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The following is a statement from IAFF General President Edward Kelly on the collapse of the Francis Scott Key Bridge in Baltimore, Maryland:

"Technical rescue teams, including rescue divers, from across the region are actively engaged in search operations this morning following the Francis Scott Key Bridge collapse. Operations like these are highly complex and dangerous. It's why IAFF members regularly train and prepare for the unknown. Our thoughts and prayers are with those impacted by the tragedy and with the first responders working to bring the injured and missing to safety."

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