

2017-2018 BUDGET QUESTION
Response to Request for Information

DEPARTMENT: Financial Services – Budget Office

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REQUESTED BY: Alter

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REQUEST: What are the increases in pay for public safety sworn personnel included in the contracts for Emergency Medical Services, Austin Fire, and Austin Police Departments? Please include, explain, and provide background on assignment and specialty pays (which includes educational and certification pays), step increases, longevity pay, and overtime in your response.

RESPONSE:

On May 17, 2017, staff offered at the Council work session a presentation titled “Percentage Cap on Public Safety Expenditures”. The presentation and discussion includes information responsive to the aforementioned budget questions. The presentation can be found at:

https://assets.austintexas.gov/budget/17-18/downloads/Percent_Cap_on_Public_Safety_Expenditures.pdf