

# IAFC Terrorism and Homeland Security (T&HS) Committee Strategic Plan 2024 - 2026



## T&HS Committee Goals/Actions/Tasks

### Prevent/Protect

**T&HS Committee Strategic Goal:** Focusing on a robust partnership with law enforcement and intelligence agencies, such as the Joint Terrorism Task Force, to establish a baseline of threats, vulnerabilities, and consequences related to complex attacks involving Fire and Smoke as a Weapon.

**T&HS Committee Action:**

**Task(s):**

- 1) Develop and make available working documents on the IAFC Site.
- 2) Actively solicit/pursue/recruit new members.
- 3) Introduce regular/increase the number of member meetings.
- 4) Cultivate collaborative partnerships/alliances with the FBI, the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), and the **SLIC** (among other relevant and wide-reaching organizations/agencies).
- 5) Establish/strengthen working relationship with the London Fire Brigade.

### Mitigate

**T&HS Committee Strategic Goal:** Provide for a comprehensive level of fire/life safety and fire prevention measures within all buildings that will provide a solid foundation for response to complex coordinated attacks involving Fire and Smoke as a Weapon. This includes many items such as Fire and Life Safety Plans, trained Fire and Life Safety Personnel, Functional and Tested Standpipe and Sprinkler Systems, and Fire Alarm Systems that integrate all vital building functions such as smoke detection, elevator recall, and smoke purge systems.

**T&HS Committee Action:**

**Task(s):**

- 1) Civil Disturbance

## Response

**T&HS Committee Strategic Goal:** Effective and safe response is predicated upon comprehensive planning, training, and exercising with law enforcement partners.

**T&HS Committee Action:**

**Task(s):**

- 1) Leadership in Crisis
- 2) Conference - NCTC
- 3) Mass Casualty
- 4) Fire as a Weapon
- 5) Cyber

## Recovery

**T&HS Committee Strategic Goal:** This involves both crime scene preservation and cause/origin investigation. In addition, family reunification and counseling services for responders and the community.

**T&HS Committee Action:**

**Task(s):**

- 1) Create a Hot Wash document.

## Resilience

**T&HS Committee Strategic Goal:** Resilience in the accumulation of all preparedness, planning, training, and exercising to effectively and safely spare as many lives as possible, protect responders, and neutralize threats to our community from complex attacks.

**T&HS Committee Action:**

**Task(s):**

- 1) Article

## Imagination

**T&HS Committee Strategic Goal:** As articulated in the September 11<sup>th</sup> Report, it is imperative that we anticipate probable and possible threats, vulnerabilities, and consequences. This can be the function of interagency red teaming, risk analysis, and case studies.

**T&HS Committee Action:**

**Task(s):**

- 1) Cultivate collaborative partnerships/alliances with the FBI, the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), and the **SLIC** (among other relevant and wide-reaching organizations/agencies).
- 2) Develop a relationship with The National Consortium for Health Science Education **to advance** . .