

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Kate Thunstrom- City AdministratorFROM: Dave Schmidt- Fire ChiefSUBJECT: Hiring Part-Time Firefighters

DATE: January 16, 2024

OVERVIEW:

With the contract for fire protection coverage for the City of Bethel, as stated in the contract we are requesting to move forward with hiring 3 firefighters that have served the City of Bethel as St. Francis Firefighters. Additionally, we had an external applicant apply and was subsequently interviewed for a firefighter positon. We are requesting authorization to hire Mark Troyer, Paula Troyer and James Rogers as part-time firefighters for the City of St. Francis, and assign them to Station 2 (Bethel) and a Contingent offer of employment to William Murphy, and assign him to Station 1 (St. Francis) upon successful completion of all pre-employment requirements.

ACTION TO BE CONSIDERED:

Approve the hiring of Mark Troyer, Paula Troyer, James Rogers, and William Murphy as parttime firefighters for the City of St. Francis, with a start date of February 1st, 2024.

BUDGET IMPLICATION:

All expenses covered by existing fire department budget.