



Chief Fire Officer Program 2026 Tentative Schedule (updated 4-11-25)



Mandatory Orientation

MABAS Readiness Center 10-30-25
MABAS Readiness Center 11-13-25

Module 7 – Budget and Finance Issues

Phase 1 06-01-26 to 06-30-26
Phase 2 - Group A 07-10-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 07-17-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 1 - Leadership

Phase 1 12-01-25 to 12-31-25
Phase 2 - Group A Thurs. 01-08-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B Thurs. 01-15-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 8 – Strategic Planning

Phase 1 07-01-26 to 07-31-26
Phase 2 - Group A 08-01-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 08-08-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 2 – Professional Development

Phase 1 01-01-26 to 01-31-26
Phase 2 - Group A 02-06-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 02-13-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 9 – Working in the Community

Phase 1 09-01-25 to 09-30-26
Phase 2 - Group A 09-11-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 09-18-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 3 - Communications

Phase 1 01-01-26 to 01-31-26
Phase 2 - Group A 03-06-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 03-13-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 10 – Managing the Codes, Enforcement Process and CRR

Phase 1 09-01-25 to 09-30-26
Group A - Phase 2 10-02-26 (MABAS)
Group B - Phase 2 10-09-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 4 – Legal Issues

Phase 1 03-01-26 to 03-31-26
Phase 2 - Group A 04-10-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 04-17-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 11 – Emergency Management and Response Planning

Phase 1 10-01-26 to 10-31-26
Phase 2 - Group A 11-06-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 11-13-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 5 – Human Resources

Phase 1 04-01-26 to 04-30-26
Phase 2 - Group A 05-01-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 05-08-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 12 – Life Safety Initiatives

Phase 1 11-01-26 to 11-30-26
Phase 2 - Group A 12-04-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 12-11-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 6 – Intergovernmental Relations

Phase 1 05-01-26 to 05-31-26
Phase 2 - Group A 06-05-26 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 06-12-26 (Orland Fire)

Module 13 – Resiliency / Mental Health

Phase 1 12-01-26 to 12-31-26
Phase 2 - Group A 01-08-27 (MABAS)
Phase 2 - Group B 01-15-27 (Orland Fire)

Group A will be held at MABAS Readiness Center, 233 Hintz Rd., Wheeling, IL.
Group B will be held at Orland Fire Training Facility, 10728 163rd Pl., Orland Park, IL 60467