

## Hamburg Township Public Safety Department



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**TO:** Hamburg Township Board

FROM: Chief Richard Duffany

**DATE:** December 29, 2022

**RE:** Agenda Item Topic: New Hires – PT Firefighters

General Ledger #: N/A

Number of Supporting Documents: N/A

NEW/OLD BUSINESS: XXX New Business

## **Requested Action**

- Motion to approve the hiring of Dennis Bakka to the position of fully-trained firefighter effective January 4, 2023 at a rate of pay of \$21.12 per hour.
- Motion to approve the hiring of Joseph Acuff to the position of apprentice firefighter effective January 4, 2023 at a rate of pay of \$19.20 per hour.

## **Background**

The department recently completed a hiring campaign for the position of part-time firefighter and is in various stages of the hiring process with several candidates. Two of the candidates (Dennis Bakka of Putnam Township and Joseph Acuff of Marion Township) have successfully completed their background checks, medical examination and psychological evaluation.

Mr. Bakka has completed Firefighter I & II and EMT-B and is eligible to be hired in as a fully-trained firefighter. Mr. Acuff has completed Firefighter I & II and is scheduled to begin EMT school on January 5, 2023. Mr. Acuff is eligible to be hired in as an apprentice firefighter pending completion of the EMT school.

Respectfully,

Chief Richard Duffany Director of Public Safety