



CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS

MEMORANDUM

Date: August 8, 2024

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Frank Schulte, City Administrator

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Subject: Conference of Eastern Wayne (CEW) Appointments

With the launch of joint 911 services in 1993, an Interlocal Agreement by the Grosse Pointe and Harper Woods communities established The Conference of Eastern Wayne (CEW). A restated Interlocal Agreement was filed with the Secretary of State in 2004. The CEW serves as the mechanism for receiving State 911 proceeds through Wayne County, which are distributed to partner communities based upon population.

The State 911 Committee recently finalized their 911 funding compliance review for Wayne County. One of the findings is current 911 plans for the four service districts in Wayne County is non-compliant with State requirements. As a result, the Wayne County Board of Commissioners is required to update these 911 plans and in the process of doing so.

With a change in personnel in the Grosse Pointe and Harper Woods communities over the past several years, it is being requested that all partner communities reappoint members to the CEW.

It is my recommendation that City Council reappoint City Administrator Frank Schulte as the Designated Representative and appoint Public Safety Director John Kosanke as the Alternate Designated Representative to the Conference of Eastern Wayne (CEW).

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