

**AGENDA****Recommendation for Council Action****AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL****Regular Meeting: September 12, 2018**Item Number: **004**

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**Budget**

Approve an ordinance establishing classifications and positions in the classified service of the Austin Fire Department; creating certain positions; and repealing Ordinance No. 20171012-030 relating to Fire Department classifications and positions.

<b>Fiscal Note</b>	Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2018-19 Operating Budget of the Austin Fire Department.
<b>Prior Council Action</b>	October 12, 2017 - Classification Ordinance No. 20171012-030 was adopted by Council.
<b>For More Information</b>	Tom Dodds, Interim Fire Chief, 974-0147; Ronnelle Paulsen, Assistant Director, 974-5315

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**Additional Backup Information:**

This ordinance repeals Ordinance No. 20171012-030 and establishes all positions in the classified service of the Austin Fire Department.

The number of positions in the Battalion Chief classification is increasing by one (1), the number of positions in the Lieutenant classification is increasing by three (3), the number of positions in the Fire Specialist classification is increasing by three (3), and the number of positions in the Firefighter classification is increasing by nine (9) from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance. The civil service classifications of the Austin Fire Department and the number of positions in each classifications are established as follows:

Assistant Chief 5  
Division Chief 8  
Battalion Chief 37  
Captain 71  
Lieutenant 201  
Fire Specialist 214  
Firefighter 661