

Department of Employee Relations

MEMORANDUM

Tom Barrett

Maria Monteagudo

Michael Brady Employee Benefits Director

Troy M. Hamblin Labor Negotiator

TO:

Terry MacDonald, Lead Staff Assistant

Finance and Personnel Committee

Office of the City Clerk

FROM:

Andrea Knickerbockef, Human Resources Manager

Department of Employee Relations

DATE:

January 29, 2010

RE:

Administrative Positions Ordinance change

In the Salary Ordinance, under Pay Range 856, a footnote pertaining to the titles "Paramedic Field Lieutenant" and "Fire Paramedic Field Lieutenant" read as follows: "4/ Positions to be reclassified to Fire Lieutenant upon becoming vacant." This footnote was created in a job evaluation report approved by the Fire and Police commission on April 24, 2003; passed by the Finance Committee on May 7, 2003 (File #021610) and by the Common Council on May 13, 2003 (File #021593 & #021594). Five vacant positions were initially reclassified to Fire Lieutenant with the understanding that as future vacancies occur, the necessary Positions Ordinance changes will be handled administratively. Administrative changes were subsequently approved by the Common Council on June 24, 2003 and September 10, 2003.

The attached letters from the Fire and Police Commission and the Fire Department request that one additional vacant position of Fire Paramedic Field Lieutenant be reclassified to Fire Lieutenant. Since the procedure for reclassifying vacant positions of Paramedic Field Lieutenant/Fire Paramedic Field Lieutenant to Fire Lieutenant was recommended by the Department of Employee Relations, approved by the Fire and Police Commission and authorized in the Salary Ordinance by Common Council action, we classification change for this recent vacancy be made administratively as follows:

Under "Fire Department, Firefighting Division Decision Unit", add one position of "Fire Lieutenant" and under "Paramedic Service" delete one position of "Paramedic Field Lieutenant (C)(I)/Fire Paramedic Field Lieutenant (C)(I)."

Attachments: Letters date 1/22/10 and 12/30/09

C: Michael G. Tobin
Acting Fire Chief Michael L. Jones
Juliet Lee Battle

Andrea



Fire and Police Commission

Michael G. Tobin **Executive Director**

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January 22, 2010

Maria Monteagudo, Director Department of Employee Relations City Hall - Room 706 200 E. Wells St. Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Ms. Monteagudo:

I am writing to advise you that one position of Paramedic Field Lieutenant has become vacant due to a retirement. I am therefore requesting that the Positions Ordinance of the City be amended to reduce the authorized strength of the Paramedic Field Lieutenant/Fire Paramedic Field Lieutenant position by one and increase the authorized strength level of the position of Fire Lieutenant by one.

Sincerely,

m. 6. Th Michael G. Tobin **Executive Director**

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Att.



Fire Department

Michael L. Jones Acting Chief Debra J. Weber Acting Assistant Chief

December 30, 2009

To the Honorable
The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners
200 East Wells Street, Room 706
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

Dear Commissioners:

Pursuant to City of Milwaukee Ordinance Numbers 021593 and 021594 pertaining to the eventual reclassification of all positions of Paramedic Field Lieutenant/Fire Paramedic Field Lieutenant to Fire Lieutenant, I wish to notify you that one position recently became vacant.

Paramedic Field Lieutenant Barbara J. Du De Voire has retired effective December 25, 2009. I respectfully request that one position of Paramedic Field Lieutenant be reclassified to Fire Lieutenant.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL L. JONES

Acting Chief

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