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DALLAS CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE AGENDA

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CITY SECRETARY
DALLAS, TEXAS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2015
CITY HALL
COUNCIL BRIEFING ROOM, 6ES
1500 MARILLA
DALLAS, TEXAS 75201
11:00 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

Chair, Council Member Adam Medrano
Vice Chair, Council Member B. Adam McGough
Council Member Jennifer S. Gates
Council Member Sandy Greyson
Council Member Philip T. Kingston
Council Member Tiffinni A. Young

Call to Order

1. Approval of Minutes from the September 28, 2015 Public Safety Committee Meeting

BRIEFINGS

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| 2. | Quality Management Program | Deputy Chief George Gamez
Dallas Fire-Rescue |
| 3. | Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program | Lieutenant Julian Almaguer
Dallas Fire-Rescue |
| 4. | Hazardous Materials Response | Captain Lynn Brantley
Dallas Fire-Rescue |

5. **UPCOMING AGENDA ITEM(S)**

October 28, 2015

- A. Agenda Item: Authorize Supplemental Agreement No. 2 to extend the current three-year service contract for an additional two years with Public Consulting Group, Inc. from October 9, 2015 to October 9, 2017 to continue the operation of Ambulance Supplemental Payment Program for emergency ambulance services (DFR)

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| 6. | ADMINISTRATIVE (FIRE) REPORTS
SEPTEMBER 2015 DETAIL | Deputy Chief Tameji Berry
Dallas Fire-Rescue |
|----|---|---|

- A. 11338 Park Central Place
- B. 2400 Dallas Ft. Worth Turnpike Serv Eb
- C. 12219 Plano Road #1066
- D. 1708 Garden Drive
- E. 9710 Military Parkway #223
- F. 5980 Arapaho Road #21N
- G. 12480 Abrams Road #628

Adjourn



Adam Medrano, Chair
Public Safety Committee

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1. Contemplated or pending litigation, or matters where legal advice is requested of the City Attorney. Section 551.071 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
2. The purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property, if the deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the City in negotiations with a third person. Section 551.072 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
3. A contract for a prospective gift or donation to the City, if the deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the City in negotiations with a third person. Section 551.073 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
4. Personnel matters involving the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear a complaint against an officer or employee. Section 551.074 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
5. The deployment, or specific occasions for implementation of security personnel or devices. Section 551.076 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
6. Deliberations regarding economic development negotiations. Section 551.087 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.

Public Safety Committee Meeting Record

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Meeting Date: Monday, September 28, 2015 **Convened:** 11:00 a.m. **Adjourned:** 12:33 p.m.

Committee Members Present:

Council Member B. Adam McGough, **Vice Chair**
Council Member Jennifer S. Gates
Council Member Sandy Greyson
Council Member Philip T. Kingston
Council Member Tiffinni A. Young

Committee Members Absent:

Council Member Adam Medrano, **Chair**

Other Council Members Present:

Mayor Pro Tem Monica R. Alonzo

Staff Present:

Eric D. Campbell, Assistant City Manager
Police Chief David O. Brown, DPD
First Executive Assistant Chief Charles Cato, DPD
Major William Humphrey, DPD
Lieutenant Richard Wilson, DPD
Major Janet Page, DPD

Major Eno Fite, DPD
Lieutenant Fred Diorio
Lieutenant William Griffith
Dennis Ware, Director, STS
Cornell Perry, Manager, CIS

AGENDA:

Call to Order

1. Approval of Minutes

Presenter(s): B. Adam McGough, Vice-Chair
Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):
A motion was made to approve the September 14, 2015 minutes.

Motion made by: Council Member Greyson
Item passed unanimously:
Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by: Council Member Gates
Item passed on a divided vote:
Item failed on a divided vote:

2. Special Presentation: A Resolution Recognizing Freedom from Domestic Violence

Presenter(s): Council Member Gates
Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):
Council Member Gates asks that this resolution be reviewed and forward to full council to be accepted as a resolution from the City of Dallas regarding domestic violence.

Motion made by: Council Member Greyson
Item passed unanimously:
Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by: Council Member Gates
Item passed on a divided vote:
Item failed on a divided vote:

3. Dallas Police Department Crime Report

Presenter(s): Police Chief David O. Brown, DPD

Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

This briefing provided the committee with an update on the Crime Report for January – September 2015. The committee has some concerns with the increase in the violent crime rate of 7.17% but with the increase in funding starting FY15-16 there will be additional patrols to assist in decreasing this rate. Council Member Young would like staff to meet with her regarding some issues she is having in her district with car washes, loitering, panhandling, and response time.

Motion made by:

Item passed unanimously:

Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by:

Item passed on a divided vote:

Item failed on a divided vote:

4. Pedestrian Safety

Presenter(s): Major William Humphrey

Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

Council Member Kingston would like to see a strategy for reducing pedestrian fatalities and injuries beyond paint and fluorescent signs and would like further discussion. Council Member Kingston also requested Major Humphrey and Dennis Ware to meet with him to find out what other groups/resources need to be involved. Vice Chair McGough would also like further discussion on what can we do that is appropriate for different areas of the City since each would have different needs and strategies to ensure pedestrian safety; what are the strategies that exist. As it relates to the new signals that are being installed by the STS Department, Council Member Young would like to know when they will start moving into other areas of the City besides Downtown since District 6 and District 7 are leading in the pedestrian fatalities stats.

Motion made by:

Item passed unanimously:

Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by:

Item passed on a divided vote:

Item failed on a divided vote:

5. Crime Stoppers

Presenter(s): Major William Humphrey

Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

This briefing provided the committee with an update on the Crime Stoppers Program.

Motion made by:

Item passed unanimously:

Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by:

Item passed on a divided vote:

Item failed on a divided vote:

6. Technology Unity

Presenter(s): Major Janet Page

Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

Staff will get with Council Member Young regarding the current Targeted Action Area Grids (TAAG) and will also provide the committee with an updated briefing on TAAG areas.

Motion made by:

Item passed unanimously:

Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by:

Item passed on a divided vote:

Item failed on a divided vote:

7. Operation Brick and Mortar

Presenter(s): Major Eno Fite

Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

This briefing provided the Committee with an overview of the Brick and Mortar Operations along with an overview of child sex trafficking with the City of Dallas and its challenges.

Motion made by:

Item passed unanimously:

Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by:

Item passed on a divided vote:

Item failed on a divided vote:

8. Administrative (Police) Reports – Internal Affairs Division Cases

Presenter(s): Lieutenant William Griffith

Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

Staff provided the Committee with an informational memo on Control #2015-248

Motion made by:

Item passed unanimously:

Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by:

Item passed on a divided vote:

Item failed on a divided vote:

9. Informational Memo: Follow-up response from the August 24th Public Safety Committee Meeting

Presenter(s):

Information Only:

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

Staff provided the Committee with information as it relates to the call response time.

Motion made by:

Item passed unanimously:

Item failed unanimously:

Motion Seconded by:

Item passed on a divided vote:

Item failed on a divided vote:

APPROVED BY:

Adam Medrano, Chair
Public Safety Committee

ATTEST:

Crystal Lee, Coordinator
Public Safety Committee

Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE: October 9, 2015

TO: Honorable Members of the Public Safety Committee:
Adam Medrano (Chair), B. Adam McGough (Vice Chair), Sandy Greyson, Tiffinni A. Young,
Jennifer S. Gates, Philip T. Kingston

SUBJECT: **Quality Management Program**

On Monday, October 12, 2015, the Public Safety Committee members will be briefed on the Quality Management Program. The materials are attached for your review

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Eric D. Campbell
Assistant City Manager

Attachment

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Quality Management Program

Public Safety Committee

October 12, 2015



Purpose



- Establish a program where all paramedics are evaluated for completeness and accuracy in patient care documentation and clinical care
- It is the policy of the Dallas Fire-Rescue Department to strive for excellence in patient care as reflected in the documentation of patient care reports

Goals



To Ensure:

- Effective, efficient and timely emergency patient care
- Identify the needs of the pre-hospital care providers
- Competence of all practitioners
- Responsiveness to perceived care needs
- Continuous, multi-faceted evaluation of the EMS process
- Compliance with all state and local policy requirements
- Professional accountability through participation in QM activities
- Administrative commitment and support for QM activities
- Monitoring of the process and outcome of patient care
- To improve the medical knowledge and skills of DFR personnel
- To provide institutional structure and organization to promote continuous QM and clinical risk prevention

EMS Quality Management Team



- Quality Management Team consists of the following:
 - Assistant Chief of EMS
 - EMS Deputy Chief
 - Medical Director
 - EMS Section Chief
 - EMS Quality Management (QM) Captain
 - EMS QM Lieutenant
 - EMS QM Coordinator - Civilian
 - EMS Field Supervisors
- Coordinates activities with all levels of field personnel

EMS Quality Management Team



Determines goals, sets policies and implements the Quality Management Plan (QMP):

- Participates in the development of EMS policies, treatment guidelines, operational protocols and training initiatives
- Investigates all clinical and operational inquiries
- Tracks operational and clinical performance through reviewing EPCRs
- Maintains data which tracks all DFRD paramedics, Rescues, treatments, customer service and documentation compliance issues
- Identifies outstanding performance deserving of recognition

Quality Improvement Process



- Prospective
 - Monthly Continuing Medical Education (CME) courses in targeted training areas
- Concurrent
 - Field Officers who directly observe patient care, give immediate feedback, provide training and notification of system changes
- Retrospective
 - Thorough review of past data from monitors, AED's, hospital records, EMS dispatch, response time, run volume data and Electronic Patient Care Records (EPCR)

Run Review Procedures



- Dallas Fire-Rescue Department makes 17,000 runs per month and the QM Team reviews up to 600 runs per month, 3%-5% of all patient contacts
- Billing and clinical categories are reviewed for compliance:
 - Demographic information
 - Signs and Symptoms
 - Vital Signs
 - Proper Treatments
 - Appropriate documentation



Run Review Procedures



- Electronic Patient Care Reports (EPCR) are randomly selected from the EPCR administration site
- Graded by using a billing and clinical QM checklist
- Data collected is entered into a database for tracking and analysis
- Feedback is provided to the field paramedic and their EMS Field Supervisor

QM Checklist



- The checklist was developed for reviewing EPCR's
- EPCR's are checked for
 - Completeness and accuracy of documentation
 - Correct clinical care and application of proper treatment guidelines
- Substandard EPCR's are noted and given to EMS Field Supervisor to review with the responsible paramedics

QM Access Database



QA/QI Start-Up PCR Documentation QM Billing and Clinical

EPCR Documentation and Clinical Care Review

[Click Here To Add New Record](#)




<p>Incident # <input type="text"/></p> <p>Date of Service <input type="text"/></p> <p>Rescue # <input type="text"/></p> <p>Shift <input type="text"/></p> <p>Medic 1 Employee # <input type="text"/></p> <p>Medic 1 Last Name <input type="text"/></p> <p>Medic 1 First Name <input type="text"/></p> <p>Medic 2 Employee # <input type="text"/></p> <p>Medic 2 Last Name <input type="text"/></p> <p>Medic 2 First Name <input type="text"/></p> <p>Field Supervisor <input type="text"/></p> <p>Reviewed By <input type="text"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Aquired Billing Information</p> <p>Full Patient Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Date of Birth <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Social Security Number <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Patient Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Chief Complaint <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Patient Symptoms <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Patient History <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Medication <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Allergies <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Sufficient Information for Medical Necessity Determination <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Sufficient Information to make Level of Service Determination <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>One Complete Set of Vitals (BP, Pulse, Resp) <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Proper Patient/Representative Signatures <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Legible Signatures of Both Medics <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Dallas Fire-Rescue Department Emergency Medical Service Guidelines</p> <p>If Transport refused, was the Patient/ Parent Refusal Signature obtained <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>LifePack record was NOT attached to EPCR. EACH TIME LIFEPAK IS USED, LIFEPAK RECORD MUST BE ATTACHED TO EPCR <input type="checkbox"/></p>
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Documentation Review Disposition

Documented Outcome

Clinical Care Review Disposition

Clinical Care Feedback

Documentation Feedback

Field Supervisor Comments

DateReviewed

QM ID Number

Navigation Pane

Feedback to Paramedics



- The EMS Field Supervisor will review the run with the Paramedic to commend, coach, counsel and/or educate as necessary
- For performance above and beyond expectations, the paramedic will receive a Letter of Exemplary Performance, if warranted
- The QM team may also send Review forms directly to affected paramedic's stations via internal mail

Targeted Improvement Needs



- The QM Database allows for statistical information usage/guidance in future documentation and clinical issues/training modules
- Helps target areas of improvement needing focused attention:
 - E.g.; deficiencies gathering demographics, signatures, deficient skills delivery or clinical care issues
- Individual paramedic history regarding strengths



Overall Goal of QM Process



- QM process is not intended to be a punitive process.
- Training, coaching and mentoring process is followed in order to improve the quality of care and documentation delivered by the individual paramedic
- Repeated non-compliance will result in utilization of progressive discipline process to correct deficient service delivery

Future Steps



- Projected healthcare reform initiative impacts
 - Change from fee-for-service to value-based (performance) reimbursement model
 - Customer satisfaction component
- Business Technology Request (BTR) for software that can/will monitor 100% of patient care reports
 - Adherence to treatment guidelines
 - Appropriate level of clinical care
- Request For Proposal (RFP) for electronic data exchange
 - Monitoring patient outcomes
 - Comparison to treatment guidelines



Questions?

Memorandum



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TO: Honorable Members of the Public Safety Committee:
Adam Medrano (Chair), B. Adam McGough (Vice Chair), Sandy Greyson, Tiffinni A. Young,
Jennifer S. Gates, Philip T. Kingston

SUBJECT: **Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program**

On Monday, October 12, 2015, the Public Safety Committee members will be briefed on the Respiratory Protection Program. The materials are attached for your review.

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Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program



Public Safety Committee
October 12, 2015



Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program

Overview

- Our Mission
- Incident Responses
- Toxic Gases
- SCBA (Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus)
- Staffing
- Special Calls
- Thermal Imager

Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program



MISSION: To provide and maintain SCBA's and thermal imaging cameras in accordance to State and Federal laws, regulations and national consensus standards while ensuring the safety of our members.



Firefighting is a unique profession that presents many different situations with many different hazards.



Dallas Fire-Rescue

Respiratory Protection Program

TOXIC GASES GENERATED BY FIRE (partial list)

- Carbon Monoxide
- Carbon Dioxide
- Hydrogen Cyanide
- Hydrogen Chloride
- Nitrous Gases
- Phosgene
- Hydrogen Sulfide
- Sulfur Dioxide
- Acrolein
- Ammonia
- Formaldehyde
- Glutaraldehyde
- Acetaldehyde
- Benzaldehyde
- Benzene
- Various PNAs (polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons)



Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program

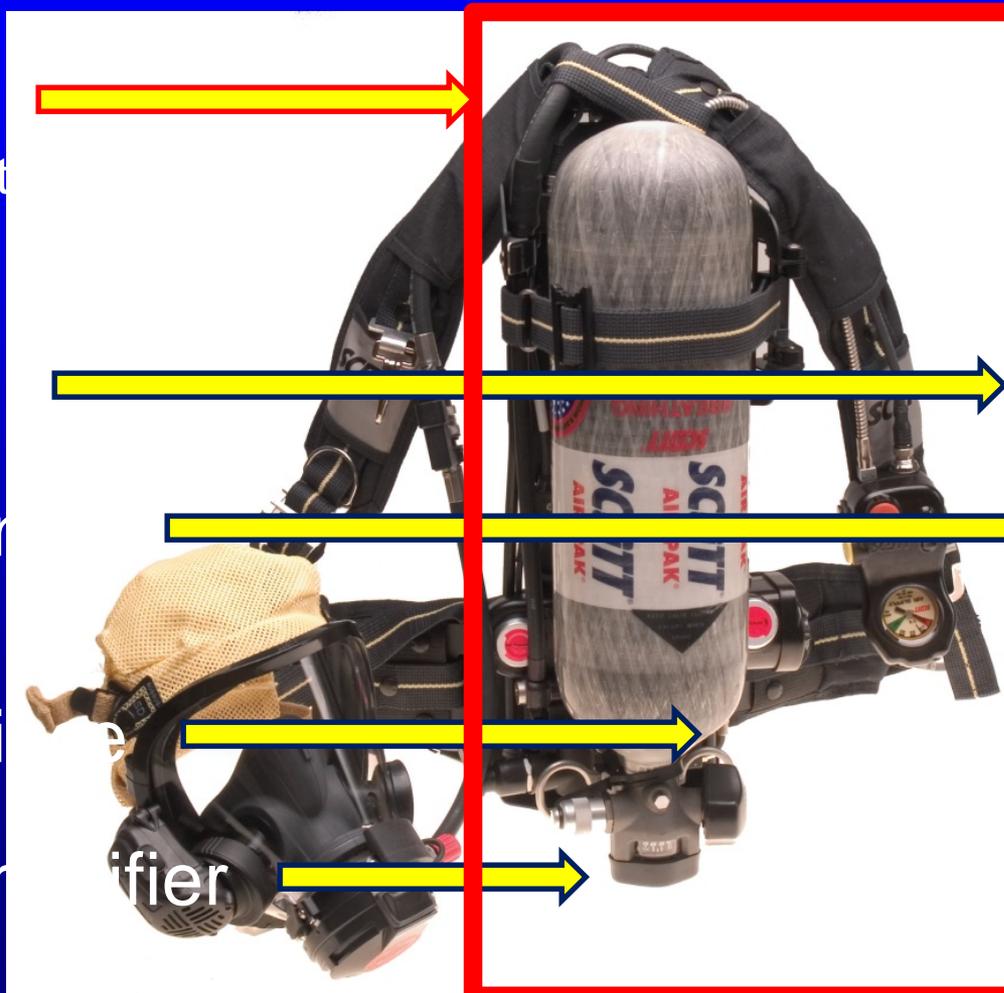
SCBA
(Self-Contained
Breathing

Air-Pak

Air Cylinder

Face Piece

Voice Amplifier



**HOW DO
WE
PROTECT
OUR
MEMBERS?**

Dallas Fire-Rescue

Respiratory Protection Program

Staff Lieutenant

Ensure Compliance with State and Federal Regulations

- Texas Administrative Code: Title 37 Part 13 Chapter 435.3 (Texas Commission on Fire Protection)
- Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) 29 CFR 1910.134 Respiratory Protection
- National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standards 1404, 1852, 1981, 1989 and 1500
- Certified In-House Service Repair Center

Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program

Driver Engineer (Certified SCBA Technicians)

Daily

- Maintenance on 750 SCBAs
- Run routes and stops
- Refill Fire Air Cylinders
- Refill EMS Oxygen Cylinders

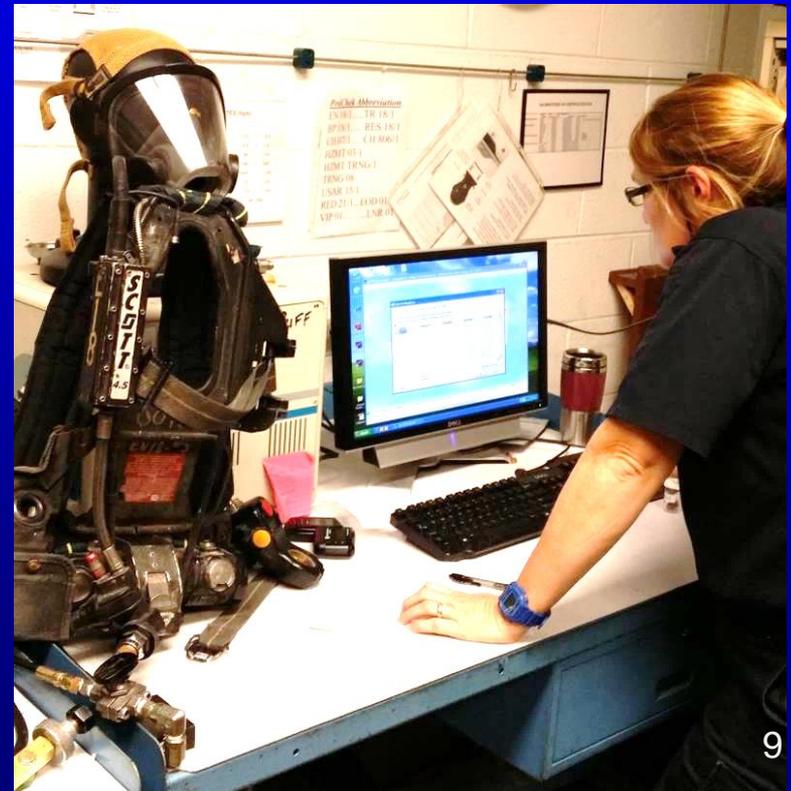


Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program

Driver Engineer (Certified SCBA Technicians)

Annually

- Functional testing all SCBAs
- Fit-Test fire face pieces



Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program

Driver Engineer (Certified SCBA Technicians)

Special Calls

- Multi-alarm 829 & 839
- Training
- Mutual-Aid



Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program

Thermal Imager Program

- Repair and Maintenance
- Engines, Trucks, Battalion Chiefs, Deputy Chiefs



Dallas Fire-Rescue Respiratory Protection Program



Any Questions?

Memorandum



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TO: Honorable Members of the Public Safety Committee:
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Jennifer S. Gates, Philip T. Kingston

SUBJECT: **Hazardous Materials Response**

On Monday, October 12, 2015, the Public Safety Committee members will be briefed on the Hazardous Materials Response. The materials are attached for your review.

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HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RESPONSE

Public Safety Committee
October 12, 2015



PURPOSE:

Familiarize the Committee with the Dallas Fire-Rescue Department's abilities to respond to situations where Hazardous Materials have escaped their container and threaten:

- People
- Businesses
- Water sources
- Infrastructure

GOALS:

- ▣ To reduce injury to citizens contaminated by Hazardous Materials
- ▣ To prevent death of citizens
- ▣ To prevent harm to water systems
- ▣ To prevent harm to the city's infrastructure

History of Hazardous Materials Response Team

- ▣ Training initiated 1987
- ▣ Placed in-service January 1988 at Fire Station 4
- ▣ Moved to Fire Station 3 in 2005
- ▣ 36 HazMat Technicians – 10 minimum per shift
- ▣ Adjunct to normal fire/ems duties

Definition of Hazardous Material

HazMat / Hazardous Materials —

Any substance or material in any form or quantity that poses an unreasonable risk to safety, health and property when transported in commerce. (DOT 49 CFR 171)

Organization

- ▣ Asst. Chief of Special Operations (801)
- ▣ Deputy Chief of Special Operations (812)
- ▣ Section Chief of Special Operations (815)
- ▣ Hazardous Materials Coordinator (810)
- ▣ Hazardous Materials Asst. Coord. (835)
- ▣ Officers at Station 3
- ▣ Hazardous Materials technicians

Capabilities

- ▣ Leak Control
- ▣ Spill Containment
- ▣ Hazard Identification
- ▣ Hazard Mitigation
- ▣ Air Monitoring
- ▣ Product Transfer
- ▣ Product Sampling
- ▣ Chemical ID & Classification
- ▣ Level “A” Protection
- ▣ Technical Resource

Responsibilities

- ▣ Respond to all Hazardous Materials incidents
- ▣ Respond to all unknown substance calls
- ▣ Respond to Urban Search & Rescue calls
- ▣ Back-up team for the Plano Fire Department and DFW Airport
- ▣ Regional HazMat Asset for North Central Texas Council of Governments

Training Requirements

- ▣ Texas Commission on Fire Protection (TCFP)
 - I. Technician level training (96hr)
 - II. Pass commission exam
 - III. Medical Evaluation
- ▣ Trained to respond to incidents involving weapons of mass destruction (WMD)
- ▣ Continuing Education – 22 hours per year

Apparatus

HAZMAT 3



FAST 3



Personal Equipment

- ▣ Protective suit
- ▣ Self Contained Breathing Apparatus
- ▣ Hard Hat
- ▣ Radio
- ▣ Protective boots
- ▣ Protective gloves
- ▣ Sealer tape
- ▣ Cooling vest



Commonly Released Materials

- ▣ Diesel/Gasoline
- ▣ Natural Gas
- ▣ Corrosives
- ▣ Other petroleum products
- ▣ Poisons
- ▣ Unknown odors



Incidents



Hazardous Materials Responses

- ▣ In 2013 - HazMat 3 responded to 203 reported hazardous materials incidents
- ▣ In 2014 - HazMat 3 responded to 304 reported hazardous materials incidents
- ▣ January 2015 to present – HazMat 3 has responded to 345 hazardous materials incidents

Questions?

Memorandum



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TO: Members of the Public Safety Committee:
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SUBJECT: **Authorize Supplemental Agreement No. 2 to extend the current three-year service contract for an additional two years with Public Consulting Group, Inc. from October 9, 2015 to October 9, 2017 to continue the operation of Ambulance Supplemental Payment Program for emergency ambulance services**

The City's cost to provide Medicaid-covered patient care to each Medicaid patient is greater than payments received for those services. Additionally, most of the cost incurred in providing services to uninsured patients goes unpaid and the City ends up covering the cost. The Ambulance Supplemental Payment Program (ASPP) is a federally approved program authorized under the Texas Healthcare Transformation and Quality Improvement Program (1115 Waiver) to provide additional reimbursement to governmental ambulance providers. The 1115 Waiver is set to expire on September 30, 2016 and the Cost Report will be due by March 31, 2017 and the settlement anticipated by October 9, 2017.

Since February 2012, Public Consulting Group, Inc. has played an instrumental role in the success of this project, working with DFR from the beginning of the City's participation in the program which was approved effective March 1, 2012. As a result, the City of Dallas has received settlement reimbursement under the ASPP program totaling \$27.7M for the three years.

The Dallas Fire-Rescue Department is seeking recommendation from the Public Safety Committee to authorize Supplemental No. 2 to extend the current three-year service contract for an additional two years with Public Consulting Group, Inc. to continue operation of Ambulance Supplemental Payment Program without interruption until the 1115 Waiver period expires. This item will be placed on the City Council Agenda on October 28, 2015.



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SUBJECT: **Administrative (Fire) Reports**

On Monday, October 12, 2015, you will be briefed on the Administrative (Fire) Reports. The materials are attached for your review.

This is an informational memo to provide the Public Safety Committee with a brief description of fire reports for August 19, 2015 – September 10, 2015.

During this period, the following significant fires occurred:

<u>Multiple Alarm Level</u>	<u>Totals</u>
3-Alarm	1
2-Alarm	2

There were 7 (seven) injuries that occurred as a result of fire incidents.

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**Public Safety Committee
Fire Report
September 2015**

DATE	ADDRESS	COUNCIL DISTRICT	BUILDING TYPE	CAUSE	LOSS	ALARM
A. 08/19/15	11338 Park Central Place	District 11	2-Story Frame Condominium	Accidental	\$11,000.00	1 Alarm
B. 08/28/15	2400 Dallas Ft. Worth Turnpike Serv Eb	District 1	1-Story Tilt Wall Construction	Accidental	\$100,000.00	3 Alarms
C. 08/30/15	12219 Plano Road #1066	District 10	2-Story Brick Apartments	Accidental	\$1,000.00	1 Alarm
D. 09/04/15	1708 Garden Drive	District 7	Vehicle	Accidental	\$0.00	1 Alarm
E. 09/04/15	9710 Military Parkway #223	District 7	2-Story Masonry Apartments	Accidental	\$5,000.00	2 Alarms
F. 09/07/15	5980 Arapaho Road #21N	District 11	2-Story Frame Apartments	Accidental	\$550.00	1 Alarm
G. 09/10/15	12480 Abrams Road #628	District 10	2-Story Brick Condominium	Accidental	\$26,000.00	2 Alarms

One Alarm Fire (A)

Date of Fire	August 19, 2015	Time of Fire	3:25 AM												
Response Time	4 Minutes 20 seconds														
Location	11338 Park Central Place	Service Area	North Central												
Building Type	2-Story Frame Condominium	Council District	11 (Kleinman)												
Business Name	Park Central Condos														
Fire Alarm System	Yes	Operational	Yes												
Cause	Accidental														
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TOTAL	\$111,850.00	\$11,000.00													
Narrative	<p>This is an accidental fire that was caused by a heat source located too close to combustibles. The heat from an electric cooktop ignited the combustibles stored next to the cooktop counter. The fire spread throughout the kitchen causing heavy damage. Heavy smoke and heat damage was also sustained to the living room and moderate to minor smoke damage sustained to the hallway, bathroom, and bedrooms. The surrounding residence (B, C, D, and E) incurred no fire damage. Engine 22 was the first arriving company.</p>														

Three Alarm Fire (B)

Date of Fire	August 28, 2015	Time of Fire	11:40 PM												
Response Time	2 Minutes 48 Seconds														
Location	2400 Dallas Ft. Worth Turnpike Serv Eb	Service Area	Southwest												
Building Type	1-Story Tilt Wall Construction	Council District	1 (Griggs)												
Business Name	Bulk Mail Distribution Center														
Fire Alarm System	Yes	Operational	Yes												
Cause	Accidental														
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TOTAL	\$350,000,000.00	\$100,000.00													
Narrative	<p>This is an accidental fire that occurred when a mail item being sorted on an Intralox conveyor belt became wedged in the diverter and ignited. The fire spread down the length of the conveyor belt causing moderate damage to the system and building before it was extinguished. Engine 36 was the first arriving company.</p>														

One Alarm Fire (C)

Date of Fire	August 30, 2015	Time of Fire	3:46 PM												
Response Time	4 minutes 05 seconds														
Location	12219 Plano Road #1066	Service Area	Northeast												
Building Type	2-Story Brick Apartments	Council District	10 (McGough)												
Business Name	Forest Garden Apartments														
Fire Alarm System	Yes	Operational	Yes												
Cause	Accidental														
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TOTAL	\$7,390,000.00	\$1,000.00													
Narrative	<p>This is an accidental fire that resulted when a pot of grease, left on a hot stove, overheated and ignited. The fire traveled from the stove to the vent-hood and caused minor damage to the cabinets adjacent to the stove. Engine 57 was the first arriving company.</p>														

One Alarm Fire (D)

Date of Fire	September 4, 2015	Time of Fire	9:46 AM												
Response Time	1 Minute 36 seconds														
Location	1708 Garden Drive	Service Area	Southeast												
Building Type	Vehicle	Council District	7 (Young)												
Business Name	Residence														
Fire Alarm System	No	Operational	N/A												
Cause	Accidental														
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TOTAL	\$0.00	\$0.00													
Narrative	<p>This is an accidental fire that resulted when the occupant attempted to start a motor vehicle engine by pouring gasoline into its carburetor. Gasoline vapors were ignited by an unknown source and created a flash fire which caused minimal damage to the vehicle. Engine 24 was the first arriving company.</p>														

Two Alarm Fire (E)

Date of Fire	September 4, 2015	Time of Fire	7:45 PM												
Response Time	2 Minutes 23 Seconds														
Location	9710 Military Parkway #223	Service Area	Southeast												
Building Type	2-Story Masonry Apartments	Council District	7 (Young)												
Business Name	Holly Park Apartments														
Fire Alarm System	Yes	Operational	Unknown												
Cause	Accidental														
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TOTAL	\$350,000.00	\$5,000.00													
Narrative	<p>This is an accidental fire that originated from the HVAC blower unit in apartment #223 located above the bathroom ceiling in the second floor apartments. The fire was contained within the unit; however smoke traveled throughout the adjoining apartments. The fire caused minimum damage to the structure. Engine 5 was the first arriving company.</p>														

One Alarm Fire (F)

Date of Fire	September 7, 2015	Time of Fire	10:09 AM												
Response Time	5 Minutes 50 seconds														
Location	5980 Arapaho Road #21N	Service Area	North Central												
Building Type	2-Story Frame Apartments	Council District	11 (Kleinman)												
Business Name	Preston Green Apartments														
Fire Alarm System	Yes	Operational	Yes												
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Building:	\$10,181,000.00	\$500.00													
Content:	\$7,500.00	\$50.00													
TOTAL	\$10,188,500.00	\$550.00													
Narrative	<p>This is an accidental fire that resulted when cooking oil overheated and ignited on the stove-top causing minor to moderate fire and smoke damage to the stove, the overhead microwave and to the adjacent cabinetry. Engine 20 was the first arriving company.</p>														

Two Alarm Fire (G)

Date of Fire	September 10, 2015	Time of Fire	11:13 PM												
Response Time	4 Minutes 52 Seconds														
Location	12480 Abrams Road #628	Service Area	Northeast												
Building Type	2-Story Brick Condominium	Council District	10 (McGough)												
Business Name	Creek Bend Condominiums														
Fire Alarm System	Yes	Operational	Unknown												
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Narrative	<p>This is an accidental fire that resulted from a discarded cigarette which ignited combustibles on to the balcony of this second floor condominium. The fire spread into the attic and roof space causing heavy damage to the wood structure. Engine 57 was the first arriving company.</p>														