DEPARTMENT	BUDGET	TAX LEVY	TAX RATE IMPACT	
	IMPACT	IMPACT	PER \$1,000	
FIRE DEPARTMENT	\$-80,140	\$-80,140	\$-0.003	

AMENDMENT INTENT

The intent of this amendment is to reduce funding for Fire Department overtime by \$54,300 and eliminate funding for Fire Department furniture (\$1,240), lawn mowers (\$1,000), snow blowers (\$3,600), Peer Fitness equipment (\$15,000) and televisions (\$5,000).

OVERVIEW

- 1. The 2014 Proposed Budget provides \$2,413,187 for Fire Department Overtime Compensation (Special Duty) account, an increase of \$53,000 (2.2%) from the 2013 Adopted Budget.
- 2. The 2014 Proposed Budget provides \$739,220 for Fire Department equipment purchases, an increase of \$429,720 (138.8%) from the 2013 Adopted Budget.
- 3. Included in the proposed 2014 Fire Department equipment purchases are the following items:

Furniture	\$1,240	(none in 2013)
Lawn mowers (2)	\$1,000	(same as 2013)
Snow blowers (4)	\$3,600	(same number but \$400 less than 2013)
Peer Fitness equip.	\$15,000	(none in 2013)
Televisions (10)	\$5,000	(none in 2013)

EFFECTS

1. This amendment reduces funding for the Fire Department's Overtime Compensation (Special Duty) account by \$54,300 (-2.5%). This is approximately the amount of the Fire Department's Overtime budget that is set aside for the department's Peer Fitness Trainers to train and be trained in 2014. The amendment also eliminates the following Fire Department equipment purchases from the 2014 Proposed Budget:

Furniture	\$1,240
Lawn mowers (2 units)	\$1,000
Snowblowers (4 units)	\$3,600
Peer Fitness equipment	\$15,000
Televisions (5 units)	\$5,000
TOTAL	\$25,840

2. This amendment reduces the 2014 Budget and tax levy by \$80,140, for a tax-rate impact of -\$0.003 per \$1,000 assessed valuation.

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OBJECTIVE, OVERALL BUDGET LEVY EFFECT OF THIS POSSIBLE AMENDMENT TO THE 2014 PROPOSED BUDGET

By Ald. Kovac

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FIRE DEPARTMENT

Reduce overtime and various equipment accounts in the Fire Department by a

total of \$80,140.

BUDGET EFFECT TAX LEVY

<u>EFFECT</u>

TAX RATE EFFECT (PER \$1,000 A.V.)

Operating Budget

\$-80,140

\$-80,140

\$-0.003

		CHANG	E IN 2014		
BMD-2				CHANCE IN 2014	
PAGE		POSITIONS OR UNITS COLUMN NUMBER AMOUNT		CHANGE IN 2014 AMOUNT COLUMN AMOUNT . AMOUNT	
AND LINE	DETAILED AMENDMENT				
NUMBER		TO BE	OF	TO BE	OF
		CHANGED	CHANGE	CHANGED	CHANGE
	SECTION I.A.1. BUDGETS FOR GENERAL CITY PURPOSES				
-	FIRE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS BUREAU DECISION UNIT				
	SALARIES & WAGES	:		,	
200.4-5	Overtime Compensated (Special Duty)			\$2,181,187	\$-54,300
200.5-4	ESTIMATED EMPLOYEE FRINGE BENEFITS			\$26,933,757	\$-23,892
	EQUIPMENT PURCHASES				
	Additional Equipment				
200.6-8	Furniture	2	-2	\$1,2 <u>4</u> 0	\$-1,24
	Replacement Equipment				
200.7-9	Lawnmower	2	-2	\$1,000	\$-1,00
200.7-17	Snowblowers	4	-4	\$3,600	\$-3,600
	FIRE DEPARTMENT EMS/TRAINING/EDUCATION BUREAU DECISION UNIT				
	EQUIPMENT PURCHASES				
	Replacement Equipment				
200.18-18	Peer Fitness Equipment	1	-1	\$15,000	\$-15,000
200.18-21	Television	10	-10	\$5,000	\$-5,000
390.1-3	FRINGE BENEFIT OFFSET			\$-149 <i>,747,7</i> 03	\$+23,892