

Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE January 9, 2015

TO Honorable Members of the Public Safety Committee: Sheffie Kadane (Chair), Adam Medrano (Vice Chair), Dwaine R. Caraway, Jennifer S. Gates, Sandy Greyson, Scott Griggs

SUBJECT **Upcoming Agenda Item #9: Authorize a Five-Year Payment Agreement for ARFF Training – January 14, 2015**

The City seeks authorization to initiate a five-year payment agreement for Aircraft Rescue Fire Fighter (ARFF) Training with Dallas/Fort Worth (D/FW) International Airport.

D/FW International Airport is the sole ARFF training provider in north Texas and is used to provide basic, live fire drills, and advanced aircraft/fire training to Dallas Fire-Rescue firefighters who respond to Dallas Love Field and Dallas Executive Airports. This training is necessary to ensure that these specialized firefighters meet the training requirements set forth by Dallas Fire-Rescue, the Texas Commission on Fire Protection, and the Federal Aviation Administration.

This agreement will authorize an annual payment of up to \$125,000 for the next five years and will not exceed \$625,000. These funds are reimbursed by Aviation to Dallas Fire-Rescue.

The City is seeking recommendation from the Public Safety Committee to authorize this payment agreement for ARFF training. This item will be placed on the City Council Agenda for January, 14, 2015.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Eric D. Campbell".

Eric D. Campbell
Assistant City Manager

- c: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
A.C. Gonzalez, City Manager
Warren M.S. Ernst, City Attorney
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