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CITY COUNCIL ACTION REPORT

SUBJECT: Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with City of Phoenix for Emergency Dispatch Services

STAFF PRESENTER(S): Paul Luizzi, Fire Chief

OTHER PRESENTER(S): None

Summary: This updated IGA provides for emergency dispatch services from the City of Phoenix for the Goodyear Fire Department

Recommendation:

ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2019-1966 APPROVING THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT (IGA) BETWEEN THE CITY OF PHOENIX AND CITY OF GOODYEAR FOR EMERGENCY DISPATCH SERVICES; AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER OR HER DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE IGA.

Fiscal Impact: These costs are determined for each city depending on the amount of dispatch services utilized in the previous fiscal year and the department is invoiced on an annual basis. The FY2020 Fire Department General Fund base budget includes funding for these fees. Maricopa Ambulance is billed by the city of Goodyear for their dispatch costs on a monthly basis per our emergency ambulance transport agreement.

Background and Previous Actions

Pursuant to an agreement, the City of Phoenix Fire Department has provided dispatch services to Goodyear since January 1999. This IGA has a direct correlation with the Automatic Aid Consortium Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA), which was amended and approved by Council on December 11, 2017

Staff Analysis

Staff supports being a part of the Phoenix Fire Regional Dispatch Center. In the past, both the dispatch services and automatic aid system has provided customers with the fastest response to their emergency and has been consistently working in the metro Phoenix area for over thirty years. This service agreement will provide the city of Goodyear with the highest possible level of technology and resources for fire and ambulance dispatching. This delivery of emergency services is a model for intergovernmental cooperation, efficiency, and customer service.

Attachments

Resolution No. 2019-1966 Intergovernmental Agreement with City of Phoenix