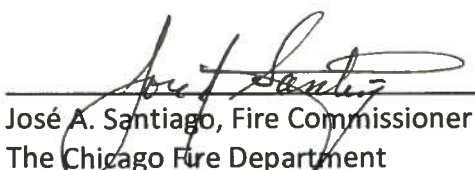




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cc: Maria Guerra
Mayor's Office of Legislative Counsel and Government Affairs

Date: October 31, 2012

Re: Request for Information – Aldermanic Budget Question # 1

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman Toni L. Foulkes (15th ward) asked for the process for fire damaged buildings.

CFD RESPONSE

- When a fire occurs in a building, a CFD Battalion Chief documents the fire by filling out all paperwork required by the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIR) of the Department of Homeland Security.
- A Copy of the NFIR is forwarded to CFD Deputy District Chief, CFD's Office of Fire Investigation and the State Fire Marshal's Office.
- Any property that becomes vacant as a direct result of a fire, becomes an official record in the CFD's Vacant, Open and Dangerous (VOD) file and a photograph of the property is sent to the Department of Buildings for final review/determination

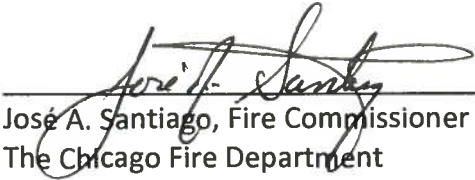
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Re: Request for Information - Aldermanic Budget Question # 2

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman Pat Dowell (3rd ward) asked for a copy of the state law for emergency vehicles using sirens.

CFD RESPONSE

- Please see the attached document.

If additional information is required, please contact Ms. Anastasia Walker, Chief Administrative Officer, at 312/745-3298. Thank you.

Sec. 11-204.1. Aggravated fleeing or attempting to elude a peace officer.

(a) The offense of aggravated fleeing or attempting to elude a peace officer is committed by any driver or operator of a motor vehicle who flees or attempts to elude a peace officer, after being given a visual or audible signal by a peace officer in the manner prescribed in subsection (a) of Section 11-204 of this Code, and such flight or attempt to elude:

- (1) is at a rate of speed at least 21 miles per hour over the legal speed limit;
- (2) causes bodily injury to any individual;
- (3) causes damage in excess of \$300 to property;
- (4) involves disobedience of 2 or more official traffic control devices; or
- (5) involves the concealing or altering of the vehicle's registration plate.

(b) Any person convicted of a first violation of this Section shall be guilty of a Class 4 felony. Upon notice of such a conviction the Secretary of State shall forthwith revoke the driver's license of the person so convicted, as provided in Section 6-205 of this Code. Any person convicted of a second or subsequent violation of this Section shall be guilty of a Class 3 felony, and upon notice of such a conviction the Secretary of State shall forthwith revoke the driver's license of the person convicted, as provided in Section 6-205 of the Code.

(c) The motor vehicle used in a violation of this Section is subject to seizure and forfeiture as provided in Sections 36-1 and 36-2 of the Criminal Code of 1961.

(Source: P.A. 96-328, eff. 8-11-09; 97-743, eff. 1-1-13.)

(625 ILCS 5/11-205) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 11-205)

Sec. 11-205. Public officers and employees to obey Act-Exceptions.

(a) The provisions of this Chapter applicable to the drivers of vehicles upon the highways shall apply to the drivers of all vehicles owned or operated by the United States, this State or any county, city, town, district or any other political subdivision of the State, except as provided in this Section and subject to such specific exceptions as set forth in this Chapter with reference to authorized emergency vehicles.

(b) The driver of an authorized emergency vehicle, when responding to an emergency call or when in the pursuit of an actual or suspected violator of the law or when responding to but not upon returning from a fire alarm, may exercise the privileges set forth in this Section, but subject to the conditions herein stated.

(c) The driver of an authorized emergency vehicle may:

1. Park or stand, irrespective of the provisions of this Chapter;
2. Proceed past a red or stop signal or stop sign, but only after slowing down as may be required and necessary for safe operation;
3. Exceed the maximum speed limits so long as he does not endanger life or property;
4. Disregard regulations governing direction of movement or turning in specified directions.

(d) The exceptions herein granted to an authorized emergency vehicle, other than a police vehicle, shall apply only when the vehicle is making use of either an audible signal when in motion or visual signals meeting the requirements of Section 12-215 of this Act.

(e) The foregoing provisions do not relieve the driver of an authorized emergency vehicle from the duty of driving with due regard for the safety of all persons, nor do such provisions protect the driver from the consequences of his reckless disregard for the safety of others.

(f) Unless specifically made applicable, the provisions of this Chapter, except those contained in Section 11-204 and Articles IV and V of this Chapter, shall not apply to persons, motor vehicles and equipment while actually engaged in work upon a highway but shall apply to such persons and vehicles when traveling to or from such work.

(Source: P.A. 89-710, eff. 2-14-97; 90-257, eff. 7-30-97.)

(625 ILCS 5/11-206) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 11-206)

Sec. 11-206. Traffic laws apply to persons riding animals or driving animal-drawn vehicles.

Every person riding an animal or driving any animal-drawn vehicle upon a roadway shall be granted all of the rights and shall be subject to all of the duties applicable to the driver of a vehicle by this chapter, except those provisions of this chapter which by their very nature can have no application.

(Source: P.A. 79-858.)

(625 ILCS 5/11-207) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 11-207)

Sec. 11-207. Provisions of this Chapter uniform throughout State. The provisions of this Chapter shall be applicable and uniform throughout this State and in all political subdivisions and municipalities therein, and no local authority shall enact or enforce any ordinance rule or regulation in conflict with the provisions of this Chapter unless expressly authorized herein. Local authorities may, however, adopt additional traffic regulations which are not in conflict with the provisions of this Chapter, but such regulations shall not be effective until signs giving reasonable notice thereof are posted.

(Source: P.A. 92-651, eff. 7-11-02.)

(625 ILCS 5/11-208) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 11-208)

Sec. 11-208. Powers of local authorities.

(a) The provisions of this Code shall not be deemed to prevent local authorities with respect to streets and highways under their jurisdiction and within the reasonable exercise of the police power from:

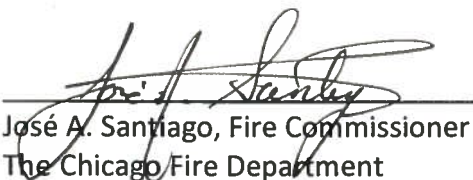
1. Regulating the standing or parking of vehicles, except as limited by Sections 11-1306 and 11-1307 of this Act;
2. Regulating traffic by means of police officers or traffic control signals;
3. Regulating or prohibiting processions or assemblages on the highways;
4. Designating particular highways as one-way highways and requiring that all vehicles thereon be moved in one specific direction;
5. Regulating the speed of vehicles in public parks



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Re: Request for Information - Aldermanic Budget Question #10

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman Timothy Cullerton (38th ward) asked what can the City Council do to support the Chicago Fire Department on the issue of fire pits?

CFD RESPONSE

Municipal Code 11-4-740 applies to open flame devices and is the governing body that regulates residential fire pits. As potential incidents may arise, the Chicago Fire Department's Fire Prevention Bureau will work with the City Council on a "case by case" basis. Deputy Fire Commissioner Richard Ford II (312/744-7234) is the contact person regarding these issues.

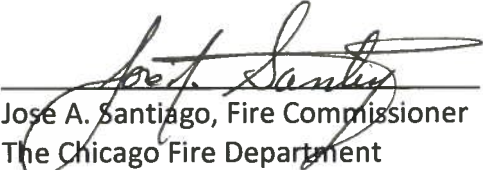
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Re: Request for Information - Aldermanic Budget Question # 3

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman Latasha R. Thomas (17th ward) asked for grant information for new firehouses

CFD RESPONSE

The CFD received a 2009 ARRA Assistance to Firefighters, Fire Station Construction Grant in the amount of \$4.8 million to pay for some of the construction cost of Engine 16's new house. This grant was provided by the US Department of Homeland Security.

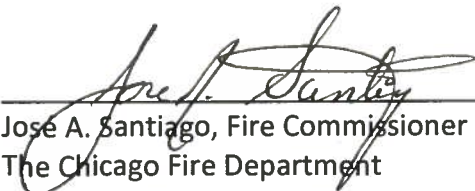
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Re: Request for Information - Aldermanic Budget Question #4

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman Willie Cochran (20th ward) asked for a three (3) year history of vehicle/equipment replacement.

CFD RESPONSE

- Please see attached document

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FDA532	2009 CHEVROLET IMPALA	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	6/6/2009
FDA533	2009 CHEVROLET IMPALA	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	6/6/2009
FDA534	2009 CHEVROLET IMPALA	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	6/6/2009
FDA535	2009 CHEVROLET IMPALA	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	6/6/2009
FDA536	2009 CHEVROLET IMPALA	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	6/6/2009
FDA537	2009 HONDA CIVIC GX	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	8/29/2010
FDA538	2009 HONDA CIVIC GX	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	8/29/2010
FDA539	2011 GMC YUKON	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	9/8/2011
FDA540	2012 HONDA CIVIC GX	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	1/24/2012
FDA541	2012 HONDA CIVIC GX	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	1/24/2012
FDA542	2012 HONDA CIVIC GX	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	1/24/2012
FDA543	2012 HONDA CIVIC GX	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	1/24/2012
FDA544	2012 HONDA CIVIC GX	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	1/24/2012
FDB535	2009 CHEVROLET TAHOE	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	6/2/2009
FDB536	2009 CHEVROLET TAHOE	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	6/2/2009
FDB537	2009 CHEVROLET TAHOE	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	6/2/2009
FDB538	2009 CHEVROLET TAHOE	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	6/2/2009
FDB539	2009 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	7/29/2009
FDB540	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	11/2/2009
FDB541	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	11/2/2009
FDB542	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	12/7/2009
FDB543	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	12/1/2009
FDB544	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	12/1/2009

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FDB545	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	4/29/2010
FDB546	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	5/22/2010
FDB547	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	7/28/2010
FDB548	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	7/28/2010
FDB549	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	7/28/2010
FDB550	2010 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	10/4/2010
FDB551	2011 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	10/12/2010
FDB552	2011 FORD MOTOR EXPEDITION	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	1/6/2011
FDB554	2012 CHEVROLET SUBURBAN	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	I	4/27/2012
FDB555	2013 FORD MOTOR UT INTERCEPT	2321	SUV PURSUIT MARKED	I	9/9/2012
FDB556	2013 FORD MOTOR UT INTERCEPT	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	I	9/9/2012
FDB557	2013 FORD MOTOR UT INTERCEPT	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	I	9/9/2012
FDB558	2013 FORD MOTOR UT INTERCEPT	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	I	9/9/2012
FDB559	2013 FORD MOTOR UT INTERCEPT	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	I	9/9/2012
FDB560	2013 FORD MOTOR UT INTERCEPT	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	I	9/9/2012
FDB561	2013 FORD MOTOR UT INTERCEPT	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	I	9/9/2012
FDC140	2008 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	2/15/2009
FDC141	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	7/7/2009
FDC142	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	7/7/2009
FDC143	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	7/7/2009
FDC144	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	3/2/2010
FDC145	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	3/2/2010
FDC146	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	3/2/2010

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FDC147	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	3/2/2010
FDC148	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	3/2/2010
FDC149	2009 FORD MOTOR F450	3070	AMBULANCE, TYPE I	A	3/2/2010
FDD645	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3232	FIRE PUMPER >1600 GPM	A	6/19/2009
FDD646	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	6/19/2009
FDD647	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	6/19/2009
FDD648	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	6/19/2009
FDD649	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	6/19/2009
FDD650	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	6/19/2009
FDD651	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	3/10/2010
FDD652	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	3/10/2010
FDD653	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	3/10/2010
FDD654	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3232	FIRE PUMPER >1600 GPM	A	12/22/2010
FDD655	2009 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	A	8/4/2011
FDD656	2012 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	I	4/27/2012
FDD657	2012 SPARTN/LUV GLADIATOR	3231	FIRE PUMPER 1050-1600 GPM	I	4/27/2012
FDE336	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	1/11/2011
FDE337	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	1/11/2011
FDE338	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	1/11/2011
FDE339	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	2/22/2011
FDE340	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	2/22/2011
FDE341	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	4/25/2011
FDE342	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	8/8/2011

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FDE343	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	8/8/2011
FDE344	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	8/5/2011
FDE345	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	A	8/5/2011
FDE347	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3201	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <130'	I	6/27/2012
FDE348	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	I	6/27/2012
FDE349	2010 SPARTAN GLADIATOR	3200	FIRE AERIAL LADDER <115'	I	6/27/2012
FDG573	2009 FORD MOTOR E150	2020	VAN, PASSENGER, FULL SIZE	A	8/28/2009
FDG574	2009 FORD MOTOR E350	2010	VAN CARGO, FULL SIZE	A	10/21/2009
FDG578	2011 FORD MOTOR F550	3391	SERVUTIL BDY TRK, CRWCAB	A	12/9/2010
FDG580	2010 HIKE MET HULL178	6020	BOAT, FIRE UNIT	A	4/19/2011
FDH010	2013 FORD MOTOR TAURUS	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	8/31/2012
FDH011	2010 FORD MOTOR TAURUS	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	8/31/2012
FDH012	2013 FORD MOTOR TAURUS	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	A	8/31/2012
FDH013	2013 TOYOTA SIENNA	2021	MINI PASSENGER VAN	A	9/19/2012
FDH014	2013 TOYOTA SIENNA	2021	MINI PASSENGER VAN	A	9/19/2012
FDH015	2013 FORD MOTOR ESCAPE	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	9/28/2012
FDH016	2013 FORD MOTOR ESCAPE	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	10/12/2012
FDH100	2008 CHRYSLER SEBRING	1011	AUTO 4 DOOR, GEN PURPOSE	D	1/25/2012
FDH105	2009 DODGE CARAVAN	2021	MINI PASSENGER VAN	A	3/2/2012
FDH109	2011 GMC YUKON	2310	SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE 4X4	A	3/4/2012
FDS110	2007 SHORELANDR SLB7	6020	BOAT, FIRE UNIT	A	5/1/2009
FDS132	2009 ELECTRIC M E+ POLICE	1042	BICYCLE	A	6/23/2009
FDS133	1995 NEW FLYER LOW FLOOR	3092	BUS FLAT FRONT/F OR R ENG	A	7/27/2009

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FDS134	1995 NEW FLYER LOW FLOOR	3092	BUS FLAT FRONT/F OR R ENG	A	7/27/2009
FDS136	2010 BEAVER CRE SS2000	5190	FLATBED TRAILER, NON-TILT	I	4/12/2011
FDS137	2000 JOHNSTON RESCUE 1	6040	BOAT, OUTBOARD MOTOR	I	4/12/2011
FDS142	2010 BECK 18	7044	BODY, HOOK LIFT, STATIC	I	4/10/2010
FDS143	2010 BECK 18	7044	BODY, HOOK LIFT, STATIC	I	4/10/2010
FDS144	2011 THOMAS MVP	3092	BUS FLAT FRONT/F OR R ENG	A	11/23/2011
FDS145	2012 GEM EL	1070	NEV, 2 DOOR W/ BED	I	7/13/2012
FDS146	2012 GEM EL	1070	NEV, 2 DOOR W/ BED	I	7/13/2012
FDS147	2012 KARAVAN K3	5050	BOAT CARRIER TRAILER	I	8/13/2012
FDS148	2012 KARAVAN K3	5050	BOAT CARRIER TRAILER	I	8/13/2012
FDS149	2012 KARAVAN K3	5050	BOAT CARRIER TRAILER	I	8/13/2012
FDS150	2012 KARAVAN K3	5050	BOAT CARRIER TRAILER	I	8/13/2012
FDS151	2012 TRITON 2500	5050	BOAT CARRIER TRAILER	I	9/10/2012
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Re: Request for Information - Aldermanic Budget Question #5

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman Willie Cochran (20th ward) asked for a current list of grants.

CFD RESPONSE

- A. The CFD received a 2009 ARRA fire station construction grant in the amount of \$4.8 million to pay for some of the construction cost of Engine 16's new house.
- B. 2011 Fire Prevention and Safety Grant Award: \$111,151; federal share equals \$88,920.80; City share equals \$22,230.20
- C. 2011 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Operations Award: \$668,000; federal share equals \$133,600; City share equals \$534,400

Applications pending:

- A. 2012 Grant Year Pending Request (Competitive Grant) – operations and safety: \$2,744,676
- B. 2012 Grant Year Pending Request (Competitive Grant) – vehicles: \$2,500,000

Grants awarded prior to 2012 that are still active:

- A. 2010 Fire Prevention and Safety Grant: \$799,228; federal share equals \$639,382.40; City share equals \$159,845.60

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- B. 2009 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Award- Operations: \$877,499; federal share equals \$701,999.20; City share equals \$175,499.80
- C. 2010 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Award – Operations: \$1,685,425; federal share equals 1,348,340; City share equals \$337,085


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Re: Request for Information - Aldermanic Budget Question #6

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman Scott Waguespack (32nd ward) asked for a breakdown of new hires.

CFD RESPONSE

New Hires				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	2	0	2	1.19%
Am .Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	112	5	117	69.64%
Hispanic	6	3	9	5.36%
White	24	16	40	23.81%
Total	144	24	168	
	85.71%	14.29%		

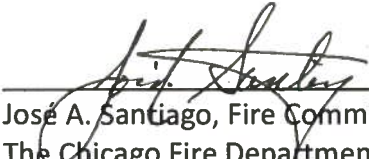
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To: The Honorable Carrie M. Austin, Chairman
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From: 
José A. Santiago, Fire Commissioner
The Chicago Fire Department

cc: Maria Guerra
Mayor's Office of Legislative Counsel and Government Affairs

Date: October 31, 2012

Re: Request for Information - Aldermanic Budget Question #7

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman Scott Waguespack (32nd ward) asked for overtime history, month to month.

CFD RESPONSE

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| ▪ January - \$1,410,609 | ▪ June - \$4,659,041 |
| ▪ February - \$1,402,016 | ▪ July - \$3,374,805 |
| ▪ March - \$1,868,959 | ▪ August - \$3,341,074 |
| ▪ April - \$2,632,602 | ▪ September - \$3,387,684 |
| ▪ May - \$2,248,911 | ▪ YTD Total - \$24,325,701 |

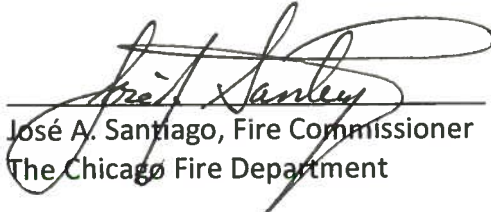
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Re: Request for Information - Aldermanic Budget Question #8

The attached information is in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 22, 2012, to discuss the 2013 budget. Alderman John Arena (45th ward) asked for the location of the Office of Diversity.

CFD RESPONSE

The individual who supervises this functionality has been elevated from the position of Assistant Commissioner to Deputy Commissioner. With that, the Office of Diversity was also elevated to the CFD's Division of Personnel so additional staff and resources can be dedicated to the program and its goals and objectives. The contact person for the Office of Diversity is Deputy Commissioner, Adrienne Bryant, who can be reached at 312/746-6923.

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