



Fire-Rescue Department



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The Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue Department, established in 1912, provides fire rescue and emergency management services to the citizens and visitors to the City of Fort Lauderdale, the City of Wilton Manors, and the Town of Lazy Lake. The department operates eleven fire stations, and is the busiest city in Broward County, responding to over 48,000 calls for service annually. The department utilizes highly trained special operations teams, including Hazardous Materials, Technical Response, Dive Rescue, Marine Rescue, Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) Medical, and Aircraft Rescue Firefighting (ARFF). The department utilizes its own advanced medical protocols, such as induced hypothermia (ICE alert) and a STEMI program. The department also conducts fire prevention inspections on new and existing commercial properties and multi-family occupancies, reviews commercial building plans for fire code compliance, and investigates fire origin and cause. The department's Ocean Rescue division staffs 20 lifeguard towers davs a week protecting over 3.5 million neighbors annually. The department leads emergency management planning, the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and the Community Emergency Response Teams.

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FY 2016 Adopted Budget Organizational Chart

TOTAL FTEs - 454.8* ADMINISTRATION OPERATIONS Fire Chief 1 **Division Chief** 3 3 **Deputy Fire Chief Battalion Chief** 13 **Division Chief** 1 Fire Lieutenant 71 **Battalion Chief** 4 Driver-Engineer 74 Fire Lieutenant 5 Firefighter 189 Firefighter 1 **Emergency Manager** 1 Dom Prep & Emergency Mgmt. Coord. 1 Fire Marshal 1 Assistant Fire Marshal 1 Fire Safety Lieutenant 6 Fire Inspector II 2 6 Fire Inspector I Ocean Rescue Chief 1 Beach Patrol Lieutenant 8 Beach Lifeguard 46.8 **Department Budget Coordinator** 1 Administrative Assistant I 1 Administrative Aide 1 Clerk III 1 Data Control Clerk 1 Senior Accounting Clerk 1 Secretary II 1 Secretary I 2 Service Clerk 4 Storekeeper III 1 Storekeeper II 1 Storekeeper I 1

Amended FY 2015	Adopted FY 2016	Difference
454.8	454.8	0.0

^{*}Full Time Equivalent (FTE) includes new position(s)

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Departmental Financial Summary

Financial Summary - Funding Source								
	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Amended	FY 2016 Year-To-Date as of 2/29/16	FY 2017 Department Request	FY 2017 Budget Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017	Percent Difference	
General Fund - 001	73,151,512	76,605,671	37,288,601	76,090,230	78,094,543	1,488,872	1.9%	
Total Funding	73,151,512	76,605,671	37,288,601	76,090,230	78,094,543	1,488,872	1.9%	

Financial Summary - Program Expenditures								
FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2016 Percent FY 2016 Percent Percen								
Administration	10,679,511	11,157,297	5,625,827	10,899,416	10,966,674	(190,623)	(1.7%)	
Fire-Rescue Operations	62,472,001	65,448,374	31,662,774	65,190,814	67,127,869	1,679,495	2.6%	
Total Expenditures	73,151,512	76,605,671	37,288,601	76,090,230	78,094,543	1,488,872	1.9%	

Financial Summary - Category Expenditures									
FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2016 FY 2015 FY 2016 Year-To-Date Department Budget Amended Difference Commended vs. FY 2017 2/29/16 Request Recommended vs. FY 2017									
Personal Services	62,193,698	63,663,308	33,628,982	64,215,349	66,389,446	2,726,138	4.3%		
Operating Expenses	10,781,763	12,298,413	3,582,819	11,874,881	11,660,097	(638,316)	(5.2%)		
Capital Outlay	176,050	643,950	76,800	-	45,000	(598,950)	(93.0%)		
Total Expenditures	\$ 73,151,512	76,605,671	37,288,601	76,090,230	78,094,543	1,488,872	1.9%		

FY 2017 Major Variances

Personal Services

26% increase in pension expenses due to an increase in the annual required pension contribution	1,751,494
Increase in permanent salaries due to cost of living, merit, and step adjustments	899,832
Increase in City's required health contribution per contract	206,598

Operating Services

Decrease due to one time medical evaluations	(101,500)
Decrease in tools and equipment due to one time expenses for fire apparatus and dive team	(211.626)

Capital Outlay

Decrease in other equipment costs due to an air hydraulic booster pump one time purchase	(\$76,800)
Decrease in other equipment due to a one-time purchase for fire apparatus and exhaust equipment	(\$643,950)

FY 2017 Budget Modification Requests













FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION SUMMARY

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No.	Request Type	Title of Request	# of Pos	Cost	Page #
1	Position - New	Medical Rescue Unit Staffing - Rescue 2, 8, 46, and 246	17.00	1,297,253	7
2	Position - New	New Rescue Unit - Fire Station 2	9.00	1,050,631	12
3	Capital Outlay New	Fire Boat Equipment and Maintenance	0.00	153,503	15
4	Position - New	EMS Battalion Chief	5.00	560,326	17
5	Position - New	Life Safety Educator	1.00	113,601	20
6	Position - New	Performance Analyst	1.00	70,085	22
7	Capital Outlay Replacement	New Apparatus Equipment Replacement Ocean Rescue	0.00	88,049	24
8	Capital Outlay Replacement	Three (3) Lifeguard Tower Replacement Plan	0.00	202,321	26
9	Capital Outlay New	Technology - 4G Modums in Apparatus	0.00	69,807	28
10	Capital Outlay Replacement	Fire Station Alerting System Replacement	0.00	600,000	30
11	Capital Outlay New	Three (3) additional Fire Aministration vehicles	0.00	94,757	32
			33.00	4,300,332	

Last Update: 05/12/2016 Total Request: 1,297,245.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No:

Title of Request: Medical Rescue Unit Staffing for Rescue 2, 8, 46, and 246

Request Type: Position - New

New Position(s) Requested:	Position(s) Eliminated:	Change in Part-Time:	Total Change in FTEs:
17.00	0.00	0.00	17.00

Partially approved 9 positions

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

As a part of the ongoing process improvement, Fort Lauderdale Rescue (FLFR) continuously evaluates and analyzes data on a monthly basis looking for trends. The recent analysis, as part of Commission on Fire Accreditation International Accreditation (CFAI), shows the Department once again had a double digit increase for calls for service (12%). The Fire Department responded to 54, 385 calls for service in 2015 compared to 48,511 in 2014.

The districts which service the downtown/central portion of the City, Fire Station 2, sustained the greatest increase in the calls for service. The recent trend of call volume increases has reached a level where its becoming unsustainable and additional staffing is necessary. Over the last two years calls for service has increased by more than 22%.

The two (2) fire engines, which both operate out of Fire Station 2, are the two (2) busiest units in the City but also rank as the 1st and 2nd busiest engines in the State of Florida. Engine 8 responded to 6,712 incidents and Engine 2 responded to 6,639 incidents during the year 2015. It is becoming significantly more difficult to effectively manage the increase in call volume, while still meeting the expectations of the community, which deserve the best emergency services that they have received in prior years.

The continuous demand for services are also creating response time issues when trying to meet an exceed CFAI Accreditation and National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) standards.

Adding the additional personnel will reduce engine responses on calls which would normally require two (2) unit responses to achieve the necessary paramedics to efficiently work a medical incident. Because of the current staffing of three (3) on the engines and two (2) on the medical rescue units, Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue is forced to send two (2) units to achieve the proper number of paramedic's needed to emergency scenes.

During significant medical emergency events, the Firefighter/Paramedic is taken from the engine and utilized during the transport of the patient. This then eliminates the engine from performing any additional activities within the City until that patient has been transported to the hospital.

The total number engine responses can be reduced with the increase Major Rescue Unit staffing. All of our engines and ladder companies are ALS Advanced Life Safety capable units. They are equipped and trained to respond to any and all medical incidents. By reducing the number of secondary engine responses to medical events, the units can now be deployed directly to additional emergency incidents and begin medical treatments in advance of a transport units. These additional available units will reduce the initial response time and provide a higher level of service to our neighbors.

With the continued promotion of growth within the City, Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue needs to add additional firefighters/paramedics to the medical rescue units which service the downtown areas of the City. FLFR has come to the conclusion that the most immediate solution to overcome the high demand for service, and to decrease the number of secondary engine responses which in turn will increase the unit reliability, is to add one additional firefighter to medical rescue units 2,8,46 and 246.

Rescue Units 2, 8, 46, and 246 are the busiest units in our system and serve the areas with the highest continued growth.

Second year costs for the 17 Paramedic/Firefighters will be \$1,580,596 which includes pension, step increases, worker's compensation, and cost of living adjustment.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance Measures:

FY 2016 FY 2017 Target
Measure Type Request Description Target Target with Modification

Strategic Connections:

Cylinder: Public Safety

Goal: Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventive and responsive police and fire protection

Objective: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response

Source of

Justification: Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2018, A Five-Year Strategic Plan

Position Requests:

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	125,607	Paramedic Pay	FIR030101	1304	ASSIGNMENT PAY
	50,209	Rescue Pay	FIR030101	1316	UPGRADE PAY
	1,700	Clothing Allowance	FIR030101	1404	CLOTHING ALLOWANCES
	13,539	Supplemental FICA	FIR030101	2304	SUPPLEMENTAL FICA
	43,350	Uniforms/Bunker Gear	FIR030101	3949	UNIFORMS
Ø	23,800	SCBA Mask/Regulator	FIR030101	3946	TOOLS/EQUIP < \$5000

Offsetting	g Revenue:				
One Time Revenue	Amount of Offsetting Revenue		SubObject	SubObject Title	
	0	Total Offsetting Re	venue		
	1,297,245	Net Fund Support (Expenditures less Reve	nues)		

1,297,245.00 Total Expenditure

Last Update: 05/12/2016 Total Request: 755,627.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Change in Part-Time:

0.00

Priority No: 2

Title of Request: New Rescue Unit - Fire Station 2

Request Type: Position - New





Total Change in FTEs:
9.00

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

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The districts which service the downtown/central portion of the City, Fire Station 2, sustained the greatest increase in the calls for service. The recent trend of call volume increases has reached a level where its becoming unsustainable and additional staffing is necessary. Over the last two years calls for service has increased by more than 22%.

Each rescue unit is assigned a geographical service zone with which it is considered as "First In" or "In Zone". The downtown areas of the City have the highest demands for services which continuously cause units from "Out of Zone" to respond. "Out of Zone" responses for medical rescue units (MRU) are occurring on a regular basis which causes a delay in the first arriving MRU. Once a MRU responds "Out of Zone" another service gap is created.

With the continued promotion of growth in the busy downtown/central portions of the City, the department needs to add an additional unit to respond to the high demand for services. Last year the stations which make up the downtown/central portions of the City responded to 20,944 incidents. Fire Station 2 was ranked as the busiest fire station in the United States in 2013 and last year the station was ranked 3rd. The most recent data evaluated shows Fire Station 2 should once again be ranked as the busiest station for the year 2015. This increase demand is causing a response delay as well as increased physical burden on assigned staff.

Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue has come to the conclusion that the most immediate solution to overcome the high demand for service is to add an additional MRU to Fire Station 2. To help offset the call volume increases the Department is asking for staffing increases of 9 firefighter paramedics which will be assigned to a 24 hour MRU responding out of Fire Station 2.

The second year costs for the 9 Paramedic/Firefighters will be \$841,975, which includes pension, step increases, cost of living adjustment, and workers compensation.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance Measures:

FY 2016

FY 2017 FY 2017 Target

Measure Type

Request Description

Target

Target

With Modification

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	66,212	Paramedic Pay x 9	FIR030101	1304	ASSIGNMENT PAY
	17,932	Crew Chief Pay	FIR030101	1316	UPGRADE PAY
	12,552	Rescue Pay	FIR030101	1316	UPGRADE PAY
	900	Clothing Allowance	FIR030101	1404	CLOTHING ALLOWANCES
	2,401	Supplemental FICA	FIR030101	2304	SUPPLEMENTAL FICA
	82,600	Rescue Unit/SCBA	FIR030101	3946	TOOLS/EQUIP < \$5000
	22,950	Uniforms/Bunker Gear	FIR030101	3949	UNIFORMS
	295,000	New Rescue Unit	FIR030101	6416	VEHICLES
	1,050,627.00	Total Expenditure			
Offsetting	Revenue:				
One Time	Amount of	Index			
Revenue	Offsetting Revenue	Code SubObject	SubObject Title		
	0	Total Offsetting Revenue			
	1,050,627	Net Fund Support (Expenditures less Revenues)			

Last Update: 05/12/2016
Total Request: 153,503.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

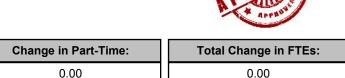
Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 3

Title of Request: Fire Boat Equipment and Maintenance

Request Type: Capital Outlay – New

New Position(s) Requested:	Position(s) Eliminated:
0.00	0.00



Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

In May 2015, the City submitted a proposal under the Department of Homeland Security, Port Security Grant Program which included the purchase of two public safety CBRNE marine vessels to enhance the Fort Lauderdale Police Department (FLPD) Marine Unit and Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue Department's ability to protect local waterways and Port Everglades.

In July 2015, the City was notified that its proposal for public safety CBRNE marine vessels was approved. On October 6, 2015, the City Commission accepted a grant from the United States Department of Homeland Security in the amount of \$874,312 to fund the purchase of two public safety CBRNE marine vessels.

The approved grant project included a 40' fire rescue rapid response watercraft which would provide increased emergency response and prevention capability, such as CBRNE response activities, heavy firefighting suppression, emergency medical services, specialty team support, detection, prevention, electronics, navigation, communications, command platform and other heavy support equipment that will assist in protecting Port Everglades, the Intracoastal Waterway, 165 miles of navigable inland waterways, marinas and seven miles of coastline.

At it's April 5, 2016 Regular City Commission meeting, the City Commission approved the purchase of a FireStorm 36 Fireboat with capabilities to utilize in response to chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, and explosives (CBRNE) events. The purchase will be made using General Services Administration (GSA) Contract No. GS-07F-0084J from Metal Craft Marine Inc. in the amount of \$1,005,750.

The grant funding obtained does not provide the additional equipment needed to operate the vehicle most effectively. The equipment needed for the new Fireboat is broken down into four groups (Boat/ Medical/ Fire / Dive Rescue) and is required for each response type. Boat equipment is needed to safely operate the vessel and required items to carry on the vessel outlined by the United States Coast Guard (USCG).

Medical equipment is required to properly perform various types of treatment for BLS/ALS calls related to medical or trauma. The equipment is essential in patient care and must be in reliable and proper working condition. Failure to comply may result in poor patient outcome and become reliability to the City of Fort Lauderdale due to equipment failure. Certain equipment is mandated by HRS (for licensing), Medical Director and Standard Operating Procedures (SOP's). Patient care and outcome has the highest priority.

Fire equipment is required to respond to various types of marine calls related to the fire service. It must be in a reliable ready state in the event needed to serve our Community and its citizens /visitors. Certain equipment is mandated by Insurance Service Office (ISO) requirements, NFPA and Fire SOP's. Reduction will possibly cause life safety issues for our personnel and the public. In addition, the Port Security Grant received stipulated that the Fireboat shall be an NFPA Type IV vessel. In order to meet this standard the following firefighting equipment is required.

Dive and surface rescue gear is required for in-water rescue operations. These operations must meet NFPA 1670 and 1006 standards as well as Ft. Lauderdale Standard Operating Procedures. The loose equipment outlined below is necessary to ensure rescuer safety and reduction in public water related illness or death.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

leasure Type	Request Descript	ion		FY 2016 Target		FY 2017 Target	FY 2017 Target with Modification
Strategic (Connections:						
ylinder:	Public Safety						
Goal:	Be the safest urban	coastal City in South	h Florida through p	reventive and responsi	ve police a	and fire prot	ection
bjective:	Provide quick and ex	xceptional fire, medi	cal, and emergenc	y response			
Source of ustification:	Press Play Fort Lau	derdale 2018, A Five	e-Year Strategic Pl	an			
Position R	Requests:						
osType	JobCode	Job Description	1				
Expenditu	re Amounts:						
One Time	Expenditure			Index	Sub		
xpense	Amt. Requested:	Job Description		Code	Object	SubObjec	ct Title
	25,000			FIR030101	3407	EQUIP R	EP & MAINT
		Fire Boat Maintena	ance				
$\overline{\checkmark}$	54,743			FIR030101	3946	TOOLS/E	QUIP < \$5000
		Tools & Equipment	t				
	25,000			FIR030101	4107	INVESTIC	GATIVE TRIPS
		Build Unit Inspection	ons				
$\overline{\checkmark}$	48,760			FIR030101	6499	OTHER E	QUIPMENT
·		Tools & Equipment	t - Capital Items				
	153,503.00	Total Expenditure					
N 66445	D						
	Revenue:						
One Time Revenue	Amount of Offsetting Revenue	Index Code	SubObject	SubObject Title			
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	0						
	0	Total Offsetting Re	evenue				

153,503

Net Fund Support
(Expenditures less Revenues)

Last Update: 05/12/2016
Total Request: 560,328.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 4

Title of Request: Emergency Medical Services Battalion Chief

Request Type: Position - New

New Position(s) Requested:	Position(s) Eliminated:	Change in Part-Time:	Total Change in FTEs:
5.00	0.00	0.00	5.00

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

The Fire Department recognized a need for additional response units. Effective January 01, 2012 Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue (FLFR) made the decision to eliminate the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) supervisor on shift, and so the department could place an additional medical rescue vehicle in service at Fire Station 29.

Although the additional rescue has provided for improved response times for the City in general, the loss of this supervisor has had detrimental consequences to overall quality assurance, medical care, and operations oversight in general. With the rapid growth and demand for services, coupled with the lack of direct supervision and hands on training, we have seen an effective decrease the quality of Emergency medical services provided.

This supervisor interacts with operation paramedics, detects and corrects inefficiency, and has an intimate knowledge of the personnel they supervise including their strengths and weaknesses.

The EMS supervisor has the responsibility to interface with hospital staff and administration when crews bring patients into the emergency room. This is particularly important in the case of critical patients such as trauma alerts and cardiac arrests. This supervisor attends quality assurance meetings at the hospital and is the spearhead for correcting deficiencies in treatment and clarifying treatment protocols as directed by the Medical Director.

The EMS supervisor also responds to the scene of critical incidents and ensures that crews perform the proper treatment interventions as well as ensuring the timely transport of patients from an emergency scene. The EMS supervisor also is our accountability officer on all structure fires. Since the loss of the accountability officer, the safety officer or second Battalion Chief responding to any structure fire has taken over this responsibility and this has proved to be a critical safety issue on many of our scenes.

The overall duties of an EMS Battalion Chief are;

- 1. Review EMS reports to ensure the accuracy and protocol compliance.
- 2. Respond to the scene of high profile or critical scenes to ensure proper treatment.
- 3. Respond to hospital to interface with staff to ensure hospital staff has an avenue to raise any concerns.
- 4. Perform on duty hands on training to develop the skill set of our personnel.
- 5. Work with probationary employees to ensure they are getting the needed hands on training to successfully complete their probationary training.

Second year costs for the 5 EMS Battalion Chiefs will be \$629,027 which includes pension, worker's compensation, merit increases, and cost of living adjustment.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance I	Measures:			
		FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2017 Target
Measure Type	Request Description	Target	Target	with Modification

Strategic Connections:

Cylinder: Public Safety

Goal: Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventive and responsive police and fire protection

Objective: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response

Source of

Justification: Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2018, A Five-Year Strategic Plan

Position Requests:	P	osit	ion	Rea	uests:
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PosType	JobCode	Job Description
Add Position	0633M	BATTALION CHIEF
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Expenditure Amounts:

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One Time Expense	Expenditure Amt. Requested:	Job Description	Index Code	Sub Object	SubObject Title
	78,333	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	1101	PERMANENT SALARIES
	3,000	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	1401	CAR ALLOWANCES
	6,222	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	2301	SOC SEC/MEDICARE
	9,902	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	2404	HEALTH INSURANCE
	78,333	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	1101	PERMANENT SALARIES
	3,000	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	1401	CAR ALLOWANCES
	6,222	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	2301	SOC SEC/MEDICARE
	9,902	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	2404	HEALTH INSURANCE
	78,333	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	1101	PERMANENT SALARIES
	3,000	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	1401	CAR ALLOWANCES
	6,222	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	2301	SOC SEC/MEDICARE
	9,902	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	2404	HEALTH INSURANCE
	78,333	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	1101	PERMANENT SALARIES
	3,000	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	1401	CAR ALLOWANCES
	6,222	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	2301	SOC SEC/MEDICARE
	9,902	BATTALION CHIEF	FIR030101	2404	HEALTH INSURANCE

	78,333	BATTALION CHIEF		FIR030101	1101	PERMANENT SALARIES
	3,000	BATTALION CHIEF		FIR030101	1401	CAR ALLOWANCES
	6,222	BATTALION CHIEF		FIR030101	2301	SOC SEC/MEDICARE
	9,902	BATTALION CHIEF		FIR030101	2404	HEALTH INSURANCE
	298	Computer Software		FIR030101	3907	DATA PROC SUPPLIES
\square	1,745	Computer/Accessor	ies	FIR030101	3925	OFFICE EQUIP < \$5000
	7,000	SCBA Mask/Regula	tor	FIR030101	3946	TOOLS/EQUIP < \$5000
	14,000	Uniforms/Bunker Ge	ear	FIR030101	3949	UNIFORMS
\square	50,000	Command Vehicle		FIR030101	6416	VEHICLES
	560,328.00	Total Expenditure				
Offsetting	Revenue:					
One Time Revenue	Amount of Offsetting Revenue	Index Code	SubObject	SubObject Title		
	0	Total Offsetting Re	venue			
	560,328	Net Fund Support (Expenditures less Rever	nues)			

Last Update: 05/12/2016
Total Request: 113,601.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 5

Title of Request: Life Safety Educator

Request Type: Position - New

New Position(s) Requested:	
1.00	

Position(s) Eliminated:	
0.00	

Change in Part-Time:
0.00

Total Change in FTEs:

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

The purpose of this position is to manage and coordinate all public fire education programs and life safety related activity for Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue (FLFR). The work shall include designing and developing curriculum for educational programs, conducting workshops, making presentations, and participating in any other related activity deemed effective in promoting or conveying fire safety principles, procedures, and safe practices. The employee must be capable of preparing educational materials, creating lesson plans, developing handouts, and other associated instructional media. The employee shall be capable communicating and designing all of the aforementioned activity for a variety of audiences, including but not limited to, children, adults, senior citizens, business professionals, people who have handicaps, etc.

The position requires the employee to safely transport FLFR's fire safety trailer to remote sites, adeptly operate all of its equipment and safety features, and be capable of training and explaining its operation and maintenance requirements to other employees, members of the fire museum staff, CERT members, and/or other responsible civilians.

The position shall require the employee to actively seek opportunities to make presentations, utilize the safety trailer, schedule field trips, make appointments, visit schools and businesses, speak to homeowner organizations, visit hospitals, nursing homes and daycares, and utilize a variety of media outlets to convey FLFR's safety message.

Within one-year of employment, the employee must obtain and maintain certifications and/or attend classes for American Heart Association BLS Instructor, Public Fire Educator I & II, Juvenile Fire-setter Intervention Specialist I & II, National Child Passenger Safety Technician. The employee shall primarily work Monday through Friday, eight (8) hours a day. However, the employee shall be able to easily adjust their schedule to accommodate evening and weekend events.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance I	Measures:			
		FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2017 Target
Measure Type	Request Description	Target	Target	with Modification

Strategic Connections:

Cylinder: Public Safety

Goal: Be well-prepared for and responsive to all hazards

Objective: Involve our neighbors with prevention efforts and emergency preparedness

Source of

Justification: Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2018, A Five-Year Strategic Plan

Position Requests:

PosType JobCode Job Description

Add Position 0544L PLANNER I

Expenditure Amounts:

One Time Expense	Expenditure Amt. Requested:	Job Description	Index Code	Sub Object	SubObject Title
	52,270	PLANNER I	FIR010405	1101	PERMANENT SALARIES
	960	PLANNER I	FIR010405	1407	EXPENSE ALLOWANCES
	4,072	PLANNER I	FIR010405	2301	SOC SEC/MEDICARE
	4,704	PLANNER I	FIR010405	2299	PENSION - DEF CONT
	9,902	PLANNER I	FIR010405	2404	HEALTH INSURANCE
	298	Computer Software	FIR010405	3907	DATA PROC SUPPLIES
	3,145	Computer Equipment	FIR010405	3925	OFFICE EQUIP < \$5000
	10,000	Office Supplies	FIR010405	3928	OFFICE SUPPLIES
	500	Uniforms	FIR010405	3949	UNIFORMS
	2,500	Certification Training	FIR010405	4101	CERTIFICATION TRAIN
	250	Memberships/Dues	FIR010405	4113	MEMBERSHIPS/DUES
Ø	25,000	Vehicle Total Expenditure	FIR010405	6416	VEHICLES
Offsetting	Revenue:				
One Time Revenue	Amount of Offsetting Revenue		SubObject Title		
	113,601	Net Fund Support (Expenditures less Revenues)			

Last Update: 05/13/2016 Total Request: 70,085.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 6

Title of Request: Performance Analyst

Request Type: Position - New

New Position(s) Requested:
1.00

Position(s) Eliminated:	
0.00	

Change in Part-Time:	
0.00	

Total Change in FTEs:

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

Over the course of the past ten years the Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue Department has transitioned from a historical /institutional based approach to the Fire service to a data driven, performance based department.

With the advent of ever increasing new technologies, the City Manager's direction to focus on "Performance Based" approach to services, and the outcomes and assessments of performance metrics identified in the recent CFAI Accreditation process, it has become apparent that Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue needs a dedicated performance analyst that will not only be able to identify and report on "What has occurred" but can also provide direction and assistance on how to adapt and adjust to an ever changing environment.

The fire accreditation process, through the Center for Public Safety Excellence, is a comprehensive examination of all services provided by the department and requires a significant investment in staff time to accomplish. The accreditation criteria requires the department to track and monitor 253 performance measures, develop a five year strategic plan, and draft the department 's first standard of cover document, by which a thorough risk assessment of the community will be completed to ensure we have the staff in place to adequately respond.

In conjunction with the City's efforts to "Build Community" through the FL2 process FLFR has become data driven and there is a necessity to provide the resources to meet these ongoing requirements. CFAI Accreditation specifically requires constant updating and analysis of performance data.

Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue has several technologies available that not only identify current performance standards but have the capacity to predict future performance outcomes based on changes in asset deployment.

Due to the consistent rapid growth of our City and incident volumes, it is critical for FLFR to consistently analyze performance data to ensure that we are provided the most efficient resources available understanding the inherent funding limitations available.

It is the Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue Department request to fund a dedicated performance analyst to support CFAI Accreditation, achieve EMAP and CAAS Accreditation, and support efforts to maintain the current ISO 1 rating for the City of Fort Lauderdale. It is the recommendation of FLFR to hire a dedicated performance analyst to achieve our internal and external goals to the ultimate benefit of all our citizens and visitors to the City of Fort Lauderdale.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance Measures:

FY 2016FY 2017FY 2017 TargetMeasure TypeRequest DescriptionTargetTargetwith Modification

Strategic Connections:

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Source of

Justification:

Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2018, A Five-Year Strategic Plan

(Expenditures less Revenues)

Position H	Requests:					
PosType	JobCode	Job Description				
Add Position	0987M	PERFORMANCE A	NALYST			
Expenditu	ure Amounts:					
One Time	Expenditure			Index	Sub	
Expense	Amt. Requested:	Job Description		Code	Object	SubObject Title
	47,778	PERFORMANCE ANA	PERFORMANCE ANALYST		1101	PERMANENT SALARIES
	960	PERFORMANCE ANA	LYST	FIR010101	1407	EXPENSE ALLOWANCES
	3,728	PERFORMANCE ANA	PERFORMANCE ANALYST		2301	SOC SEC/MEDICARE
	4,300	PERFORMANCE ANALYST		FIR010101	2299	PENSION - DEF CONT
	9,902	PERFORMANCE ANALYST		FIR010101	2404	HEALTH INSURANCE
\square	1,402	Computer Software		FIR010101	3907	DATA PROC SUPPLIES
Ø	2,015 70,085.00	Computer/Office Equip	Computer/Office Equipment		3925	OFFICE EQUIP < \$5000
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Offsetting	Revenue:					
One Time	Amount of	Index				
Revenue	Offsetting Revenue	Code S	ubObject	SubObject Title		
	0	Total Offsetting Reve	nue			
	70,085	Net Fund Support				

Last Update: 05/12/2016 Total Request: 88,049.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 7

Title of Request: New Apparatus Equipment Replacement

Request Type: Capital Outlay – Replacement

New Position(s) Requested:	
0.00	

Position(s) Eliminated:	
0.00	

Change in Part-Time: 0.00 Total Change in FTEs:

0.00

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

The Fire Department has been notified that, within the recommended FY 2017 Fleet Plan, there is an engine/pumper scheduled for replacement. We have also been notified that the Fleet Department is scheduled to only provide funding for the apparatus and any fixed equipment. The Fleet Department has communicated that there will be no funding for the necessary additional equipment that is needed.

The Fire Department has in the past purchased all loose equipment with apparatus purchases. The equipment over the life of the apparatus becomes worn, obsolete, becomes a reliability issue an/or too costly to maintain. This equipment is subject to and utilized in harsh conditions on various types of emergency scenes. Engines have normally been replaced every 10-12 years. The equipment utilized on this unit is of similar age and has served it's expected life.

Fire equipment is required to respond to various types of calls related to the fire service. It must be in a reliable ready state in the event needed to serve our Community and its citizens / guests. Certain equipment is mandated by ISO requirements, NFPA and Fire SOP's. Reduction or not replacing will possibly cause life safety issues for our personnel and the public due to equipment being outdated or unreliable. In addition, if items are removed and/or not replaced, services currently provided will be reduced due to not having the proper or required equipment.

In addition to the equipment needed for the new engine, the Fire Department is requesting funding for Knox Box systems for each of our rescue units. Under Ordinance No. C-01-28, & 1, 7-10-01,

- Sec. 13-64. Firefighter service key boxes required.
- (a) All new and existing buildings with elevators, which have firefighter service capabilities, shall install and maintain a key box for the purpose of maintaining the necessary keys for the operation of all of the elevators in the building.
- (b) Each building shall maintain at least one (1) key box. The location and type of key box shall be approved by the City of Fort Lauderdale Fire Department.
- (c) Once approved, the key box shall not be changed in any manner without the prior written approval of the City of Fort Lauderdale Fire Department.

(Ord. No. C-01-28, § 1, 7-10-01)

KNOX-BOX® key boxes have been providing firefighters with safe and secure emergency access since 1975. Nationwide, more than 11,500 fire departments depend on the KNOX-BOX Rapid Entry System to access commercial, military and residential properties when responding to fire alarms or medical emergencies.

With one Knox Master Key, community buildings, gated complexes and fenced properties are immediately accessible. The versatile KNOX-BOX Rapid Entry System provides:

- · Immediate building entry day or night
- Access to all properties with one master key
- Time-saving response to false alarms
- · Safe entry without force or injury to firefighters

Property owners in our community store entrance keys, access cards and floor plans in high-security Knox-Box® key boxes mounted near their building entrances. Each Knox-Box purchased by the property owner is keyed to a single master key controlled by our department. With the Knox System, there is no cost to the fire department, no waiting for a property owner to unlock the door in the middle of the night, and no forcing the door open to gain entry. The Knox Rapid Entry System reduces response time, property damage and the liability for lost keys.

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Currently all of our Fire Suppression apparatus and Command Officers have a Knox Master Key. When there is a medical emergency and the rescue units are "First On Scene", and there is a Knox Box in place, the rescue personnel must contact either the property owner and or a Fire Suppression Unit or Command Officer to provide access to the patient's building or residence.

This delay in response time to the patient could be detrimental to their outcome of the medical event. To mitigate and eliminate this risk, the Fire Department is requesting the funding to outfit all of our rescue units with a Knox Master Key system thus eliminating any potential for delay in responding.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance I	Measures:			
		FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2017 Target
Measure Type	Request Description	Target	Target	with Modification

Strategic Connections:

Cylinder: Public Safety

Goal: Be well-prepared for and responsive to all hazards

Objective: Involve our neighbors with prevention efforts and emergency preparedness

Source of

Justification: Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2018, A Five-Year Strategic Plan

Position Requests:

PosType JobCode Job Description

(Expenditures less Revenues)

Expenditu	re Amounts:				
One Time Expense	Expenditure Amt. Requested:	Job Description	Index Code	Sub Object	SubObject Title
	57,854	Engine Equipment	FIR030101	3946	TOOLS/EQUIP < \$5000
	18,195	Engine Equipment	FIR030101	6499	OTHER EQUIPMENT
	12,000	Knox Box System - Rescue Units	FIR030101	3946	TOOLS/EQUIP < \$5000
	88,049.00	Total Expenditure			

Offsetting Revenue: One Time Amount of Revenue Offsetting Revenue Code SubObject SubObject Title Total Offsetting Revenue 88,049 Net Fund Support

Last Update: 05/13/2016
Total Request: 202,321.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 8

Title of Request: Three (3) Ocean Rescue Lifeguard Tower Replacement Plan

Request Type: Capital Outlay – Replacement

New Position(s) Requested:	Position(s) Eliminated:	Change in Part-Time:	Total Change in FTEs:
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

The Fort Lauderdale Ocean Rescue Division covers three miles of public beach with twenty (20) lifeguard towers spaced approximately 265 yards apart.

Of the twenty towers, thirteen are the modern Apex lifeguard towers that are manufactured in California. These towers were designed specifically for lifeguards and meet all of the criteria of a modern lifeguard tower. They have minimal obstructed view of the ocean, the windows are slanted out from top to bottom, similar to an air traffic control tower, which eliminates reflection, and they have a wrap around porch. This company is still in business and spare parts can be ordered to maintain the tower.

Four of the lifeguard towers (first generation) were built in the mid 1980's and were a poor design to begin with. The windows are at a 90 degree angle which causes a reflection making it very difficult for the lifeguard to survey the people in the ocean. Along with the reflection, the corner posts are very thick and cause an unnecessary obstructed view of the ocean. There is no porch on the tower for the lifeguard to utilize while dealing with the public. Do to the age and the relentless exposure to the ocean environment, the roof is very rusted and the paint is peeling on the entire structure.

Three of the towers (second generation) were built by a contractor that is no longer in business in the early 1990's. These are of a much improved design with tilted windows to lessen the reflection and a narrower corner post to decrease the obstructed view of the ocean. The catwalk is somewhat better then the first generation but a porch that wraps around the tower like that of the Apex tower is much better for observation purposes. These towers are also showing severe signs of depreciation due to the harsh environment. Since the company is not longer in business, getting replacement parts is not possible and they must be manufactured with a work order when needed.

"Lifeguard observation towers must meet or exceed lifeguard needs, and should never be purchased or placed without prior lifeguard approval..." - United States Lifesaving Association Manual of Open-Water Lifesaving. Our newer Industrial Design Research towers have been uniformly praised around the country for their innovative design and ease of use with respect to the job of ocean rescue, but unfortunately, the seven oldest lifeguard towers need to be replaced due to a variety of inherent design issues, and age and weather related corrosion and damage. These issues include:

- Large blind spots created by the 8"x 8" aluminum beams that were used to support the large, heavy decorative roofs. These blind spots can obscure up 50 yards of the swimming area on each side of the lifeguard's assigned surveillance area. Blind spots of this size and scope make it very difficult for even the most diligent lifeguard to properly scan his/her water. Additionally, this design flaw can absolve a negligent lifeguard of any liability (and placing that negligence/liability on the City), by creating a built-in excuse for any/all lapses in attention that may result in the injury or death of a beach patron in an assigned area of responsibility.
- The extensive glare problems created by the windows not being tilted or angled is also a major impediment to the effective scanning of the bathing area. In our new lifeguard towers, designed similarly to air traffic control towers, the windows are not parallel and are pitched out. This eliminates glare and the "funhouse-mirror effect" we currently suffer through in these older towers. These towers make it very difficult for the lifeguards to do their jobs effectively by limiting the guard's field of vision. If a drowning occurs in the water of a lifeguard sitting in one of these towers, there is a built-in negligence/liability excuse due to the inferior tower design.

Our goal here is better bather surveillance and decrease negligence/liability with respect to the inherent design flaws leading to blind spots, glare issues, and lifeguard fatigue. Uniformity of lifeguard towers helps our operation additionally with regard to maintenance and equipment replacement. General aesthetic continuity with respect to beautification of the beach and portraying a professional image to the public.

Performa	nce Measures:							
				FY 2	016		FY 2017	FY 2017 Target
Measure Type	Request Descrip	tion		Tar	get		Target	with Modification
Strategic	Connections:							
Cylinder:	Public Safety							
Goal:	Be the safest urban	coastal City in South	Florida thro	ough preventive and	respons	sive police a	and fire pro	tection
Objective:		xceptional fire, medic		• .	•	•	·	
Source of	·	•						
Justification:	Press Play Fort Lau	derdale 2018, A Five	-Year Strate	gic Plan				
Position F	Requests:							
PosType	JobCode	Job Description						
Expenditu	ure Amounts:							
One Time	Expenditure			Inde	x	Sub		
Expense	Amt. Requested:	Job Description		Cod	9	Object	SubObje	ct Title
\square	202,321			FIRO	10102	6499	OTHER E	EQUIPMENT
_		Capital Cost						
	202,321.00	Total Expenditure						
Offsetting	Revenue:							
One Time	Amount of	Index			. =			
Revenue	Offsetting Revenue	Code	SubObjec	t SubObje	ct Title			
	0	Total Offsetting Re	venue					

202,321

Net Fund Support (Expenditures less Revenues) Last Update: 05/12/2016 Total Request: 69,807.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

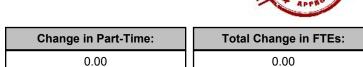
Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 9

Title of Request: Technology - 4G Modums in Apparatus

Request Type: Capital Outlay – New





Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue currently uses Mobile Data Terminals (MDT's) to send and receive communications from our Regional Dispatch center in response to emergency events. These units receive data regarding incident locations and specific structural information (Tactical Surveys) that aid our first responders to specific locations, access points, and suppression systems that are available in an emergency response. They are also used to display mapping and information relevant to the tasks and actions performed by the vehicle such as CAD drawings, diagrams & safety information.

Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue currently uses a 3G network to communicate to these devices. Due to inherent limitations to this type of network, we are experiencing connectivity issues with this technology that is inhibiting essential communications and limiting the effectiveness of our first responding units. In addition, the connectivity issues noted are limiting the Fire Department to analyze accurate data in determining the incremental response times such as:

- Dispatch to enroute times
- Turnout Times
- Travel Times
- Dispatch to On Scene times

To address these issues, it has been recommended that the Fire Department switch their MDT units from 3G to 4G devices.

The deployment of 4G networks has paved the way to supporting multiple applications over a single connection. In-vehicle gateways create a secure LAN that serves both wired and wireless devices, and connects the LAN with the enterprise via a secure WWAN.

In addition to a faster, smoother, and more reliable transfer of data, this network will also provide each apparatus to act as a "Mobile Hot Spot/Wi-Fi" that can support increasing technologies and improve the efforts of both Fire Suppression and Emergency Medical Services provided.

There are currently fifty one (51) 3G devices that need to be replaced.

The solution that is being considered is replacing the existing Sierra Wireless Pinpoint X (3G) devices with Sierra Wireless GX450 w/ Wi-Fi Pinpoints (4G).

Due to the constant issues with the connectivity of our Mobile Data Terminals (MDTs) in our vehicles both the Broward County IT staff and our City Mobile IT staff are recommending upgrading our current connectivity from a 3G PCMCIA card to a 4G mobile hot spot.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance	e Measures:			
		FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2017 Target
Measure Type	Request Description	Target	Target	with Modification

Strategic	Connections:									
Cylinder:	Public Safety									
Goal:	Be the safest urban	Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventive and responsive police and fire protection								
Objective:	Provide quick and ex	Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response								
Source of Justification:	Press Play Fort Laud	Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2018, A Five-Year Strategic Plan								
Position F	Requests:									
PosType	JobCode	Job Description								
Expenditu	ıre Amounts:									
One Time	Expenditure			Index	Sub					
Expense	Amt. Requested:	Job Description		Code	Object	SubObject Title				
$\overline{\mathbf{Q}}$	69,807			FIR030101	3907	DATA PROC SUPPLIES				
		4G Network Upgrad	le							
	69,807.00	Total Expenditure								
Offsetting	Revenue:									
One Time	Amount of	Index								
Revenue	Offsetting Revenue	Code	SubObject	SubObject Title						
	0	Total Offsetting Re	venue							
	69,807	Net Fund Support								
		(Expenditures less Reve	nues)							
			,							

Last Update: 05/12/2016 Total Request: 0.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 10

Title of Request: Fire Station Alerting System Replacement

Request Type: Capital Outlay – Replacement

New Position(s) R	equested:
0.00	

Position(s) Eliminated:	
0.00	

Change in Part-Time:	
0.00	

Total Change in FTEs:

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

In August of 2014, the City of Fort Lauderdale entered into a Inter Local Agreement with Broward County for a Regional Communications System to provide dispatch services for the Police and Fire Departments.

Broward County currently provides fire department alerting and dispatching services to the Broward Sheriff's Office (BSO) Department of Fire Rescue, and municipal fire departments throughout the county. Currently, 106 fire stations are alerted and dispatched by the County. Dispatch operations are conducted from three public safety answering points (PSAPs), geographically located in the north, central, and south areas of the county, with specific station alerting and dispatching responsibilities assigned to each PSAP.

The current fire station alerting (FSA) system is the Zetron Model 26/6 system. This system utilizes the Zetron Model 26 station encoder at each PSAP. Dispatch data is routed via the County's microwave system to an ultra-high frequency (UHF) T-Band base station located at the County's Public Safety Building tower site. Dispatch voice audio is routed to the countywide trunked radio system and is broadcast on designated dispatch talkgroups.

Fire station equipment consists of a Model 6 station unit, interfaced to a UHF radio for station alerting functions and an 800 megahertz trunked radio for voice messages. Individual fire stations have public address systems, station zoning, and other custom features installed in each station, based upon individual department and station requirements.

Zetron has indicated that the Model 6 station unit has reached end-of-life and is superseded by a newer model. Zetron further advised the County that the Model 26 encoder will reach end-of-life in 2020.

On Tuesday, March 15, 2016, the Board voted unanimously to begin the process to solicit bids from qualified vendors to replace the existing Fire Station Alerting System (FSA). Broward County proposes to replace the Zetron FSA system to support current and future fire department alerting needs. The new FSA system will be interfaced with the new Motorola Premier One computer-aided dispatch system, and will also provide end user departments the option of enhanced fire station functions.

According to the Inter Local Agreement, each municipality is responsible for the Fire Station Alerting (FSA) units at each station. The current estimated replacement cost would be \$50,000 per station.

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance Measures:

Measure TypeRequest DescriptionFY 2016FY 2017FY 2017 TargetTargetTargetwith Modification

Strategic Connections:

Cylinder: Public Safety

Goal: Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventive and responsive police and fire protection

Objective: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response

Source of

Justification:

Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2018, A Five-Year Strategic Plan

Position F	requests:						
PosType	JobCode	Job Description					
Expenditu	ıre Amounts:						
One Time	Expenditure				Index	Sub	
Expense	Amt. Requested:	Job Description			Code	Object	SubObject Title
$\overline{\mathbf{V}}$	600,000	FSA System			FIR030101	6401	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIP
	600,000.00	Total Expenditure					
Offsetting	Revenue:						
One Time Revenue	Amount of Offsetting Revenue		SubObject	Sul	oObject Title		
	0	Total Offsetting Re	venue				
	600,000	Net Fund Support					
		(Expenditures less Reve	nues)				

Last Update: 05/13/2016 Total Request: 94,757.00

FY 2017 BUDGET MODIFICATION FORM

Fire Rescue - 001 General Fund

Priority No: 11

Title of Request: Three (3) additional Fire Aministration vehicles

Request Type: Capital Outlay – New

New Position(s) Requested:
0.00

Position(s) Eliminated:	
0.00	

Change in Part-Time:	
0.00	

Total Change in FTEs:

0.00

Basis of justification: Improvement, revenue generating, mandated, cost reduction, workload change. Please state what will be the consequence if this request is not funded?

Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue is requesting to add 3 vehicles to the Fire Administration Fleet. Currently there are 33 vehicles assigned to Fire Administration for 32 employees. We will be assigning an additional Captain to the EMS bureau to improve on the quality improvement and documentation of our EMS services. This will bring the total number of assigned personnel to 33 employees in Fire Administration.

Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue will not have sufficient reserve vehicles to utilize when frontline vehicles are taken out of service for maintenance and repairs. The proposed additional vehicles consist of one Class 12, one Class 21, and one Class 77 vehicle.

The vehicles are expected to be used by Fire Administration personnel and the vehicles will carry the tools and equipment needed to complete fire suppression/emergency situation duties. Responses include but are not limited to structure fires, multiple alarm structure fires, hazardous material incidents, technical rescue situations, marine accidents, mass casualty incidents and medical emergencies, fire inspections and investigations. The vehicles will also be used for their daily responses to community events and city meetings. Insufficient reserve vehicles will also impact the required annual fire inspections and potential reduction in annual Fire Inspection revenues.

The proposed vehicles consist of the following:

Ford Fusion Hybrid: (Class 12) - \$23,500

Dodge Charger: (Class 77) - \$25,352

Chevrolet Colorado: (Class 21) - \$26,558

(For New Position Request) Can this function be better / more efficiently performed by a third party? Why or Why Not?

Performance Measures:

Measure TypeRequest DescriptionFY 2016FY 2017FY 2017 TargetMeasure TypeTargetTargetwith Modification

Strategic Connections:

Cylinder: Public Safety

Goal: Be well-prepared for and responsive to all hazards

Objective: Involve our neighbors with prevention efforts and emergency preparedness

Source of

Justification: Not identified in an approved plan

Position Requests:

PosType JobCode Job Description

Expenditu	ure Amounts:				
One Time Expense	Expenditure Amt. Requested:	Job Description	Index Code	Sub Object	SubObject Title
	23,500	Class 12 - Ford Fusion	FIR010301	6416	VEHICLES
	3,380	Class 12 - Replacement Funding	FIR010301	4372	SERVCHG-FLEET REPLACEMENT
	480	Class 12 - O&M Charges	FIR010301	4373	SERVCHG-FLEET O&M
	25,352	Class 77 - Dodge Charger	FIR010101	6416	VEHICLES
	3,469	Class 77 - Replacement Funding	FIR010101	4372	SERVCHG-FLEET REPLACEMENT
	2,280	Class 77 - O&M Charges	FIR010101	4373	SERVCHG-FLEET O&M
	26,558	Class 21 - Chevy Colorado	FIR010402	6416	VEHICLES
	3,324	Class 21 - Replacement Funding	FIR010402	4372	SERVCHG-FLEET REPLACEMENT
	1,356	Class 21 - O&M Charges	FIR010402	4373	SERVCHG-FLEET O&M
	1,686	Class 12 - Fuel Estimate	FIR010301	3801	GASOLINE
	1,686	Class 77 - Fuel Estimate	FIR010101	3801	GASOLINE
	1,686	Class 21 - Fuel Estimate	FIR010402	3801	GASOLINE
	94,757.00	Total Expenditure			
Offsetting	Revenue:				
One Time	Amount of		SubObject Title		
Revenue	Offsetting Revenue	Total Offsetting Revenue	- Gubobject Title		
	94,757	Net Fund Support (Expenditures less Revenues)			

Descriptions & Line Items by Division













Administration

Division Description

The Administration Division provides leadership for the Fire Rescue Department. The division sets policies and standard operating procedures, establishes protocols, and works closely with other City departments and stakeholders to provide the highest possible levels of service to the citizens of Fort Lauderdale. Administration also manages the efforts and delivery of services for Ocean Rescue, Domestic Preparedness and Emergency Management, Financial Management, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Administration, the Fire Rescue Training Bureau, Fire Prevention Bureau, Support Services Bureau, and Communications and Dispatch services.

FY 2015 Major Accomplishments

- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue obtained Accredited Agency Status through the Center for Public Safety Excellence. This is a comprehensive examination of all services provided by the department and requires a significant investment in staff time to accomplish. The accreditation criteria required the department to track and monitor 253 performance measures, develop a five year strategic plan, and draft the department's first standard of cover document, by which a thorough risk assessment of the community was completed to ensure we have the staff in place to adequately respond.
- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue was rated by the Insurance Services Offices (ISO) as a Class 1 Fire Department. The current rating will result in a decrease in overall fire insurance premiums.
- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue was awarded an \$874,312 Port Security Grant via FEMA: US Department of Homeland Security/Port Security Grant Program with a \$291,437 (25% local cash match). The grant will be used for the purchase of a 40′ fire rescue rapid response watercraft.
- The Continuity of Operations Plans (COOP) was updated to ensure performance of essential functions, such as the ability to operate stations and respond to incidents while under a broad range of circumstances including natural and manmade terrorism, CBRNE (chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, and explosive), and many other disaster situations.
- Continued to implement the department's succession plan to ensure personnel are prepared for all dimensions of appropriate leadership and operational functionality.
- Conducted an Employee and Community Hurricane Preparedness Fair to increase education on emergency preparedness and mitigation.
- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue completed inspections on three new fire engines and eleven medical rescue transport vehicles which will be in service in FY 2016. These apparatus were sought to increase the availability and reliability of our fleet for effective incident response.
- The Emergency Management Bureau researched, hosted and facilitated a Weather Spotter training course instructed by the National Hurricane Center.
- The Emergency Management Bureau received the National Storm Ready designation by the National Weather Service Center. National Storm Ready helps community leader and emergency managers strengthen local safety programs.

Administration, continued

FY 2015 Major Accomplishments

- Finalized transition of 911 regional communications coordinated through the Broward Office of Communications and Technology.
- Increased educational opportunities for the community and enhancing fire safety public education by relocating the Fire Safety Trailer to the Fire Safety Museum.
- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue renewed a Fire and Medical Services contract for with the City of Wilton Manors. This service indirectly improves the services to neighbors and visitors of Fort Lauderdale because it provides an additional engine and medical rescue unit at the Wilton Manors station. These apparatus fill a response gap created in the central portion of the City that provides additional units to the northern borders of the City and backs up the heavily utilized downtown units.
- Extended Ocean Rescue hours two additional hours per day.
- Purchased digital signage televisions in all fire stations to enhance internal communications.

FY 2016 Major Projects & Initiatives

- Maintain Commission Fire Accreditation International (CFAI) accredited agency status.
- Maintain an Insurance Services Office (ISO) 1 rating status.
- Achieve Commission on Accreditation of Ambulance Services (CAAS) Accreditation for Emergency Medical Services (EMS).
- Achieve Emergency Management Accreditation Program (EMAP) accreditation.
- Procure a Public Safety Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and Explosive (CBRNE) Marine Vessel.
- Continue Emergency Preparedness initiatives including, City department COOP Training, Hurricane Expo for the community, and a Hurricane Preparedness Fair for city employees (FY 2015 Commission Annual Action Plan priority).
- Pre-construction planning of Fire Station 8 to better serve the southeast quadrant of the City.
- Place into service an additional Advanced Life Support Medical Rescue Unit at Fire Station 2.
- Develop a replacement program for administration fleet and purchase an additional engine and two medical rescue units.
- Improve response and turnout times by implementing the recommendations made during the Commission on Fire Accreditation International (CFAI) Accreditation Process found in the Standards of Cover (SOC).
- Increase facility training hours and multi-company drills by utilizing contracts with agencies that have a training facility (Hollywood Fire Rescue).
- Conduct EMS baseline Tuberculosis screening, Hepatitis B vaccination, and Post vaccination Hepatitis screening for all employees.
- Institute mandatory annual physicals for employees as part of the Life Scan Wellness Program.
- Conduct Dive Rescue Team medical evaluations.

Administration, continued

FY 2016 Major Projects & Initiatives

- Install an exhaust system at Fire Station 2 in an effort to reduce and mitigate the potential for carbon monoxide exposure.
- Purchase of additional equipment for the Technical Rescue Team (TRT) is needed to enhance the rescue capabilities.
- Continue to implement the agencies first Community Driven Strategic Plan 2014-2018.
- Implement Digital Billboards to standardize quality communications across the Fire/Rescue system; creating increased quality management awareness.
- Install the Storm Ready Signs on the City main entrances.



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES AND PERFORMANCE MEASURES

- -Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response (PS 9-2)
- -Involve neighbors with prevention efforts and emergency preparedness (PS 10-2)

Department Objective	Performance Measures	FY 2013 Actual	FY 2014 Actual	FY 2015 Target	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Target
Increase drills, simulations, and training to ensure	Percentage of employees that have completed the ISO minimum plus additional assigned fire training	97.71%	97.14%	96%	89.98%	96%
personnel can successfully address diverse emergency challenges (PS 9-2)	Percentage of employees that have completed the State minimum plus additional assigned EMS training		96.26%	96%	87.44%	98%
Increase	Number of "All Hazards" training and drills conducted	43	33	32	35	35
community emergency preparedness (PS 10-2)	Number of active Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) members	394	490	455	592	692 ¹
(F3 10-2)	Total CERT volunteer hours	4,449	5,035	5,000	6,381	7,000 ¹

¹The FY 2016 Target was increased due to FY 2015 Actual performance.

Administration, continued



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES AND PERFORMANCE MEASURES

-Involve neighbors with prevention efforts and emergency preparedness (PS 10-2)

Department Objective	Performance Measures	FY 2013 Actual	FY 2014 Actual	FY 2015 Target	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Target
	Percentage of High Index (High Hazard) Structures inspected	100%	90.93%	100%	100%	100%
Reduce fire risk through	Number of all fire prevention inspections performed	19,570	20,075	23,900	24,564	24,000
prevention (PS 10-2)	Number of Fire Plan Reviews conducted	3,068	2,930	2,907	3,480	3,000
	Number of fire prevention community events ¹	87	80	72	104	86

¹Fire prevention community events are by request from the public.

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Subobject	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Amended	FY 2016 Year-To-Date as of 3/31/2016	FY 2017 Department Requested	FY 2017 Budget Recommended		FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended (% Different)	Basis of Projected Expense
1101 Permanent Salaries	5,857,560	6,318,633	2,760,272	6,232,153	6,232,153	(86,480)	(1.4%)	
1104 Temporary Salaries	-	59,916	-	65,165	65,165	5,249	8.8%	Seasonal Part Time Lifeguards
1107 Part Time Salaries	451,924	395,084	220,588	398,935	398,935	3,851	1.0%	
1110 Sick Conv To Cash	17,931	27,250	8,090	22,750	22,750	(4,500)	(16.5%)	
1113 Vac Mgmt Conv	27,051	29,100	26,630	35,500	35,500	6,400	22.0%	
1116 Comp Absences	(45,780)		(119)	-	-	-	0.0%	
1119 Payroll Accrual	25,567	-	-		-		0.0%	
1201 Longevity Pay	216,461	183,031	178,829	171,790	171,790	(11,241)	(6.1%)	
1204 Longevity Accr	(4,246)	-	(2,351)	-	-	-	0.0%	
1304 Assignment Pay	519,469	544,183	249,580	516,541	516,541	(27,642)	(5.1%)	
1307 P&F Incentive Pay	25,692	25,680	9,749	22,320	22,320	(3,360)	(13.1%)	
1310 Shift Differential	735	-	-	-	-	-	0.0%	
1313 Standby Pay	8,639	9,800	3,407	9,000	9,000	(800)	(8.2%)	
1316 Upgrade Pay	8,837	13,500	2,993	9,000	9,000	(4,500)	(33.3%)	
1401 Car Allowances	5,830	8,760	2,950	36,000	36,000	27,240	311.0%	
1401 Car Allowances				30,000	30,000			Updated with the clothing allowance for core
1404 Clothing Allowances	2,000	2,200	2,000	-	1,100	(1,100)	(50.0%)	adjustments
1407 Expense Allowances	10,360	10,560	4,200	10,080	10,080	(480)	(4.5%)	
1413 Cellphone Allowance	17,600	16,680	7,710	15,960	15,960	(720)	(4.3%)	
1413 Celiprione Allowance	17,000	10,000	7,710	13,900	15,900	(720)	(4.570)	
1501 Overtime 1.5X Pay	448,972	317,000	180,536	344,500	344,500	27,500	8.7%	Primary expense relating to minimum staffing requirements for Ocean Rescue. Balance of overtime is dedicated to Fire Prevention overtime that is reimbursed through billable revenues and general workload overtime for other administrative bureaus.
1504 Overtime 1X Pay	3,371	3,200	956	3,250	3,250	50	1.6%	Primary expense relating to minimum staffing requirements for Ocean Rescue. Balance of overtime is dedicated to Fire Prevention overtime that is reimbursed through billablerevenues and general workload overtime for other administrative bureaus.
1701 Retirement Gifts	200	250	-	-	-	(250)	(100.0%)	
1707 Sick Termination Pay	38,789	-	365	-	-	-	0.0%	
1710 Vacation Term Pay	88,255	-	263	_	_	-	0.0%	
1799 Other Term Pay	-	16,500	-	16,500	-	(16,500)	(100.0%)	Adjustment based on Fiscal Year 2017 drop schedule
1801 Core Adjustments	_	-	_	(201,568)	(179,127)	(179,127)	(100.0%)	Adjustment based on risear rear 2017 drop senedule
2119 Wellness Incentives	3,500	2,000	4,000	5,000	4,500	2,500	125.0%	0 15 1 00 15 1 10 1
2204 Pension - General Emp	585,565	560,448	560,448	599,311	609,924	49,476	8.8%	General Employee Retirement System Actuarial Valuation Report increase 1.8% Fire Captain and Driver/Engineer moved from
2207 Pension - Police & Fire	600,870	531,765	537,947	527,428	666,355	134,590	25.3%	Emergency Management Services Training and Special Operations to Fire-Rescue Support. 26% increase in Police/Fire Pension contribution.
2299 Pension - Def Cont	106,622	130,046	47,530	108,828	108,828	(21,218)	(16.3%)	
2301 Soc Sec/Medicare	558,723	589,134	254,972	515,812	515,812	(73,322)	(12.4%)	
2304 Supplemental Fica	-	-	-	67,501	67,586	67,586	100.0%	Temp Salaries, Part Time salaries, FICA(HI),Sick Converted to Cash, Vacation Management Conversion, Stand by Pay, Upgrade, Overtime, Drop Payments x 7.65%
2307 Year End Fica Accr	(2,466)	-	(210)	383	383	383	100.0%	
2404 Health Insurance	577,778	637,758	302,135	622,962	622,962	(14,796)	(2.3%)	<u> </u>
Personal Services	10,155,810	10,432,478	5,363,470	10,155,101	10,311,267	(121,211)	(1.2%)	
3113 Fin & Bank Serv	1,953	1,200	878	2,000	2,000	800	66.7%	Merchant Fees for the use of on-line credit card
2444 5 . 4 . 5 .			260				0.0%	processing of Fire Prevention Fees.
3114 Bank Analysis Fees 3199 Other Prof Serv	22,374	53,100	15,550	50,000	50,000	(3,100)	(5.8%)	A rate study was funded in Fiscal Year 2016. Funds in the sub-object are also used to supplement annual promotional testing fees/costs for Human Resources. In Fiscal Year 2017 the Fire Department will be going for first time accreditation in Emergancy Management and Commission on Accreditation of Ambulance Services (CAAS) Certification which is the basis for the increase in expenditures.
3201 Ad/Marketing	76	500	-	250	250	(250)	(50.0%)	This is used for new hire recruiting (Consent Decree)as wellas Department publications & marketing products.
3216 Costs/Fees/Permits	9,807	2,350	1,328	1,750	1,750	(600)	(25.5%)	This is for fees associated with the Fire Administration building, elevator certificate renewal, annual ALS license renewal, notary renewals, Fire Prevention exams/certificationtests, and annual EMS Lock box charges within this sub-object. In Fiscal Year 2016 there was a fire assessmenet fee of \$8,000 from the Center for Public Safety Excellence (CPSE)
2222 6 1 1 1 2				_	_			Annual custodial services for the Fire Administration,
3222 Custodial Services	22,336	17,500	8,222	21,000	21,000	3,500	20.0%	and Support Services buildings.
3231 Food Services	-	-	2,334	3,000	3,000	3,000	100.0%	Annual expenditure for the Community Emergency Response Team volunteers. Expense no longer funded by grant.
3243 Prizes & Awards	-	1,500	-	1,000	1,000	(500)	(33.3%)	by grant. Annual expenditure for the Community Emergency Response Team volunteers award ceremony. Expense no longer funded by grant.
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Subobject	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Amended	FY 2016 Year-To-Date as of 3/31/2016	FY 2017 Department Requested	FY 2017 Budget Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended (% Different)	Basis of Projected Expense
3249 Security Services	3,517	1,500	1,363	1,250	1,500	-	0.0%	Security Services for Support Services building. The TYCO monitoring system is a monthly expense of \$115.
3299 Other Services	15,218	16,000	1,944	16,000	16,000		0.0%	Primary expense relating to 3rd Party Debt Collection service contract with NCSPlus for delinquent Fire Prevention Fees. The City Commission approved a 39 month contract in November 2014 for 3rd Party Debt Collection services. Other expenses include carpet cleanings for Emergency Operations Center (EOC), background checks for Ocean Rescue/Fire Prevention new hires, and pest control services for Support Services building.
3304 Office Equip Rent	15,306	20,664	3,226	19,300	19,300	(1,364)	(6.6%)	Office equipment rentals, primarily for monthly copier rentals for Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, EmergencyManagement, Training Bureau, Fire Prevention, and Support Services.
3307 Vehicle Rental	1,071	-	-	-		-	0.0%	No Budgeted Request for FY17. Expense recognized in FIRO3.
3310 Other Equip Rent	1,800	1,000	540	1,000	1,000	-	0.0%	Expense allocation to support the Training Bureau needs. (Storage Container).
3322 Other Facil Rent	3,392	10,000	2,591	7,000	7,000	(3,000)	(30.0%)	Primary expense relating to annual CERT award banquet and the Training Bureau. Grant used to fund expenditure but no longer does.
3401 Computer Maint	375	1,000	3,723	3,000	2,500	1,500	150.0%	This funding is requested to support the annual maintenance needed for the battery-back up system in the Emergency Operations Center (EOC), \$1500 Annual maintenance. Increase also needed for the performance analysis application STATSFD, Active 911 emergency notification system, which aid the accreditation efforts of the department.
3404 Components/Parts	15,923	2,500	168	2,500	2,500	-	0.0%	This is for components and parts requested by Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, Emergency Management, Training & Special Operations, and Fire Prevention bureaus.
3407 Equip Rep & Maint	6,808	10,000	6,573	8,600	8,600	(1,400)	(14.0%)	Primary expense is the repair and maintenance cost for the Jet Ski's within Ocean Rescue. Other expenses include support repair and maintenance with the Emergency Management, and Support Services bureaus.
3425 Bldg Rep Materials	-	500	-	500	-	(500)	(100.0%)	
3428 Bldg Rep & Maint	2,731	2,750	-	2,000	2,000	(750)	(27.3%)	Building Repair & Maintenance for Ocean Rescue Lifeguard Towers/Headquarters.
3516 Printing Serv - Ext	-	100	-	-	-	(100)	(100.0%)	No Budgeted Request for FY17. Expense recognized in FIR03.
3613 Special Delivery	667	1,150	413	1,100	1,100	(50)	(4.3%)	Special Delivery - FedEx, Certified mail, etc. for Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, EMS Administration, Training & Special Operations, and Fire Prevention bureaus.
3628 Telephone/Cable Tv	9,838	36,200	672	36,700	1,675	(34,525)	(95.4%)	Telephone / Wireless Charges for Fire Administration / Fire Prevention bureaus, Satellite Cable Service (EOC), and the MMRS CDC monitored phone line in Support Services. Fire prevention vehicles Computer Aided Dispatch systems and laptops are paid here.
3799 Other Chemicals	-	500	-	500	-	(500)	(100.0%)	Budgeted expense relating to all Fire Administrative
3801 Gasoline	82,083	76,382	36,676	76,382	66,191	(10,191)	(13.3%)	vehicles including Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, EmergencyManagement, EMS Administration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention, and Support Services.
3804 Diesel Fuel	2,605	1,758	431	1,758	2,130	372	21.2%	Budgeted expense relating to all Fire Administrative vehicles including Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, EmergencyManagement, EMS Administration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention, and Support Services.
3904 Books & Manuals	5,850	7,250	762	4,000	4,000	(3,250)	(44.8%)	Budgeted expense relating to Fire Administrative bureaus including Fire Administration, EMS Administration, Training &Special Operations, Fire Prevention. Expenses included promotional exam publications, CPR/AED workbooks, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act Compliance Training Packages, National Fire Protection Association Compliance and Building Code Updates.
3907 Data Proc Supplies	22,358	11,500	513	29,000	29,000	17,500	152.2%	Budgeted expense relating to Fire Administrative bureaus including Fire Administration, Emergency Management, EMS Administration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention that performance, training and revenue collection software applications. Expenses include software licenses for performance software and EOC applications. KRONOS Telestaff Module for every employee amounts to a cost of \$25,000.

Subobject 3916 Janitorial Supplies 3922 Medical Supplies 3925 Office Equip < \$5000		FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016	FY 2016					
3922 Medical Supplies			Amended	Year-To-Date as of 3/31/2016	FY 2017 Department Requested	FY 2017 Budget Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended (% Different)	Basis of Projected Expense
		801	500	659	1,300	800	300	60.0%	Budgeted expense for Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, Training Bureau, and Support Services.
3925 Office Equip < \$5000		769	-	254	250	250	250	100.0%	Medical Supplies for the Ocean Rescue bureau.
		5,920	10,000	474	8,000	8,000	(2,000)	(20.0%)	Budgeted expense relating to Fire Administrative bureaus including Fire Administration, Emergency Management, EMSAdministration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention.
3928 Office Supplies		16,492	18,100	5,854	18,500	17,500	(600)	(3.3%)	Budgeted expense relating to Fire Administrative bureaus including Fire Administration, Emergency Management, EMSAdministration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention.
3931 Periodicals & Mag		158	1,250	-	250	250	(1,000)	(80.0%)	Primary expense for Fire Prevention publications and Fire Code updates
3937 Safety/Train Mat		130	-	-	250	250	250	100.0%	Primary Expense for our Training and Special Operations bureau.
3940 Safety Shoes		360	200	-	350	350	150	75.0%	Primary expense for Support Service/Logistics staff.
3946 Tools/Equip < \$5000		10,132	9,250	6,347	16,500	13,000	3,750	40.5%	Expense for replacement of Ocean Rescue (Rescue Boards), Training and Special Operations, and Fire Prevention bureaus (Fire Investigations). Ocean Rescue replacement parts are ordered frequently.
3949 Uniforms		40,058	30,415	10,327	34,100	34,100	3,685	12.1%	Primary expense is dedicated to uniform replacements for Ocean Rescue staff.
3999 Other Supplies		36,380	30,000	6,377	33,350	30,000	-	0.0%	Miscellaneous expenses to support Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue (Junior Lifeguard Program), Emergency Management, Training and Special Operations, and Fire Prevention bureaus.
4101 Certification Train		9,257	57,875	465	45,500	11,000	(46,875)	(81.0%)	Primary expense relating to Training and Special Operations bureau for annual facility training certifications and new hire training classes. Additional expenses are related to annual Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support/ Basic Life Support/ Pediatric Advanced Life Support/ American Heart Association certifications, Fire Origin and Investigation certifications.
4104 Conferences		24,801	36,000	9,935	40,000	25,500	(10,500)	(29.2%)	Conferences for Fire Administration personnel. (All bureaus).
4107 Investigative Trips		602	-	6,143	-	-	-	0.0%	No Budgeted Request for FY17. Expense recognized in FIRO3.
4110 Meetings		8,400	-	673	2,250	2,250	2,250	100.0%	Fire Administration personnel attending meetings outside the city limits, etc.
4113 Memberships/Dues		4,300	2,750	2,784	4,300	4,300	1,550	56.4%	Memberships/Dues for Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, and Fire Prevention personnel.
4116 Schools		4,055	1,000	(425)	750	750	(250)	(25.0%)	Meetings/Certification training for Fire Administration personnel.
4308 Overhead-Fleet		27,975	33,484	16,742	33,484	33,484	-	0.0%	Budgeted expense relating to all Fire Administrative vehicles including Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, EmergencyManagement, EMS Administration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention, and Support Services.
4334 Servchg-Airport		29,041	29,016	14,508	29,016	29,414	398	1.4%	Inter departmental Charge - Annual charges for Fire Station 53.
4355 Servchg-Print Shop		7,137	7,500	2,864	6,750	6,750	(750)	(10.0%)	Recruiting materials, marketing, accreditation, and
4372 Servchg-Fleet Replacer	nent	78,000	91,073	45,537	91,073	91,200	127	0.1%	retirement programs, etc. Budgeted expense relating to all Fire Administrative vehicles including Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, EmergencyManagement, EMS Administration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention, and Support Services.
4373 Servchg-Fleet O&M		86,699	85,152	42,576	85,152	99,163	14,011	16.5%	Budgeted expense relating to all Fire Administrative vehicles including Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, EmergencyManagement, EMS Administration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention, and Support Services.
4374 Servchg-Non Fleet		1,250	4,350	2,098	3,600	3,600	(750)	(17.2%)	Budgeted expense relating to all Fire Administrative vehicles including Fire Administration, Ocean Rescue, EmergencyManagement, EMS Administration, Training & Special Operations, Fire Prevention, and Support Services.
5604 Writeoff A/R & Other		(115,104)	-	-	-	-	-	0.0%	
Operating Expenses Division Total	1	523,701 10,679,511	724,819 11,157,297	262,357 5,625,827	744,315 10,899,416	655,407 10,966,674	(69,412) (190,623)	(9.6%) (1.7%)	

Fire Rescue Operations

Division Description

The Operations Division is responsible for providing emergency services to over 48,000 calls each year for emergencies. Calls for service include, but are not limited to: fire suppression; Ocean Rescue; emergency medical responses; and transportation accident responses involving automobiles, trains, aircraft, and marine emergencies. Emergency Medical Service (EMS) response includes medical treatment and transport; hazardous condition mitigation; and/or various other classified emergencies to the neighbors of the City of Fort Lauderdale, as well as the City of Wilton Manors and the Town of Lazy Lake through inter-local service agreements.

In addition to fire suppression and emergency medical services, the Operations Division provides special operations response to the community, including Technical Rescue Team (TRT); Hazardous Materials (HazMat); Marine and aquatic emergencies; Tactical EMS (medical response) for the Police Department's Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) incidents; K-9 Search and Rescue; and Aircraft Rescue Fire Fighting (ARFF) service to the Fort Lauderdale Executive Airport. Fire-Rescue Operations also assists with fire prevention activities supporting the Prevention Bureau personnel with annual fixed fire system testing and fire flow inspections for structures in the City. Additionally, operations personnel are charged with the delivery of public education, community outreach, and injury prevention lectures and demonstrations in schools, businesses, hospitals, special events, and homeowner groups. Operations firefighters are responsible for the daily maintenance, serviceability, and condition of all fire-rescue facilities, apparatus fleet, and ancillary equipment.

FY 2015 Major Accomplishments

- Continued to provide excellent response times while at the same time being challenged by a steadily increasing population which has increased calls for service by 12% over the prior year.
- Trained personnel and placed into service 155 Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA).
- Relocated Battalion 35 from Fire Station 53 to Fire Station 16; providing better response times to all risk levels.
- Conducted a full-scale active shooter emergency response exercise with the Fort Lauderdale Police Department to identify preparedness capabilities and deficiencies, the first of its kind in South Florida.
- Conducted Incident Safety Officer Training through the National Fire Academy for all Chief Officers and Lieutenants on the current Battalion Chief promotional list.
- Trained tri-county area fire departments and law enforcement agencies in the treatment and transport of Ebola patients.
- Conducted Advanced Cardiac Life Support Classes during the months of February and August.
- Conducted Pediatric Advanced Life Support Classes during the months of March and September.
- Technical Rescue Teams (TRT) and Hazardous Materials Team (Hazmat) hosted and participated in numerous county wide specialty training exercises.
- Added an additional rescue apparatus to be stationed at Fire Station 2/8. The unit will improve the overall system performance.

Fire Rescue Operations, continued

FY 2016 Major Projects & Initiatives

- Reduce the response baseline performance for the first unit arrival for incidents in all risk levels in regards to the 90th Percentile Benchmarks required by accreditation.
- Install timers in the stations to keep responding personnel aware of their turnout times with the ultimate goal of reducing response times.
- The Operations Division will increase communications to be made aware of times in regards to benchmark performance measures and install digital signage televisions in all fire stations to enhance internal communications.
- Evaluate and improve areas of performance identified within the Standards of Cover (SOC) in regards to the Effective Response Force (ERF) in all risk classifications.
- Increase facility training hours to meet the minimum annual requirement as outlined by National Fire and Protection Association (NFPA) and Insurance Services Office (ISO).
- To increase the efficiency of tactical surveys of facilities, continue to convert all paper tactical surveys to electronic documents.
- Continue to support the completion of the remaining fire stations of the approved 2004 fire bond.



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES AND PERFORMANCE MEASURES

-Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response (PS 9-2)

Department	Performance Measures	CY 2013	CY 2014	CY 2015	CY 2015	CY 2016
Objective	Performance Measures	Actual	Actual	Target	Actual ²	Target
	Fire Suppression – Moderate Risk 90 th percentile Total Response Time ERF (Effective Response Force) Concentration (16 firefighters on scene) ¹	11:56	11:24	11:20	11:57²	10:20
Provide exceptional fire rescue response times (PS 9-2)	Fire Suppression – Special/High Risk 90 th percentile Total Response Time ERF (Effective Response Force) Concentration (22 firefighters on scene) ¹	19:47	20:18	20:10	19:47²	14:20
	Emergency Medical Services (EMS) – Low Risk 90 th percentile Total Response Time ERF (Effective Response Force) Concentration (2 firefighters/paramedics on scene) ¹	8:00	7:55	7:55	7:55 ²	6:00 ³

¹Response time performance measures and targets have been updated to reflect Center for Public Safety accreditation requirements. All times are reflected in Calendar Year (CY) and not Fiscal Year (FY) for consistency with accreditation requirements.

²CY 2015 results reflect year-to-date response times based on data from January through September 2015.

³ FY 2016 target was updated due to typo.

Fire Rescue Operations, continued



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES AND PERFORMANCE MEASURES

- Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response (PS 9-2)

Department Objective	Performance Measures	FY 2013 Actual	FY 2014 Actual	FY 2015 Target	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Target
Deliver best in	Percentage of cardiac arrest patients arriving at hospital resuscitated ¹	21.69%	22.73%	22%	19.4%	25%
class medical protocols (PS 9-2)	Percentage of cardiac arrests in Ventricular Fibrillation prior to Fire Rescue assuming care arriving at hospital resuscitated	*	*	35%	36.84%	35%
Provide superior	Total number of fire and EMS incidents	43,919	46,994	47,000	49,952	52,000
quality and multi-	Percentage of fires confined to structure of origin	100%	100%	100%	99.28%	100%
functional emergency	Number of EMS responses per 1,000 residents ²	177.44 ³	171.79 ³	172	191.95	193
response (PS 9-2)	Number of "Lives Saved" – Ocean Rescue	244	117	100	211	150

^{*}This is a newly identified performance measure. Prior year data was not available.

¹This measure is benchmarked by the International City/County Managers Association (ICMA). The FY 2013 reported average is 30%.

²This measure is benchmarked by ICMA. The FY 2013 reported average is 72 for populations between 100,000 and 249,999.

³Previous calculations did not include the population of Lazy Lakes nor did it account for the changes in population estimates. Figures now are based on annual Bureau of Economic and Business Research (BEBR) estimates for Fort Lauderdale, Lazy Lakes, and Wilton Manors.

Fire-Rescue Operations - Expenditures								
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Subobject	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Amended	FY 2016 Year-To-Date as of 3/31/2016	FY 2017 Department Requested	FY 2017 Budget Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended (% Different)	Basis of Projected Expense
1101 Permanent Salaries	25,779,982	26,925,119	12,480,553	27,012,787	27,012,787	87,668	0.3%	
1104 Temporary Salaries	102 001	175,000	100.007	225,000	225,000	50,000	28.6%	
1107 Part Time Salaries 1110 Sick Conv To Cash	192,001 36,082	33,000	109,087 25,270	37,000	37,000	4,000	0.0% 12.1%	
1113 Vac Mgmt Conv	25,458	25,000	20,496	25,000	25,000	4,000	0.0%	
1116 Comp Absences	(14,698)	-	(11,888)	-	-	-	0.0%	
1119 Payroll Accrual	108,982	ı	-	-	-	-	0.0%	
1201 Longevity Pay	548,052	508,451	479,333	457,160	457,160	(51,291)	(10.1%)	
1304 Assignment Pay	3,445,062	3,576,076	1,611,010	3,258,892	3,258,892	(317,184)	(8.9%)	
1307 P&F Incentive Pay	146,710	145,920	61,330	146,400	146,400 865,000	480	0.3%	
1316 Upgrade Pay 1401 Car Allowances	800,531 47,750	833,000 45,000	384,008 20,250	892,000 51,000	51,000	32,000 6,000	3.8% 13.3%	
1404 Clothing Allowances	33,400	33,200	33,100	-	33,400	200	0.6%	Clothing allowance based on contract.
1413 Cellphone Allowance	8,500	9,000	3,610	7,080	7,080	(1,920)	(21.3%)	Clothing allowance based on contract.
			412,835	1,010,000	1,010,000	24,000	2.4%	This expense is due to Minimum Staffing and
1501 Overtime 1.5X Pay 1504 Overtime 1X Pay	726,603	986,000 25,000	11,697	25,000	25,000	24,000	0.0%	Contractual overtime expense for Operations staff. This expense is due to Minimum Staffing and
·	·				,			Contractual overtime expense for Operations staff.
1701 Retirement Gifts	2,200	2,000	950	2,000	2,000	-	0.0%	
1707 Sick Termination Pay 1710 Vacation Term Pay	118,902 180,373	-	30,653 57,233	-	-	-	0.0%	
1710 Vacation Term Pay 1799 Other Term Pay	180,373	160,100	- 57,233	160,100	85,468	(74,632)	(46.6%)	Based on DROP schedule.
1801 Core Adjustments	-	-	-	674,796	1,078,959	1,078,959	100.0%	Fire Captain and Driver/Engineer moved from Emergency Mangement Services Training and Special Operations to Fire-Rescue Includes cost of living and step increase adjustments for paramedic firefighters.
2104 Mileage Reimburse	42	100	29	100	100	-	0.0%	
2119 Wellness Incentives	1,000	1,000	500	1,000	1,000	-	0.0%	
2207 Pension - Police & Fire	6,316,921	5,509,102	5,573,149	5,640,316	7,126,006	1,616,904	29.3%	26% increase in Police/Fire Penstion required contribution
2299 Pension - Def Cont	-	5,525	-	-	-	(5,525)	(100.0%)	
2301 Soc Sec/Medicare	2,324,637	2,541,758	1,136,214	2,353,008	2,353,008	(188,750)	(7.4%)	
2304 Supplemental Fica	-	-	-	183,532	186,087	186,087	100.0%	Temp Salaries, Part Time salaries, FICA(HI),Sick Converted to Cash, Vacation Management Conversion, Stand by Pay, Upgrade, Overtime, Drop Payments x 7.65%
2307 Year End Fica Accr	11,064	- 2 242 205	(1,230)	- 2 440 002	2 440 002	205 500	0.0%	Due to Contract and increase in City In contribution
2404 Health Insurance 2410 Workers' Comp	2,016,635 1,622,005	2,213,385 1,761,844	1,088,274 880,922	2,419,983 1,761,844	2,419,983 1,761,844	206,598	9.3%	Due to Contractual increase in City's contribution
9237 Transfer To Special Obligations	7.539.468	7.716.250	3.858.125	7,716,250	7.910.005	193,755	3%	
Personal Services	52,037,889	53,230,830	28,265,512	54,060,248	56,078,179	2,847,349	5.3%	
3113 Fin & Bank Serv	543,214	520,000	211,272	400,000	430,000	(90,000)	(17.3%)	Primary expense is for EMS Billing/Collections service. Merchant Fees for the use of on-line credit card processing of EMS Transport Fees.
3125 Medical Services	27,005	186,500	28,641	186,500	85,000	(101,500)	(54.4%)	Removed current year 2016 medical evaluation costs of \$100,000. Funds cover medical services related to random drug testing, "Fit for Duty"/HazMat/Technical Rescue Team/Dive Rescue annual physicals and incident exposures for Operations/Ocean Rescue personnel.
3199 Other Prof Serv	49,296	50,000	21,265	50,000	63,740	13,740	27.5%	Medical Director Fees (Contract), Includes \$13,740 in backflow fees.
3201 Ad/Marketing	-	-	122	-	-	-	0.0%	No Budgeted Request for FY17.
3207 Laundry Services	527		-	750	500	500	100.0%	Linens and cleaning of Bunker Gear for Operations.
3216 Costs/Fees/Permits	42,659	50,000	41,499	50,200	50,200	200	0.4%	Broward County Property Appraiser - Fire Assessment Fee, Advanced Life Support Licensing Fees, etc.
3222 Custodial Services	-	2,000	-	2,000	2,000	-	0.0%	Custodial services for Fire Station 53 which include the Training and Special Operations and Emergency Management bureaus.
3237 Lawn & Tree Service	11,736	9,000	3,299	15,000	15,000	6,000	66.7%	City Contract for Lawn services.
3249 Security Services	5,097	7,800	-	5,300	5,300	(2,500)	(32.1%)	Security Services for individual Fire Stations
3255 Solid Waste Collections	2,344	2,120	832	2,150	2,150	30	1.4%	(Operations). Bio-Hazardous waste disposal for Fire Stations.
3299 Other Services	81,741	60,750	5,774	60,750	60,750	-	0.0%	Primary expense relating to 3rd Party Debt Collection service contract with NCSPlus for delinquent Fire Prevention Fees. Additional expenses are relating to annual Fire Alarm inspections performed. Other expenses include background checks for Operation new hire employees, pest control forindividual fire stations, disposal of expires drugs/narcotics, and miscellaneous service fees for non-fleet vehicle modifications.
3304 Office Equip Rent	440	1,000	-	500	500	(500)	(50.0%)	Copier leases at certain Fire Stations.
		,						Vehicle Rental expense for large special events (Air
3307 Vehicle Rental	550	-	-	1,000	1,000	1,000	100.0%	Show/Tortuga Festival, etc.)
3310 Other Equip Rent	275	1,000	-	500	500	(500)	(50.0%)	

		Fire-R	Rescue	Opera	tions - I	Expendit	tures	
Subobject	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Amended	FY 2016 Year-To-Date as of 3/31/2016	FY 2017 Department Requested	FY 2017 Budget Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended (% Different)	Basis of Projected Expense
3401 Computer Maint	21,561	48,497	•	25,000	25,000	(23,497)	(48.5%)	Fire Rescue utilizes a number of software applications specifically customized for our use. This is for the maintenance and support of these applications. (Vinelight/CAD Zone/Deccan CAD Analyst/ADAM/ADAM HPC).
3404 Components/Parts	8,160	8,500	1,997	7,500	7,500	(1,000)	(11.8%)	Components/Parts for Operation's equipment. Equipment includes components/parts for the Fire Boat, Dive Rescue, Bunker Gear, SCBA's, Fire Station Generators and Pneumatic fittings, hose nozzles, and miscellaneous items.
3407 Equip Rep & Maint	233,641	263,467	92,508	236,000	236,000	(27,467)	(10.4%)	Equipment Repair & Maintenance for equipment used by Operations. (Lifepak 15's, Lucas Devices, TRT Equipment, SCBA's, AirCompressors, Fire Boats, Annual Fire Systems/Fire Alarm Inspections at individual Fire Stations, Bunker Gear inspections/repair, Repairs to appliances within each FireStation, etc.).
3428 Bldg Rep & Maint	21,154	25,000	26,774	50,000	50,000	25,000	100.0%	Building Repair & Maintenance for Fire Stations.
3516 Printing Serv - Ext	30	100	_	100	100	_	0.0%	Pressure washing, cleaning, painting as needed. Miscellaneous Expenses for purchase and replacement
3601 Electricity	301,924	300,000	110,951	310,000	310,000	10,000	3.3%	of business cards. Electricity Charges for Fire Stations.
3607 Nat/Propane Gas	16,487	26,671	6,690	21,000	18,000	(8,671)	(32.5%)	Natural Gas for Fire Stations.
3613 Special Delivery	34	-	-	-	-	-	0.0%	No Budgeted Request for FY17.
3628 Telephone/Cable Tv	55,001	56,000	25,591	56,000	60,265	4,265	7.6%	Verizon Wireless charges for Operations (MDT's, EPCR's, and Chief Officer cell charges).
3634 Water/Sew/Storm	108,393	105,000	53,914	119,000	119,500	14,500	13.8%	Water/Sewer Charges for Fire Stations, 5% annual increase
3799 Other Chemicals	15,264	25,000	-	24,000	16,000	(9,000)	(36.0%)	Other Chemicals - Fire Suppression Foam and certain
3801 Gasoline	22,009	17,564	10,784	17,564	15,160	(2,404)	(13.7%)	chemicals used by HazMat Team. Fuel charges for assigned Operation vehicles.
3804 Diesel Fuel	409,525	382,879	167,064	382,879	326,721	(56,158)	(14.7%)	Fuel charges for assigned Operation vehicles.
3807 Oil & Lubricants	588	-	-	500	-	-	100.0%	
3904 Books & Manuals	-	-	407	500	500	500	100.0%	
3907 Data Proc Supplies	1,871	2,000	78	500	500	(1,500)	(75.0%)	Data Processing Supplies for Operations Software applications.
3910 Electrical Supplies	1,481	250	123	1,500	1,500	1,250	500.0%	Electrical Supplies for Fire Stations.
3916 Janitorial Supplies	47,728	42,000	20,110	42,000	42,000	-	0.0%	Janitorial Supplies for Fire Stations.
3922 Medical Supplies	385,934	402,566	189,674 162	400,000	400,000	(2,566)	(0.6%)	Medical Supplies for Fire Stations.
3925 Office Equip < \$5000 3928 Office Supplies	3,249 11,985	2,500 15,000	6,027	2,500 15,000	2,500 15,000	-	0.0%	Office Equipment for Fire Stations. Office Supplies for Fire Stations.
3940 Safety Shoes	11,955	17,500	2,189	15,000	15,000	(2,500)	(14.3%)	Safety Shoes for Operation personnel
3540 Safety Shoes	11,555	17,500	2,103	13,000	15,000	(2,300)	(14.570)	(Driver/Engineer's). Tools & Equipment for Operations (Apparatus and
3946 Tools/Equip < \$5000	150,582	270,376	31,297	50,000	55,000	(215,376)	(79.7%)	Specialty Teams). Two Medic Bikes and Automated External Defibrillator's for Emergency Medical Services special event equipment replacement.
3949 Uniforms	83,394	331,181	97,388	225,000	225,000	(106,181)	(32.1%)	Includes annual allocations for uniform (Work and Dress), bunker gear, and body armour replacements for personnel. Decrease for Fiscal Year 2017 was based on carry over from previous purchase order funded in 2016.
3999 Other Supplies	102,601	90,000	46,101	100,000	100,000	10,000	11.1%	Miscellaneous supplies for Fire Operations eg, keys, water & Gatorade, gloves, safety glasses, SCBA masks, flashlights,batteries, dive masks/fins/straps, etc.
4101 Certification Train 4104 Conferences	900 2,358	4,000	30 3,546	1,000 5,000	1,000 5,000	1,000	100.0%	Conferences for Fire Operations necessary
4107 Investigative Trips	-	-	-	2,500	2,500	2,500	25.0%	Conferences for Fire Operations personnel. Investigative trips - eg, checking on the progess of something being custom made for Fire-Rescue. (Fleet Apparatus Replacements).
4110 Meetings	3,645	1,000	-	2,000	1,000	-	0.0%	Fire Administration personnel attending meetings outside the City limits, etc.
4299 Other Contributions	4,104,583	4,000,000	-	4,000,000	4,000,000	-	0.0%	Chapter 175 fees. Expense offset by A501 Revenue.
4308 Overhead-Intradept	372,889	519,695	259,848	519,695	519,695	-	0.0%	Inter departmental Charges - Fleet Overhead.
4355 Servchg-Print Shop 4361 Servchg-Pub Works	1,500 5,677	2,000 12,500	485 2,444	2,000 12,500	2,000 6,250	(6,250)	(50.0%)	Interdepartmental charges for Printing costs. Annual service fees charged for maintaining emergency
	·		-				1.9%	generators at Fire Stations. Fleet Charges for assigned Operation vehicles.
4372 Servichg-Fleet Replacement	1,475,749	2,011,388	1,005,694	2,011,388	2,049,468	38,080		(Apparatus). Fleet Charges for assigned Operation vehicles.
4373 Servchg-Fleet O&M	1,135,344	1,340,656	670,328	1,340,656	1,302,257	(38,399)	(2.9%)	(Apparatus). Non-contract Fleet Charges for assigned Operation
4374 Servchg-Non Fleet	12,482	15,000	2,991	12,500	12,500	(2,500)	(16.7%)	vehicles (Apparatus). Fixed Interdepartmental Charge set by the Office of
4401 Auto Liability	152,152	155,477	77,739	155,477	155,477	-	0.0%	Management & Budget.
4404 Fidelity Bonds	1,043	1,473	737	1,473	1,473	-	0.0%	Fixed Interdepartmental Charge set by the Office of Management & Budget.
4407 Emp Proceedings	59,408	85,487	42,744	85,487	85,487	-	0.0%	Fixed Interdepartmental Charge set by the Office of Management & Budget.
4410 General Liability	126,066	78,152	39,076	78,152	78,152	-	0.0%	Fixed Interdepartmental Charge set by the Office of
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Fire-Rescue Operations - Expenditures									
Subobject	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Amended	FY 2016 Year-To-Date as of 3/31/2016	FY 2017 Department Requested	FY 2017 Budget Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended	FY 2016 Amended vs. FY 2017 Recommended (% Different)	Basis of Projected Expense	
4422 Pol/Fire Ad&D	12,624	12,808	6,404	12,808	12,808	-	0.0%	Fixed Interdepartmental Charge set by the Office of Management & Budget.	
4431 Pub Officials Liab	12,407	11,737	5,868	11,737	11,737	-	0.0%	Fixed Interdepartmental Charge set by the Office of Management & Budget.	
5604 Writeoff A/R & Other	(200)		-	-	-	-	0.0%		
Operating Expenses	10,258,062	11,573,594	3,320,462	11,130,566	11,004,690	(568,904)	(4.9%)		
6499 Other Equipment	176,050	643,950	76,800	-	45,000	(598,950)	1 (93.0%)	One medical cart for Emergency Medical Services special event equipment replacement.	
Capital Outlay	176,050	643,950	76,800	-	45,000	(598,950)	(93%)		
Division Total	62,472,001	65,448,374	31,662,774	65,190,814	67,127,869	1,679,495	2.6%		

Community Investment Plan (CIP)













FY 2017 - FY 2021 CIP Summary

Fire - 331 General Capital Projects Fund

Title of Request	Cost	Page #
Fire Station 8 (Southeast) - New	2,312,805	55
Fire Station 13 Replacement	1,937,242	56
Fire Station 54 Replacement	3,657,727	57
Ocean Rescue Lifeguard Tower Replacement Plan	524,701	58
Public Safety Training Facility	6,350,000	59
	14,782,475	

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Initiation / Planning:

FIRE STATION 8 (SOUTHEAST) - NEW

PROJECT#: 10909

Project Mgr: Luisa Department: Fire-Rescue Address: 1717 SW 1st Avenue

Arbelaez Fund: 336 Fire Rescue Bond 2005 Series City: Fort Lauderdale

 District:
 □ I
 □ III
 □ IV
 State:
 FL

 Zip:
 33315

Description: To construct new Fire Station facilities that meet the needs of the Fire Department pursuant to the 2005 Fire Rescue

Construction Bond referendum approved in November 2004. Each facility will meet the specifications based on the

number of personnel and apparatus assigned to them.

Justification: This project represents one (1) of ten (10) Fire Stations to be constructed and/or replaced as approved and funded by

the 2005 Fire Rescue Construction Bond referendum.

Source Of the Justification: Fire General Obligation Bonds Project Type: Public Safety

Project Funding Summary:

sou	RCE US	AGE AVAILAB	LE \$ FY2017	' FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
CIP -	General Fu	d CONSTRUCTION							
331	65	99	\$1,931,233						\$1,931,233
CIP -	General Ful	d FORCE CHARGES	6 / ENGINEERING						
331	65)1	\$204,905						\$204,905
CIP -	General Ful	d ENGINEERING FE	ES						
331	65	34	\$176,667						\$176,667
Total	Fund 331:		\$2,312,805						\$2,312,805
336		\$3,478,	308						\$3,478,308
Total	Fund 336:	\$3,478,	308						\$3,478,308
GR/	ND TOTA	L: \$3,478,	,308 \$2,312,805						\$5,791,113

Comments: See attachment for current project estimates. The additional funding requests are the estimated amounts needed to complete the beyond the funding appropriated from the Fire Bond (Fund 336).

Impact On Operating Budget:

MPACT		AVAILABLE \$	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
Incr./(Dec.) O	perating Cos	sts							
CHAR 30				\$37,532	\$38,658	\$39,817	\$41,012		\$157,019
TOTAL				\$37,532	\$38,658	\$39,817	\$41,012		\$157,019

Comments: Estimates based on Utility Costs (FPL, Water, Teco) @ \$3.24 per square foot of proposed building. This rate assumes a 3% annual increase in

utility charges.

Cost Estimate Justification:

See attached "Utility Expense" file for current estimates.

Strategic Connections:

Cylinder:

Quarters To Perform Each Task:

Strategic Goals: Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through Bidding / Award: 2

preventive and responsive police and fire protection

Bidding / Award: 2

Construction / Closeout: 4

Objectives: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency

response

Public Safety



FIRE STATION 13 REPLACEMENT

PROJECT#: 10918

Project Mgr: Luisa Department: Fire-Rescue Address: 2871 E. Sunrise Boulevard

Arbelaez Fund: 336 Fire Rescue Bond 2005 Series City: Fort Lauderdale

 District:
 □ I
 ☑ II
 □ III
 □ IV
 State:
 FL

 Zip:
 33304

Description: To construct new Fire Station facilities that meet the needs of the Fire Department pursuant to the 2005 Fire Rescue

Construction Bond referendum approved in November 2004. Each facility will meet the specifications based on the

number of personnel and apparatus assigned to them.

Justification: This project represents one (1) of ten (10) Fire Stations to be constructed and/or replaced as approved and funded by

the 2005 Fire Rescue Construction Bond referendum.

Source Of the Justification: Fire General Obligation Bonds Project Type: Public Safety

Project Funding Summary:

SOUR	CE USAGE	AVAILABLE \$	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
CIP - C	General Fund FOF	RCE CHARGES / ENGINE	ERING						
331	6501			\$197,181					\$197,181
CIP - C	General Fund COI	NSTRUCTION							
331	6599			\$1,740,061					\$1,740,061
Total F	und 331:			\$1,937,242					\$1,937,242
Fire Re	escue Bond 2005 S	Series CONSTRUCTION							
336	6599	\$5,008,715							\$5,008,715
Total F	und 336:	\$5,008,715	_						\$5,008,715
GRAI	ND TOTAL:	\$5,008,715		\$1,937,242					\$6,945,957

Comments: See attachment for current project estimates. The estimates provided were based on proposed 3 story structure of approximately 17,750 square feet. If Ocean Rescue is not to be added to this structure, the size and cost estimate would be reduced.

Impact On Operating Budget:

MPACT		AVAILABLE \$	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
Incr./(Dec.) Ope	rating Co	sts							
CHAR 30					\$26,799	\$27,603	\$28,431		\$82,833
TOTAL					\$26,799	\$27,603	\$28,431		\$82,833

Comments: Estimates based on Utility Costs (FPL, Water, Teco) @ \$3.24 per square foot of proposed building. This rate assumes a 3% annual increase in

utility charges. Reduction in operating costs based on the assumption of a more efficient building than current

Cost Estimate Justification:

See attached "Utility Expense" file for current estimates.

The final cost estimate may be reduced pending direction from the City Manager regarding the size and scope of the project. The current cost estimates are for a 3 story/17,750 square feet building that would incorporate Ocean Rescue on the 3rd floor.

If Ocean Rescue is not going to FS13, the building would then be a 2 story/13,250 square feet building and thus reduce the cost estimate and the impact on the operating budget.

Strategic Connections:

Strategic Goals:

Quarters To Perform Each Task:

1

Cylinder: Public Safety Initiation / Planning:
Design / Permitting:

Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventive and responsive police and fire protection Bidding / Award: 2

Construction / Closeout: 4

Objectives: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency

response



FIRE STATION 54 REPLACEMENT

PROJECT#: 10914

Project Mgr: Louisa Department: Fire-Rescue Address: 3200 NE 32nd Street

Arbelaez Fund: 336 Fire Rescue Bond 2005 Series City: Fort Lauderdale

 District:
 ☑ I
 ☐ III
 ☐ IV
 State:
 FL

 Zip:
 33308

Description: To construct new Fire Station facilities that meet the needs of the Fire Department pursuant to the 2005 Fire Rescue

Construction Bond referendum approved in November 2004. Each facility will meet the specifications based on the

number of personnel and apparatus assigned to them.

Justification: This project represents one (1) of ten (10) Fire Stations to be constructed and/or replaced as approved and funded by

the 2005 Fire Rescue Construction Bond referendum.

Source Of the Justification: Fire General Obligation Bonds Project Type: Public Safety

Project Funding Summary:

SOURC	E USAGE	AVAILABLE \$	FY2017 FY2018 FY2019 FY2020				FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
CIP - G	eneral Fund FOR	CE CHARGES / ENGIN	EERING						
331	6501		\$196,446						\$196,446
CIP - G	eneral Fund CON	ISTRUCTION							
331	6599		\$3,461,281						\$3,461,281
Total Fu	und 331:		\$3,657,727						\$3,657,727
Fire Res	scue Bond 2005 S	eries CONSTRUCTION	V						
336	6599	\$3,236,248							\$3,236,248
Total Fu	otal Fund 336: \$3,236,248								\$3,236,248
GRAN	ID TOTAL:	\$3,236,248	\$3,657,727						\$6,893,975

Comments: See attachment for current project estimates. The additional funding requests are the estimated amounts needed to complete the beyond the funding appropriated from the Fire Bond (Fund 336).

Impact On Operating Budget:

MPACT	AVAILABLE \$	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
Incr./(Dec.) Operating Costs	5							
CHAR 30			\$7,787	\$8,021	\$8,262	\$8,509		\$32,579
TOTAL			\$7,787	\$8,021	\$8,262	\$8,509		\$32,579

Comments: Estimates based on Utility Costs (FPL, Water, Teco) @ \$3.24 per square foot of proposed building. This rate assumes a 3% annual increase in

utility charges.

Cost Estimate Justification:

See attached "Utility Expense" file for current estimates.

Strategic Connections:

Strategic Goals:

Quarters To Perform Each Task:

Cylinder: Public Safety Initiation / Planning: 1

Design / Permitting: 1

Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventive and responsive police and fire protection Bidding / Award: 2

Construction / Closeout: 4

Objectives: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency

response



OCEAN RESCUE LIFEGUARD TOWER REPLACEMENT PLAN

PROJECT#: FY 20160452

Project Mgr: Breck Ballou, Department: Fire-Rescue Address: A1A

Ocean Fund: 331 CIP - General Fund City: Fort Lauderdale

Rescue Chief **District**: **I I II III III IV State**: FL **Zip**: 33301

Description: Fort Lauderdale Fire-Rescue is requesting to fund a replacement plan for existing Lifeguard towers.

The Fort Lauderdale Ocean Rescue Division covers three miles of public beach with twenty lifeguard towers spaced

approximately 265 yards apart.

Justification: Of the 20 towers, 13 are the modern Apex lifeguard towers that are manufactured in California. These towers were

designed specifically for lifeguards and meet all of the criteria of a modern lifeguard tower.

Four of the lifeguard towers (first generation) were built in the mid 1980's, and were a poor design to begin with. The windows are at a 90 degree angle which causes a reflection making it very difficult for the lifeguard to survey the people in the ocean. Along with the reflection, the corner posts are very thick and cause an unnecessary obstructed view of the ocean.

Three of the towers (second generation) were built in the early 1990's. These are improved design with tilted windows to lessen the reflection, and a narrower corner post to decrease the obstructed view of the ocean. These towers are also showing severe signs of depreciation due to the harsh environment.

The assumed life expectancy of a lifeguard tower is generally 10-15 years.

Source Of the Justification: Not identified in an approved plan Project Type: Public Safety

Project Funding Summary:

SOURCE	USAGE	AVAILABLE \$	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
CIP - Gener	al Fund OTF	IER EQUIPMENT							
331	6499					\$221,082	\$303,619		\$524,701
Total Fund 3	331:				_	\$221,082	\$303,619		\$524,701
GRAND T	OTAL:					\$221,082	\$303,619		\$524,701

Comments:

Impact On Operating Budget:

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IMPACT	AVAILABLE \$	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
			\$0
TOTAL			\$0

Comments:

Cost Estimate Justification:

Funding estimate is based on the replacement of three (3) lifeguard towers in FY2020. The cost estimate is based on current replacement costs with an annual inflationary index of 3% per year to equate to \$73,694 per lifeguard tower in FY2020.

Strategic Connections:

Quarters To Perform Each Task:

 Cylinder:
 Public Safety
 Initiation / Planning:
 0

 Design / Permitting:
 0

 Strategic Goals:
 Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventive and responsive police and fire protection
 Bidding / Award:
 1

 Construction / Closeout:
 3

Objectives: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency

response

PUBLIC SAFETY TRAINING FACILITY

PROJECT#: FY20130190

Project Mgr: Stewart Department: Fire-Rescue Address: Wingate Landfill - 1400 NW 31st Avenue

Ahearn x4332 Fund: 331 CIP - General Fund City: Fort Lauderdale

Description:

To build a Public Safety training facility that will enable the City to meet the training needs of all Fort Lauderdale Public Safety entities. This facility will include, but is not limited to the following: Office/Classroom space, a Drill Field, Live Burn/Tactical/Confined Space props, gas field, Fire-Rescue training tower, Driver training course, and sufficient parking space. This building will be a one story station with 2-3 bays modeled after the same design and layout of the newly constructed Fire Station 46. All common areas will be configured to accommodate 3 classrooms capable of holding up to 35 persons per room. These classrooms will be able to reconfigure and be utilized as common bunk rooms, should the need arise to utilize the building as an operational station or evacuation point for beach units during a storm. This building will be approximate 10,000 square feet in size.

Justification:

The Fire-Rescue Department currently relies upon outside entities to provide training facilities required for Public Safety employees. This required training is currently performed outside of the City limits causing the City to spend additional funds to meet State, National, and Fire Suppression Rating Schedule (ISO), and Accredited Agency requirements. Construction of a Public Safety training complex will allow Police, Fire-Rescue, Public Works Departments, and other City entities to train within the City limits. Furthermore, the facility will meet the National Fire Rating (NFPA) 1402 (Fire Training Facility Standards) which will enable the Fire Department to teach various public safety courses enabling staff to better serve the residents of the City of Fort Lauderdale. These courses will be offered to neighboring agencies at a cost that will allow the proposed facility to generate revenue that may be used to supplement public safety and sustain the facility operation.

Source Of the Justification: Not identified in an approved plan Project Type: Public Safety

Project Funding Summary:

SOURCE	USAGE	AVAILABLE \$	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
CIP - Gene	ral Fund CON	STRUCTION							
331	6599			\$4,300,000					\$4,300,000
CIP - Gene	ral Fund OTH	ER EQUIPMENT							
331	6499			\$1,000,000					\$1,000,000
CIP - Gene	ral Fund PRO	JECT CONTINGENCIES	3						
331	6598			\$1,050,000					\$1,050,000
Total Fund	331:			\$6,350,000					\$6,350,000
GRAND T	TOTAL:			\$6,350,000					\$6,350,000

Comments: The construction costs of \$4.3 M is based upon a \$400 per sq ft cost for construction as estimated by our Public Works officials. The \$1.0 M equipment expense is the approximate cost for the training tower. The balance is for contingencies and land use.

Impact On Operating Budget:

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IMPACT		AVAILABLE \$	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	UNFUNDED	TOTAL FUNDING
(Incr)./Dec Rev	enue (\$)								
revenue				\$0	\$(194,500)	\$(509,294)	\$(509,294)		\$(1,213,088)
Incr./(Dec.) Per	sonnel Costs	i							
CHAR 10					\$62,500	\$125,433	\$125,433		\$313,366
Incr./(Dec.) Op	erating Costs	;							
CHAR 30					\$30,000	\$59,996	\$59,996		\$149,992
TOTAL			_	\$0	\$(102,000)	\$(323,865)	\$(323,865)		\$(749,730)

Comments: The impact on operating budget will not occur until the facility is opened. The net impact will depend on the direction to open the training facility to outside agencies as a revenue offset.

Cost Estimate Justification:

This building will be a one story station, 2 to 3 bays modeled after the same design and layout of the newly constructed station 46. All common areas will be configured to accommodate 3 classrooms capable of holding up to 35 persons per room. These classrooms will be able to reconfigure and utilized as common bunk rooms, should the need arise to utilize the building as an operational station or evacuation point for beach units during a storm. This building will be approximately 10,600 square.

Strategic Connections:

Cylinder: Public Safety

Strategic Goals: Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through

preventive and responsive police and fire protection

Objectives: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency

response

Quarters To Perform Each Task:

Initiation / Planning: 2
Design / Permitting: 2
Bidding / Award: 2
Construction / Closeout: 4

FY 2017 Business Plan Draft













WE BUILD COMMUNITY

Department Strategic Connections

Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale: Our City, Our Vision 2035

- We are Ready. We are a resilient and safe coastal community.
- We are Community. We are a neighborhood of neighborhoods.

Press Play Fort Lauderdale: Our City, Our Strategic Plan 2018

- Public Safety Goal 9: Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventative and responsive police and fire protection.
- Public Safety Goal 10: Be a City well-prepared for and responsive to all hazards.
- Internal Support Goal 11: Be a well-trained, innovative, and neighbor-centric workforce that builds community.
- Internal Support Goal 12: Be a leading government organization, managing our resources wisely and sustainably.

Department Description

The Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue Department, established in 1912, provides fire suppression, emergency medical services and transport, emergency management preparedness to the citizens and visitors to the City of Fort Lauderdale, the City of Wilton Manors, and the Town of Lazy Lake. The department operates 11 fire stations, and is the busiest fire rescue department in Broward County, responding to 54,387 calls for service during the calendar year 2015. The department deploys highly trained firefighter paramedics staffing special operations teams, including Hazardous Materials, Technical Rescue Response, Dive Rescue, Marine Rescue and Shipboard Firefighting, Special Weapons and Tactics Medics (S.W.A.T.), Aircraft Rescue Firefighting (ARFF), and oversees planning and staffing of public safety for special events. The department instituted its own advanced medical protocols, such as induced hypothermia (ICE alert) and advanced cardiac treatment programs. The department also conducts fire prevention inspections on new and existing commercial properties and multi-family occupancies, reviews commercial building plans for fire code compliance, and investigates fire origin and cause. The department's Ocean Rescue division staffs 20 lifeguard towers 7 days a week protecting over 3.5 million neighbors annually. The department is responsible for emergency management planning and management of the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and the Community Emergency Response Teams.

Department Values-Professionalism Responsibility Integrity Diversity Empathy

Approved by:

Robert F. Hoecherl, Fire Chief

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Administration

Division Description

The Administration Division provides leadership for the Fire Rescue Department. This division sets policies and standard operating procedures, establishes protocols, and works closely with other City departments and stakeholders to provide the highest possible levels of service to the citizens and visitors of Fort Lauderdale. Administration also manages the efforts and delivery of services for Ocean Rescue, Domestic Preparedness and Emergency Management, Financial Management, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Administration, Special Events, the Fire Training and Special Operations Bureau, Fire Prevention Bureau and Fire Logistics Bureau.

FY 2015 Major Accomplishments

- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue obtained Accredited Agency Status through the Center for Public Safety Excellence. This is a comprehensive examination of all services provided by the department and requires a significant investment in staff time to accomplish. The accreditation criteria required the department to track and monitor 253 performance measures, develop a 5 year strategic plan, and draft the department's first standard of cover document, by which a thorough risk assessment of the community was completed to ensure we have the staff in place to adequately respond.
- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue was rated by the Insurance Services Offices (ISO) as a Class 1 Fire Department, the highest rating awarded for fire suppression. The current rating will result in a decrease in overall fire insurance premiums. Previous rating was a Class 3.
- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue was awarded an \$874,312 Port Security Grant via FEMA: US
 Department of Homeland Security/Port Security Grant Program with a \$291,437 (25% local
 cash match). The grant will be used for the purchase of a 40' fire rescue rapid response
 watercraft for use in dive rescue, marine rescue, shipboard firefighting and CBRNE detection
 in Fort Lauderdale and Port Everglades.
- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue received 3 new fire engines and 11 medical rescue transport vehicles which will be in service in FY 2016. These apparatus were sought to increase the availability and reliability of our fleet for effective incident response.
- Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue renewed a Fire and Medical Services contract with the City of Wilton Manors. This service indirectly improves the services to neighbors and visitors of Fort Lauderdale because it provides an additional engine and medical rescue unit at the Wilton Manors station. These apparatus fill a response gap created in the central portion of the City that provides additional units to the northern borders of the City and backs up the heavily utilized downtown units.

Major Challenges

- Strive to improve our response times working toward consistency with the national and industry standards. This is challenged annually by a steadily increasing population, constrained transportation routes and the challenges with the Regional Communications system.
- Ensure the Department maintains the ISO Class 1 rating.
 - Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue currently does not have a dedicated training facility.
 Although the department recently obtained an ISO 1 rating, the most significant weakness of the department was a lack of facility training hours created by not having a dedicated training facility.
 - Currently our units have to go outside of jurisdiction, to either Davie or Hollywood, to obtain ISO recognized facility training hours. This creates response delays when the units have to respond back to the City for emergencies.
- Lack of a dedicated Public Safety Educator. Not having a dedicated Public Safety Educator leads to Fire Inspectors not being in the field and fire units out of service while they are conducting Public Education in preschools, elementary schools and community events. Lack of Public Education may attribute to our low score on the annual neighbor survey for emergency preparedness, three years in a row.
- Lack of a dedicated Performance Analyst. The Department has become data driven through CFAI Accreditation, ISO 1 and FL²STAT. A data analyst is desperately needed to expand our capabilities and ensure the mandatory response requirements are being properly tracked. This position will assist the Department in identifying future areas of service level needs based on anticipated growth and help the department better utilize existing assets meeting Internal Support Goal 12.
- The Department does not currently provide annual physicals. This is a CFAI core competency
 and MUST be met prior to the department receiving CFAI reaccreditation. This is also an
 industry standard outlined by NFPA 1500, which the Department is currently not following.

FY 2017 Major Projects and Initiatives in Progress

- Fire Boat Replacement (FY 2016 Commission Annual Action Plan Project)
- Installation of exhaust extraction system at Fire Station 2 in an effort to reduce and mitigate the potential for carbon monoxide exposure.
- Replace the entire HVAC system at Fire Station 2.

New FY 2017 Major Projects and Initiatives

- As part of the 2004 Fire Bond, begin construction of Fire Stations 8, 13, 54.
- Replace the deteriorating and poorly designed lifeguard towers. The current towers which
 were purchased in the 1980s and 1990s and were designed in a way that impedes the field
 of vision (sun glare and blind spots). By eliminating these deficiencies this will improve
 beach safety through the purchase of the modern type Apex lifeguard towers.
- Hire a dedicated performance analyst to support CFAI Accreditation and ISO Class 1 along with Commission on Accreditation of Ambulance Services (CAAS) and internal City Cylinders of Excellence reporting.
- Hire a dedicated civilian life safety educator to increase public safety awareness within the community.
- Institute mandatory annual physicals for all employees which is a core competency for CFAI Accreditation and must be met for the department to be reaccredited.

Fire Rescue Operations

Division Description

The Operations Division is responsible for providing emergency services to more than 54,000 calls each year for emergencies. Calls for service include, but are not limited to: fire suppression; Ocean Rescue; emergency medical responses; and transportation accident responses involving automobiles, trains, aircraft, and marine emergencies. Emergency Medical Service (EMS) response includes medical treatment and transport; hazardous condition mitigation; and/or various other classified emergencies to the neighbors of the City of Fort Lauderdale, as well as the City of Wilton Manors and the Town of Lazy Lake through inter-local service agreements.

In addition to fire suppression and emergency medical services, the Operations Division provides special operations response to the community, including Technical Rescue Team (TRT); Hazardous Materials (HazMat); Marine and aquatic emergencies; Tactical EMS (medical response) for the Police Department's Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) incidents; K-9 Search and Rescue; and Aircraft Rescue Fire Fighting (ARFF) service to the Fort Lauderdale Executive Airport. Fire-Rescue Operations also assists with fire prevention activities supporting the Prevention Bureau personnel with annual fixed fire system testing and fire flow inspections for structures in the City. Additionally, operations personnel are charged with the delivery of public education, community outreach, and injury prevention lectures and demonstrations in schools, businesses, hospitals, special events, and homeowner groups. Operations firefighters are responsible for the daily maintenance, serviceability, and condition of all fire-rescue facilities, apparatus fleet, and ancillary equipment.

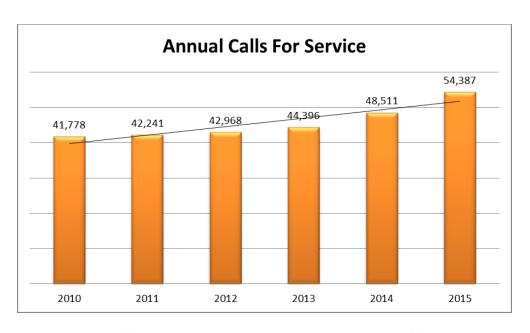
FY 2015 Major Accomplishments

- Trained personnel and placed into service 155 Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA).
 Upgraded the SCBA cascade and compressor systems from 4500 psi to 5500 psi to accommodate our new breathing apparatus.
- Conducted several full-scale active shooter emergency response exercises with the Fort Lauderdale Police Department to identify preparedness capabilities and deficiencies, the first of its kind in South Florida.
- Conducted Incident Safety Officer Training through the National Fire Academy for all Chief Officers and Lieutenants on the current Battalion Chief promotional list.
- Technical Rescue Teams (TRT) and Hazardous Materials Team (Hazmat) hosted and participated in numerous county-wide specialty training exercises.
- Staffed an additional peak hour advanced life support medical rescue apparatus which is stationed at Fire Station 2 servicing the central portion of Fort Lauderdale.

Major Challenges

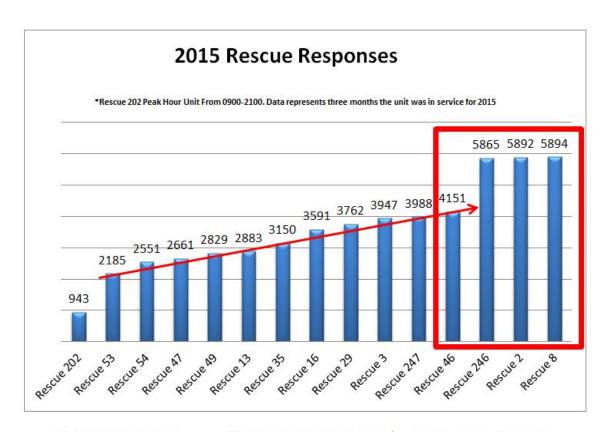
- Strive to improve our response times working toward consistency with the national and industry standards. This is challenged annually by a steadily increasing population, constrained transportation routes and the challenges with the Regional Communications system.
 - There has been a 12.23% increase for service from the previous year most likely due to a growing and aging population.

Dispatch Zone	2012	2013	2014	2015	Percentage Increase Decrease Prior Year
District 2/8	9341	6406	10484	14607	39.32%
District 3	3571	4094	4281	5336	24.64%
District 13	2183	2163	2371	2585	9.02%
District 16	3492	3391	3873	4176	7.82
District 29	1837	1743	1970	2402	21.92%
District 35	3259	3190	3797	4076	7.34%
District 46	6578	7062	7803	6337	18.78%
Distrcit 47	4075	4098	4395	4981	13.33%
District 49	3270	3781	3643	3968	8.92%
District 53 / 88	2340	2368	2927	3195	9.15%
District 54	2201	2199	2387	2366	0.87%
Other	821	900	582	358	38.48%
All Districts	42968	44395	48459	54387	12.23%



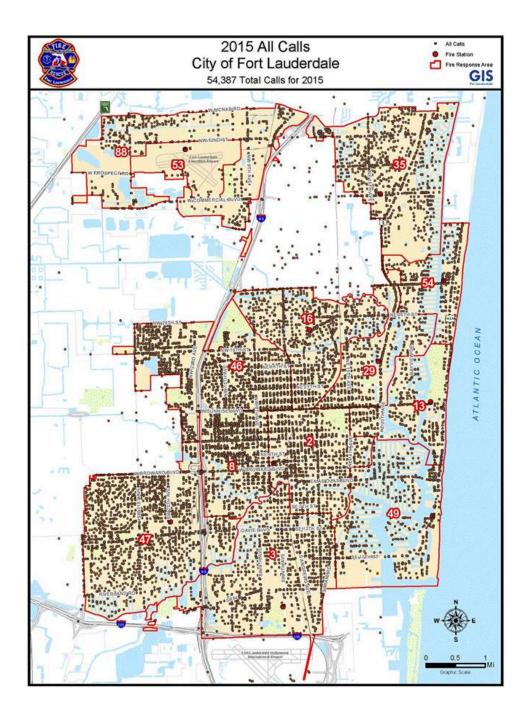
- The constraints of the waterways combined with increasing traffic and construction projects negatively impacts our response times.
- The integration into the Broward County Regional Communications 911 system has caused an increase in response delays due to dispatching errors of similar incidents and wrong address locations. This requires a continuous review, monitoring, and alignment of jurisdictional borders. The ongoing analysis and continuous errors have caused a drastic increase in Administrative and Operational staff hours to manage.
- o In conjunction with the City's effort to Build Community through the FL²STAT process FLFR has become data driven and there is a necessity to provide the resources to meet these ongoing requirements. CFAI Accreditation specifically requires constant updating and analysis of performance data.
- High demand for service in the central portion of the City requires units to respond from outside their first-due response zones. Out of zone responses create increases in response times for these neighbors.

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R8	35.64%	33.67%	27.61%	29,30%	26.97%	30.74%	33,36%	40.45%	40.25%	40.87%	51,28%	41.28%	53,59%	46.98%	51.44%	48.12%	49,12%	53.85%	48.94%	44.99%	48,48%	49.57%	42,78%	40.48%	42.07%
R2	29.77%	31,40%	28.24%	29,17%	25.34%	24.00%	24.04%	38.06%	41,68%	43.07%	52,50%	45,71%	45.91%	48.99%	47.18%	45,42%	48,12%	40.81%	48,44%	45.84%	43,21%	44.64%	41.30%	38,90%	39.66%
R246	20.75%	22,13%	17.37%	20.39%	13.22%	18,99%	18.53%	31.25%	36,40%	42,46%	40.58%	43,31%	42,31%	42.59%	42,94%	43,25%	45,40%	41.69%	43,45%	40.06%	40.82%	37,18%	26,35%	32,60%	33.50%
R46	26,99%	20.18%	21.31%	17.20%	17.28%	19.35%	18,49%	25.94%	29.75%	36,56%	40.59%	44,61%	41.12%	40.32%	43.64%	42,56%	38,90%	41,49%	38.02%	38.84%	41.04%	38.94%	33.20%	32,60%	32.87%
R16	17,10%	19.55%	18,92%	16,61%	14.99%	16,80%	13.11%	27.19%	26,95%	36,88%	43,68%	39.58%	34.82%	35.44%	33.24%	33.09%	32.62%	42,40%	37.06%	34.10%	30.23%	31,36%	26.04%	27.73%	28.73%
R29	15.24%	18.58%	15.56%	12.88%	9.56%	10.63%	8,93%	19,23%	28,92%	32.06%	40.00%	37,14%	40.50%	43,18%	41.03%	36.29%	39,49%	37.78%	37.54%	35,15%	39,69%	31.83%	24.56%	23,86%	28.32×
R3	20.70%	17.31%	15,47%	14.64%	12,75%	11.90%	20.39%	22.07%	28.00%	31,42%	36,83%	32.88%	38,62%	35.85%	39,19%	35.15%	31.35%	33,43%	31.83%	31,25%	32,99%	24.78%	26,35%	22,12%	26.97%
R35	17.91%	10.95%	14.01%	16,48%	12.94%	9.01%	14.00%	21.37%	32,79%	30.64%	33,45%	37.30%	40.00%	35,31%	33,70%	33.33%	37.60%	29.62%	36,10%	30.11%	28.01%	27.03%	24.03%	19,93%	26.07%
R13	16.01%	9,41%	13,74%	7.92%	10.10%	9.53%	9.56%	15.13%	23.20%	26,46%	38,11%	32,12%	35.08%	28,15%	34.67%	33,70%	36.05%	30.60%	31,45%	25.70%	28.06%	27.51%	20.21%	16.58%	23.29%
R49	19.50%	16.81%	13.32%	8.83%	10.30%	10.55%	8.51%	16,71%	19,96%	17.09%	28.87%	29,49%	35,56%	27.53%	34.76%	32.85%	30.91%	31.15%	28,77%	28.59%	24.36%	24.06%	24.21%	23.55%	22.76%
R247	14.27%	10.42%	12,78%	12,36%	11.73%	12.95%	11.22%	18.51%	26,64%	27.57%	26,71%	28.87%	29.30%	29.00%	26,49%	28.72%	28,11%	31.88%	28.81%	30.82%	24.01%	27.67%	21.65%	23,15%	22.65%
R47	14.59%	11.01%	13,06%	12,82%	12,74%	11.44%	11.26%	16,45%	29.02%	22,31%	30.37%	27,21%	26,80%	24.18%	26,24%	28,97%	25.88%	29.67%	25.30%	27.63%	31,49%	26,47%	20.91%	18,76%	21.86%
R54	8,46%	12.41%	9,47%	9.00%	9.02%	9.29%	8.67%	15,16%	21.79%	25.72%	28,66%	28.64%	31.98%	26.82%	26.28%	28.06%	27.04%	26,47%	25.95%	24.68%	24.53%	25.93%	19,68%	14.12%	20.33%



The highlighted units are responsible for the downtown / central portion of the City.

- To provide response times that ensure the highest quality of emergency services,
 Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue recommends adding a peak hour Rescue 302 and
 making Rescue 202 a dedicated full time rescue, both responding out of Fire Station
 2.
- o Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue currently does not have on-duty EMS supervision for the more than 36,000 EMS calls responded to annually.



- o Through the CFAI Accreditation Process a number of deficiencies were noted which the department currently does not meet. Response time reductions are needed to reduce the 90th percentile benchmarks to all risk levels.
- The south side of the City, specifically the Rio Vista neighborhood, lacks adequate emergency services protection. A south side fire station is needed to fill the service gaps that are created from the lack of apparatus in the area.

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Robert F. Hoecherl, Fire Chief
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FY 2017 Major Projects and Initiatives in Progress

• Fire Rescue Peak Demand Unit (FY 2016 Commission Annual Action Plan Project)

New FY 2017 Major Projects and Initiatives

- Continue to operate the 12 hour Peak Demand Unit.
- The Department needs to hire 9 firefighters to staff an additional full time 24 hour Advanced Life Support Medical Rescue Unit stationed at Fire Station 2.
- Hire an additional 17 firefighters to create 4, three-person medical rescue units in the busy downtown area of the City. This will reduce unnecessary engine responses which will in turn increase unit availability for simultaneous incidents and improve response times.
 Currently Engine 2 and Engine 8 are the 1st and 2nd busiest engines in the State of Florida each nearing 7,000 calls per year.
- Place into service an Operations EMS Battalion Chief for 24 hour operational oversight for the more than 36,000 EMS calls which includes more than 26,000 EMS transports.

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