# 2015 Negotiations between City of Corpus Christi & Corpus Christi Fire Fighters Association

07.27.15 9am City's Proposal Responds to Association Proposal 7.21.15 @ 9:00 a.m.

#### ARTICLE 32 DEPUTY CHIEFS & ASSISTANT CHIEFS

## Section 1. Deputy Chiefs.

The rank immediately below the Fire Chief rank is currently classified as Deputy Chief. Pursuant to Section 143.014 of the Civil Service Act, each person occupying a Deputy Chief position, as authorized by the City Council, shall be appointed by the Fire Chief at the his/her discretion. Persons eligible to be appointed as Deputy Chiefs are limited to those Fire Fighters in the Assistant Chief or Battalion Chief ranks.

Section 2. Assistant Chiefs.

The rank immediately below the Deputy Chief rank is currently classified as Assistant Chief. The Fire Chief retains the authority to appoint Assistant Chief positions at his/her discretion. Persons eligible to be appointed to the rank of Assistant Chief are limited to those Fire Fighters in the Battalion Chief rank.

#### Section 3. Number of Appointments to Deputy and Assistant Chiefs.

During the term of this Agreement, the Fire Chief may have no more than <u>five</u> appointed Deputy and Assistant Chiefs. All other Deputy and Assistant Chief positions will be filled by competitive examination in accordance with the CSA and this Agreement. The Assistant EMS Director appointment is in addition to these <u>five</u> appointments.

## Section 4. Salary of Deputy Chief and Assistant Chiefs.

The Deputy Chief and Assistant Chiefs shall be compensated under the City's Managerial Pay Plan.

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