



SANTAQUIN CITY FIRE & EMS DEPARTMENT

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TO: Mayor Olson, City Council Members, Norm Beagley

FROM: Ryan Lind, Fire Chief

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RE: Multi-Jurisdictional Automatic Aid Agreement

As you may, or may not know, Santaquin Fire and EMS has historically had an Automatic Aid/Mutual Aid Agreement with the agencies in Utah County. This agreement has been in place for well over 20 years without any updates or modifications. As each of the communities has grown, and services have evolved and increased, the Utah County Fire Chiefs Association discussed updating this agreement. This new agreement allows all agencies in Utah County to work with each other, as well as extending this agreement into Juab and Salt Lake Counties with the Juab Fire District, Juab EMS, and Unified Fire Authority of Salt Lake.

This agreement has gone through several reviews by multiple agencies, and we feel that it is an agreement that will serve the agencies for years to come. Most of the agencies have already signed the agreement, and we are one of the last to do so.

I would like to make the recommendation to each of you that we sign this agreement, and replace the old, outdated, and antiquated agreement with this new agreement.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.