

Urbana Fire Rescue Services

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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT:	Revised Champaign County Fire and Emergency Services Mutual Aid Agreement
DATE:	January 24, 2002
TO:	Tod Satterthwaite, Mayor Bruce Walden, CAO
FROM:	Rex Mundt, Fire Chief

ISSUE:

Adoption of a newly revised Champaign County Fire and Emergency Services Mutual Aid Agreement

BACKGROUND:

For the past year, the Fire Service Agencies within Champaign County have been reviewing the long-standing County Fire Mutual Aid agreement. The County Fire Chiefs concluded that the more than 10-year old document was in need of revision and updating. It was during this revision period the idea of developing a MABAS division was introduced. Both documents are now being brought forward for the Council's consideration. Please note, the County Mutual Aid agreement has been modeled after the MABAS agreement. All Fire Chiefs involved agreed this was prudent, as it simplified the process and avoided conflict between the two related documents. The MABAS agreement will be further explained in a separate cover memo.

ACTION

The City Council is being asked to approve a revised Champaign County Fire and Emergency Services Mutual Aid Agreement.

IMPACT:

The revised agreement will not place new requirements or obligations on the City or the Fire Department.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

It is staff's recommendation to adopt the newly revised Champaign County Fire and Emergency Services Mutual Aid Agreement.

ORDINANCE NO. 2002-01-008

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A MUTUAL AID AGREEMENT BETWEEN FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS IN CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1. That a Mutual Aid Agreement Between Fire and Emergency Service Organizations in Champaign County, in substantially the form of the copy of said Agreement attached hereto and hereby incorporated by reference, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved to replace the existing Mutual Aid Agreement between the parties.

Section 2. That the Mayor of the City of Urbana, Illinois, be and the same is hereby authorized to execute and deliver and the City Clerk of the City of Urbana, Illinois, be and the same is authorized to attest to said execution of said Agreement as so authorized and approved for and on behalf of the City of Urbana, Illinois.

PASSED by the City Council this _____ day of _____,

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NAYS:

ABSTAINS:

Phyllis D. Clark, City Clerk

APPROVED by the Mayor this _____ day of _____,

Tod Satterthwaite, Mayor