



FIRE DEPARTMENT UPDATE

Public Safety Subcommittee
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Staffing Updates

- Position Control List – 169 FTE:
 - SAFER employees (12)
- Operations
 - Suppression - 12 vacant positions
 - InResponse - full staffing (6 FTE)
 - Continuous recruitment
 - Next academy planned for November 2024
- Fire Prevention
 - Full staffing
- Administration
 - Full staffing

Fire Stations

Fire Station 5 (Fountaingrove):

- Physical construction underway
- Estimated completion date April 2025

Fire Station 8 (Roseland):

- Design/Build Contractor selection in progress (10/22/24 CC Meeting)
- No finite start date or completion date



Fleet

Current apparatus on order:

- Type 1 Fire Engines – 5
 - Next arriving (5) – Spring 2025
 - Two delivered and in service (ordered 12/21)
- Type 6 Fire Engines – 2
 - In build process
- Tillered Ladder Truck – 1
 - Estimated delivery 2028

Planned orders:

- Transport capable squads
 - Funded by PSAP
 - In the purchasing process



SAFER

\$7.08M Grant for 12 FTE over three years

- Staffing ALS Squads

Update:

- In operation
- Running 110-130 calls for service per week



Questions?