

Contra Costa County

To: Contra Costa County Fire Protection District Board of Directors

From: Lewis T. Broschard III, Chief, Contra Costa Fire Protection District

Date: June 8, 2021

Subject: Terms and Conditions for Emergency Response within the California Fire Service and Rescue Emergency

Mutual Aid System

RECOMMENDATION(S):

ADOPT Resolution No. 2021/7 which supersedes Resolution No. 2015/3 regarding terms and conditions for emergency response within the California Fire Service and Rescue Emergency Mutual Aid System.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact if adopted. The District will continue to seek full reimbursement from the State for personnel and equipment deployed on mutual aid assignments.

BACKGROUND:

The Contra Costa County Fire Protection District (District) is a participating member of the California Fire Service and Rescue Emergency Mutual Aid System. As such, each year personnel are deployed on mutual aid assignments. The California Fire Assistance Agreement (CFAA) is the negotiated reimbursement mechanism for local government fire agencies under the Mutual Aid System. Reimbursement from the State is based on the District's wage rates and MOU language.

In an effort to ensure agencies are fully reimbursed in a timely manner, the State has asked

✓ APPROVE	OTHER	
	☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE	
Action of Board On: 06/08/2021 API	PROVED AS RECOMMENDED	
VOTE OF SUPERVISORS		
AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown. ATTESTED: June 8, 2021 , County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors	
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each participating agency to adopt a reso	olution	

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

that lists all response personnel who may be deployed on a mutual aid assignment.

Authorizing portal to portal pay for employees ensures that the District will continue to be eligible for full reimbursement through the CFAA.

On May 18, 2021, the Board of Directors adopted Resolution 2021/4 updating compensation and benefits for unrepresented fire safety management classifications. Adopting this proposed resolution adds the positions covered by Resolution 2021/4 to the updated resolution to be sent to the Governor's Office of Emergency Services.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

The District may not be able to participate in the California Fire Service and Rescue Emergency Mutual Aid System and/or may be unable to seek full reimbursement for the aid it provides.

ATTACHMENTS

Resolution 2021/7 Res. No. 2021/7