

Staff Report

TO: City Council

FROM: Elizabeth Gibbs, City Manager

DATE June 18, 2024

SUBJECT: Cooperative Agreements for Fire Protection, Fire Prevention, Rescue, Fire

Marshal and Medical Emergency Services with the County of Riverside

and Cost Share Agreement

Description Agreements with the County of Riverside, through its Cooperative Fire Programs Fire Protection Reimbursement Agreement (CAL FIRE Agreement)

Background and Analysis:

On June 15, 2021, the City of Beaumont entered into a three-year cooperative agreement with the County of Riverside to provide fire protection, fire prevention, rescue, fire marshal and medical emergency services for the City of Beaumont. That agreement is set to expire on June 30, 2024.

Attachment A contains a new cooperative agreement covering the full range of fire protection, fire prevention, rescue, fire marshal and medical emergency services. Staff is recommending a term through June 30, 2025, with an option for the City to extend the contract one additional year.

The draft contract was presented to the County of Riverside and CalFire.

Attachment B contains a new cooperative agreement between the City of Banning and the County of Riverside to share the cost of Fire Engine Company 20. This agreement is a five-year agreement with an expiration of June 30, 2029.

Fiscal Impact:

Fire protection, fire prevention, rescue, fire marshal and medical emergency services in the amount of \$9,170,884 is included in the FY2025 adopted budget.

Staff estimates the cost to prepare this staff report is \$516.

Recommended Action:

Approve the Cooperative Agreement for Fire Protection, Fire Prevention, Rescue, Fire Marshal and Medical Emergency Services with the County of Riverside and Cooperative Agreement between the City of Banning and County of Riverside to Share the Cost of Fire Engine Company 20 and authorize the Mayor to execute on behalf of the City.

Attachments:

- A. Cooperative Agreement
- B. Cooperative Cost Share Agreement