

**Bryan Cash, CFI, CVFI**

Hall County Fire Marshal

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Mr. Cash began his career in public service in 1991 as a volunteer firefighter in Barrow County and started his professional career in 1993 with Hall County. Mr. Cash began working his way through the ranks eventually achieving the rank of Division Chief.

His background includes career firefighter, police officer, paramedic, and criminal investigator and currently serves as the Fire Marshal. In 2006 Mr. Cash began part-time consulting work with David H. Smith & Associates as a Fire Analyst. Working for this company, he currently conducts analysis of fire scenes to determine the origin and cause of fires. He has conducted over 2000 fire scene examinations and has been qualified in local, state and federal court as an Origin & Cause Expert.

He is a IAAI Certified Fire Investigator, and a NFAI Certified Vehicle Fire Investigator, a licensed private investigator, and holds a Fire Science degree. Mr. Cash has been both a student and instructor for the National Fire Academy, including Electrical Analysis of Fires, Forensic Interview Techniques, and various other courses relating to the investigation and analysis of fires. He has earned numerous awards during his career including the State of Georgia Fire Investigator of the Year for 2019.

Currently, Mr. Cash oversees the Fire Marshal's Office (FMO) in Hall County. The FMO is comprised of seven personnel who serve to provide arson investigation, fire inspection, fire safety education, and plan review services for Hall County residents. In 2019 his office conducted over 5200 fire inspections, investigated 300+ fires (including 4 fire fatalities), and made 12 arson arrests. Mr. Cash's office also taught 160 educational classes reaching almost 3800 people. Mr. Cash is a published author of a fictional murder mystery and resides in Winder Ga. He is married and has three kids.