

**AGENDA**



**Recommendation for Council Action**

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| Austin City Council | <b>Item ID</b> | 27032 | <b>Agenda Number</b> | 4. |
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| <b>Meeting Date:</b> | 9/10/2013 | <b>Department:</b> | Budget Office |
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**Subject**

Approve an ordinance establishing classifications and positions in the classified service of the Austin Fire Department; creating certain positions; and repealing Ordinance No. 20130307-015 relating to Fire Department classifications and positions.

**Amount and Source of Funding**

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2013-2014 Operating Budget of the Austin Fire Department.

**Fiscal Note**

A fiscal note is not required.

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| <b>Purchasing Language:</b> |  |
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| <b>Prior Council Action:</b> | March 7, 2013 - Classification Ordinance No. 20130307-015 was adopted by Council. |
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| <b>For More Information:</b> | Harry Evans, Chief of Staff, 974-0132; Ronnelle Paulsen, Assistant Director, 974-5315 |
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| <b>Boards and Commission Action:</b> |  |
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| <b>Related Items:</b> |  |
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**Additional Backup Information**

This ordinance repeals the classification ordinance adopted by Council on March 7, 2013 and establishes all positions in the classified service of the Austin Fire Department.

The number of positions in the Lieutenants classification is increasing by six (6) from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance. All of the new positions will be assigned to Fire Prevention; four (4) in the Inspections section and two (2) in the Special Events section.

The civil service classification of the Fire Department and the number of positions in each classification are established as follows:

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| Assistant Chief | 5   |
| Division Chief  | 5   |
| Battalion Chief | 34  |
| Captain         | 71  |
| Lieutenant      | 183 |
| Fire Specialist | 196 |
| Firefighter     | 633 |