



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: 9/27/2021

AGENDA ITEM: Consider accepting an updated Contract for Fire Fighting Services for Arbo, Harris, and Blackberry Townships.

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BACKGROUND:

The Fire Chief has met with most of the townships we currently sever in regards to general information as well as getting updated fire contracts. I have received 3 fire contracts back from Arbo, Harris, and Blackberry to date. I will bring the other contracts to council once I receive them.

Previously, fire contracts were a five year agreement. We have discussed with the townships and City Attorney to make these fire contracts to continue in perpetuity unless earlier terminated for hereafter. The City and/or Townships shall have the right to terminate this agreement by providing, at minimum, twelve months written notice by certified mail, which notice shall be sent prior to April 1st of any year, to terminate fire services to be performed twelve months from such date. This change in contract terms is the only change that was made to the previous agreements.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion to consider entering into an updated Contract for Fire Fighting Service for a perpetual contracts unless terminated by either party per agreement with the Townships of Arbo, Blackberry, and Harris.