



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: 05/09/2022

AGENDA ITEM: Consider making a motion to increase the hourly Hazmat rate of pay.

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BACKGROUND:

The current rate of pay for Hazmat training and in jurisdiction calls is \$20.00 an hour. This rate has fell below our normal City hourly firefighter rate of pay for calls and training, the hourly rate of pay has not seen an increase in over 10 years. Our current rate of pay is also below the other State Hazmat Teams rate of pay. The goal is to increase the hourly rate of pay for trainings and in jurisdiction calls to \$25 per hour. These wages are paid out of our State Contractor Compensation budget and do not come out of our normal operating budget.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion to increase the hourly rate of pay for Hazmat training and in jurisdiction calls from \$20 to \$25 an hour effective May 1st, 2022.