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for consideration by the Apex Town Council

Item Type: CONSENT AGENDA

Meeting Date: August 24, 2021

Item Details

Presenter(s): Keith McGee, Fire Chief

Department(s): Fire Department

Requested Motion

Motion to approve an additional full-time firefighter position in the fire department and corresponding Budget Ordinance Amendment 4.

Approval Recommended?

[Yes]

Item Details

As a part of the fire department's current hiring process, we are asking for the ability to hire one additional firefighter FTE in order to offset the staffing challenges created by the long-term absence of one of our members. In addition to the normal reasons for employees to not report to work (i.e. vacation leave, sick leave, etc.), the long-term absence of an employee is exacerbating the need to call in off-duty personnel in order to maintain minimum staffing. If approved as requested, the future personnel request to staff Public Safety Station #36 will be reduced by one FTE.

The anticipated hire date for this additional firefighter FTE would be October 4, 2021.

Attachments

- Budget Ordinance Amendment 4

