



Interoffice Memorandum

June 9, 2017

TO: Mayor Teresa Jacobs
-AND-
Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Otto Drozd III, Fire Chief
Orange County Fire Rescue

CONTACT PERSON: Alex Morales, Fiscal and Operational Support Manager
Orange County Fire Rescue

SUBJECT: Updated Fire Rescue Fees
Orange County Fire Rescue

One of the tasks assigned to Orange County Fire Rescue is to insure that the fees charged for all services are set in such a way as to reflect the actual cost of the services provided.

In order to keep pace with increasing costs, Orange County Fire Rescue is requesting to modify its fees in accordance with the growth in the relevant Consumer Price Index (CPI) categories. Where appropriate, all fees other than EMS Transport fees will be increased by 2.4%, as dictated by the CPI increase measured for all items between March 2016 and March 2017. EMS Transport fees will be increased by 4.1%, as dictated by the CPI increase measured for medical care between December 2015 and December 2016. All adjusted fees have been rounded to the nearest dollar.

In conjunction with the Office of Management and Budget, Fire Rescue staff is recommending the fee adjustments outlined on the attached schedule.

ACTION REQUESTED: Approval of fee resolution to include updated fire fees to take effect on October 1, 2017.

Attachment

c: County Administrator
Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners
Finance
File