

# VILLAGE OF HOMEWOOD



## BOARD AGENDA MEMORANDUM

DATE OF MEETING: May 27, 2025

**To:** Village President and Board of Trustees

**Through:** Napoleon Haney, Village Manager

**From:** Bob Grabowski, Fire Chief

**Topic:** Oath of Office – Firefighter/Paramedic

### PURPOSE

Staff requests the Village Clerk to administer the Oath of Office to Firefighter/Paramedic William Galgan.

### PROCESS

William Galgan joins the Homewood Fire Department from the neighboring Village of Hazel Crest Fire and Rescue. William was unanimously approved for hire by the Fire and Police commission and began his full-time employment with the Village on April 21, 2025 after successfully completing all of his pre-employment testing.

William has been in the fire service for 10 years, beginning as a contract firefighter with the Village of Flossmoor. After serving three (3) years with the Flossmoor Fire Department, William was hired as a full-time career firefighter by the Village of Hazel Crest in 2017.

William is certified as an Advanced Firefighter/Paramedic with the State of Illinois. In addition to these certifications, he is a certified Fire Apparatus Engineer and a certified Fire Service Instructor.

### OUTCOME

Welcome Firefighter/Paramedic William Galgan to the Fire Department and Village.

### FINANCIAL IMPACT

- **Funding Source:** N/A
- **Budgeted Amount:** N/A
- **Cost:** N/A

### LEGAL REVIEW

Not Required

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### **RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION**

Request the Village Clerk to administer the Oath of Office to Firefighter/Paramedic William Galgan.

### **ATTACHMENT(S)**

None