus insuring that critical time will not be lost, and with the assurance that complete and accurate information is transmitted to the PSAP each and every time." If you would like more information on the ASAP to PSAP program, please contact [info@waesa.org](mailto:info@waesa.org).