

**ORDINANCE NO. 20130909-004**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS IN THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT; CREATING CERTAIN POSITIONS; AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 20130307-015 RELATING TO FIRE DEPARTMENT CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

**PART 1.** The Council makes the following findings:

- (A) The City adopted Texas Local Government Code Chapter 143 (*Municipal Civil Service*), which applies to members of the classified service in the Fire Department.
- (B) Chapter 143 (*Municipal Civil Service*) provides that the City Council shall establish the classifications for the Fire Department and the number of positions in each classification.
- (C) The Fire Department recommends the creation of certain classified positions to improve delivery of fire services and to increase efficiency.

**PART 2.** The civil service classifications of the Fire Department and the number of positions in each classification are established as follows:

(A) Assistant Chief	<u>5</u>
(B) Division Chief	<u>5</u>
(C) Battalion Chief	<u>34</u>
(D) Captain	<u>71</u>
(E) Lieutenant	<u>185</u>
(F) Fire Specialist	<u>196</u>
(G) Firefighter	<u>633</u>

**PART 3.** The number of positions in the civil service classification of Lieutenant in Part 2 of this ordinance is an increase of eight (8) from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance.

**PART 4.** Ordinance 20130307-015 is repealed.

**PART 5.** This Ordinance takes effect on October 1, 2013.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

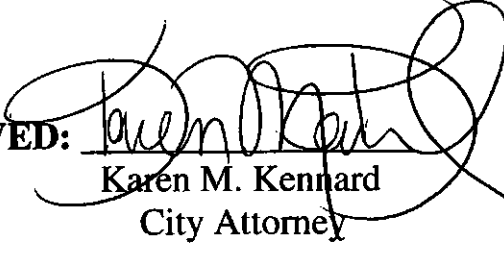
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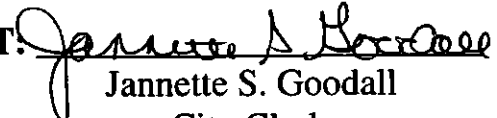


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