



**Chicago Fire Department  
Office of the Fire Commissioner**

**To:** The Honorable Jason Ervin  
Chairman, Committee on the Budget and Government Operations

**From:** Annette Nance-Holt  
Fire Commissioner  
Chicago Fire Department

**CC:** Kennedy Bartley  
Chief External Affairs Officer

**Date:** December 2, 2024

**Re:** Request for Information from Annual Appropriation Committee Hearing

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Lee asked to provide an inventory of all the equipment; include the mileage, years of service, and when it was brought online.

CFD defers to the Department of Fleet and Facilities for this information.

As always, please let me know if you have any further questions.



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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Rodriguez asked for demographics on promotions.

Please see the data below provided by OPSA:

<b>Battalion Chiefs</b>				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	0	0	0	0.00%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	2	0	2	22.22%
Hispanic	1	0	1	11.11%
White	6	0	6	66.67%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>	
	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>		

<b>Paramedic Field Chiefs</b>				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	1	0	1	20.00%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	0	0	0	0.00%
Hispanic	1	0	1	20.00%
White	2	1	3	60.00%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	
	<b>80.00%</b>	<b>20.00%</b>		

<b>Captains</b>				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	0	0	0	0.00%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	4	0	4	57.14%
Hispanic	1	0	1	14.29%
White	2	0	2	28.57%
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	
	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>		

<b>Ambulance Commanders</b>				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	1	0	1	14.29%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	2	0	2	28.57%
Hispanic	0	1	1	14.29%
White	2	1	3	42.86%
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	
	<b>71.43%</b>	<b>28.57%</b>		

<b>Lieutenants</b>				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	1	0	1	2.33%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	3	0	3	6.98%
Hispanic	6	0	6	13.95%
White	33	0	33	76.74%
<b>Total</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>43</b>	
	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>		

<b>Paramedic in Charge</b>				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	1	0	1	4.00%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	1	0	1	4.00%
Hispanic	1	1	2	8.00%
White	9	12	21	84.00%
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>25</b>	
	<b>48.00%</b>	<b>52.00%</b>		

<b>Engineers</b>				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	0	0	0	0.00%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	6	0	6	20.00%
Hispanic	4	1	5	16.67%
White	17	2	19	63.33%
<b>Total</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>30</b>	
	<b>90.00%</b>	<b>10.00%</b>		

<b>Commanders</b>				
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	0	0	0	0.00%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	1	0	1	100.00%
Hispanic	0	0	0	0.00%
White	0	0	0	0.00%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	
	<b>100%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>		

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Vasquez asked for an update on the hiring of Data Analysts.

Please see the below provided by OPSA:

The bid/job announcement for Data Analyst was posted from July 10-24, 2024 (2 vacancies). The Consensus Meeting was held on September 13, 2024, no bidders were recommended for hire.

OPSA is currently working to interview the external applicants for the vacancies.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Knudsen asked for the breakdown of revenue coming from ambulance fees.

CFD defers to the Department of Finance for revenue coming from ambulance fees.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked for the number of Black firefighters within CFD.

Per OPSA, as of December 10, 2024, there are 582 Black firefighters in CFD.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Lee asked for a comprehensive list of grants applied for and received for 2024 and 2025.

Please see the document attached with a list of all grants applied for.

As always, please let me know if you have any further questions.

Grant Name	Fiscal Year	Funding Agency/ Organization	Description	Period of Performance	Eligible	Applied	Request	Request \$	Awarded	Funded Amount	Notes
AAA Traffic Safety Grant	2023	AAA Auto Club Group Foundation	Small equipment grant to purchase roadway safety equipment and supplies	12/31/23 - 12/31/24	yes	yes	EV fire suppression blankets	\$20,000	Yes	\$20,000	Max award \$15,000 - \$20,000.
Fire Prevention and Safety Grant	2023	Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)	To fund fire department program for community risk reduction as well as fire prevention and investigation activities. Max=\$1.5M	9/1/24 - 8/31/27	yes	yes	OFI: specialized training for members; PubEd: OT to conduct Community safety workshops, smoke alarms, and bed-shakers, CFD give-aways to promote community safety	\$1,222,323	No	NA	Nation-wide. Highly competitive with only 100 awards with small funding allocation
Fire Prevention and Safety Grant	2024	Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)	To fund fire department program for community risk reduction as well as fire prevention and investigation activities. Max=\$1.5M	9/1/25 - 8/31/25	yes	TBD	TBD	TBD	Pending	Pending	Application period not yet open. Nation-wide. Highly competitive with only 100 awards with small funding allocation
Assistance to Fire Fighters	2023	FEMA	Equipment, training for front-line fire fighting and safety	9/1/24 - 8/31/26	yes	yes	CFD safety driving training classes and software; SCBA Bottles to replace expired equipment	\$2,073,750	Partial	\$189,256	SCBA bottle request was not funded. Safety activities were funded.
Assistance to Fire Fighters	2024	FEMA	Equipment, training for front-line fire fighting and safety	9/1/25 - 8/31/27	yes	Pending	CFD to request Safety and PPE equipment for front-line firefighters	TBD	Pending	Pending	FEMA selects priorities that they wish to fund each year. Selecting those increases chance of funding. CFD applies each year; \$3.5M cap
Port Security Grant Program	2024	FEMA	Training and Equipment for the Protection of the nation's port areas that may be targets for terrorist incident	9/1/24 - 8/31/27	yes	yes	1 new CFD Fire Boat for rapid response and search and rescue operations on the water. To allow CFD to respond to increased calls it receives; Required training for on-water response for CFD Air Sea Rescue and dive members	\$1,996,000	No	NA	Competitive awards by FEMA. Chicago not awarded each year. CFD Plans to apply in 2025.
Urban Area Security Initiative	2023	IEMA through USDHS Allocation	To fund large urban areas to enhance capabilities to incidents with a nexus to terrorism. Training, equipment, supplies, and management allowable	9/1/23 - 8/31/26	yes	yes	CFD Special Operations equipment, and OT; CFD-EMS CWMD simulation training equipment, training, and OT	\$11,463,500	Yes	\$9,463,500	The local UASI Working group decides what will be funded and the total allocation to each public safety agency
Urban Area Security Initiative	2024	IEMA through USDHS Allocation	To fund large urban areas to enhance capabilities to incidents with a nexus to terrorism. Training, equipment, supplies, and management allowable	9/1/24 - 8/31/27	yes	yes	CFD Special Operations equipment, and OT; CFD-EMS CWMD simulation training equipment, training, and OT	\$9,820,500	Yes	\$8,550,400	Nation-wide reduction in available funds from last year
SAFER - Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response	2023	FEMA	to improve or restore Fire department staffing to increase response capabilities and decrease response time	9/1/24-8/31/27	yes	yes	20 EMS Paramedics to increase staffing while lowering department OT thus increasing effective responses	\$11,340,000	No	NA	Small Departments and those with highest response times receive priority of award.
SAFER - Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response	2024	FEMA	to improve or restore Fire department staffing to increase response capabilities and decrease response time	9/1/25-8/31/28	yes	yes	TBD	TBD	Pending	Pending	Application period not yet open
Securing the Cities (STC)	2024	USDHS - Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction Office	To enhance rad/nuc detection and prevention capabilities across the Chicago Region	9/01/21 - 8/31/30	yes	yes	Program Management staff (Salary and fringe); rad/nuc detection equipment and supplies	\$1,375,000	Yes	\$1,375,000	Fully Funded. Have received over \$20M to date.
Securing the Cities (STC)	2025	USDHS - Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction Office	To enhance rad/nuc detection and prevention capabilities across the Chicago Region	9/01/21 - 8/31/30	yes	Pending	Program Management staff (Salary and fringe); rad/nuc detection equipment and supplies	TBD	Pending	Pending	Application period not yet open
2024 Supplemental Public Sector Training (SPST) Grant	2024	USDOT	To fund hazardous materials training development program and equipment as it relates to roadway operations	8/31/24-8/31/26	yes	No	NA	NA	NA	NA	CFD learned of this application too late and was not able to submit application. Plan to develop strategy and budget to apply in FY2025
IL Restore, Reinvest, and Renew (R3) Program	2024	Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority	to increase youth development and violence reduction in targeted communities across the City and State. Max \$1M	6/1/24 - 6/30/25	yes	No	CFD Youth summer camp program (Camp Courage) development for targeted communities to promote violence prevention and youth development while preparing young people from disparate communities for a future career in fire fighting.	\$840,000	No	NA	PSA/CFD experienced a Grant submission issue and was not able to submit finalized application by application deadline. CFD plans to reapply in 2025.
Strengthening Mobility and Revolutionizing Transportation (SMART) Stage 1	2024	USDOT - Office of the Assistant Secretary for Research and Technology	Improve roadway conditions with technology for transportation and roadways. Max=\$2M	start varies - 18 month project period	yes	yes	Creating CFD "SMART" fire engines Pilot Program: vehicle data recorders (VDRs) equipped with inter-vehicle alert systems to monitor driving behaviors of and evaluate training interventions; provide critical alerts to civilian and emergency service drivers of approaching engine	\$411,000	Pending	Pending	Awaiting decision



Grant Name	Fiscal Year	Funding Agency/ Organization	Description	Period of Performance	Eligible	Applied	Request	Request \$	Awarded	Funded Amount	Notes
First Responder Wellness Grant	2025	IL Dept of Human Services	strengthen and address the availability of mental health resources and programming to its FirstResponders	7/1/24 - 6/30/25	yes	yes	Personnel (Salary and fringe); wellness program, and wellness equipment to increase CFD capabilities and access to services	\$1,400,000	Pending	Pending	CFD's total award is \$5.7M (appropriated in 12 month cycles); CFD requested \$1.4M for this funding year.
Fire House Sub	2024	Fire House Subs Public Safety Foundation	To fund first responder equipment and prevention education tools Max=\$25,000	start varies - 12 month project period	yes	yes	Supplies and requirement for CFD Camp Courage Youth Development Program	\$25,000	No	NA	Competive grant. CFD Plans to reapply in 2025.
IL State Training Grant	2024	IL Office of State Fire Marhall	Allocated award for CFD to increase training capabilities for its members	7/1/24 - 6/30/25	yes	yes	Personel (Salary fringe) for instructors, training command staff, and program management staff; equipment, training supplies for candidate and member refresher training	\$4,200,000	Yes	\$4,200,000	Amount allocated by the state based on available funding statewide. CFD applies annually. Awaiting 2025 application



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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Villegas asked for the asset classes with purchase of bond proceeds.

CFD defers to the Department of Finance for this information.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Dowell asked for the demographics of students that went through CFPTA, specifically if any 3rd ward high schools participating in this program.

Per CPS in consultation with CPS Legal Counsel and the CEO's Office: all CPS data requests from City Council must go through the CPS CEO's office or Intergovernmental Affairs office as CFD does not have the data requested.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked how many Black candidates were eliminated from processing to date.

This following information was provided by the Department of Human Resources to CFD in response to this question.

The Office of Public Safety Administration has worked with 51 Black candidates that were not successful in the hiring process.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked how many eligible Black applicants are on the 2022 list.

This following information has been provided by the Department of Human Resources to CFD in response to this question.

A total of 15,250 candidates applied to the posting; of that 3,952 identified as Black. Of the 3,952 Black candidates who applied; 1,118 were invited to test based on lottery and preferences. Of the 1,118 Black candidates who were invited to test, 819 Black candidates sat for the test: 297 Black candidates did not show for the test. Of the 819 Black candidates who tested; 393 passed the test 426 Black candidates failed.

DHR has referred a total of 1,000 applicants to OPSA based on lottery and preferences to process thus far; of the 1,000 candidates referred thus far, 183 candidates identify as Black.

There are 1,191 candidates that remain on the eligibility list yet to be referred to OPSA for processing. Of the 1,191 candidates, 204 candidates identify as Black.

As always, please let me know if you have any further questions.



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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked why did the City deliberately switch to an exam with guaranteed low pass rates for ALL demographics.

CFD welcomes a conversation with Alder Taylor and any other Alder interested on this topic.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked what the demographic breakdown is as a whole for those entering the Academy from the 2022 entry exam.

Please see the tables below provided by OPSA:

	12/1/2023	FF/EMTs New Hire - Uniform			
	Male	Female	Non Binary	Total	%
Asian	1	0		1	1.18%
American Indian	0	0		0	0.00%
Black	17	1		18	21.18%
Hispanic	27	1		28	32.94%
White	31	4		35	41.18%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific	0	0		0	0.00%

Multiracial	2	0		2	2.35%
Unknown	0	0	1	1	1.18%
<b>Total</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>85</b>	
	<b>91.76%</b>	<b>7.06%</b>	<b>1.18%</b>		

	<b>FF/EMTs New Hire - 5/1/2024 Uniform</b>			
	Male	Female	Total	%
Asian	1	0	1	0.85%
American Indian	0	0	0	0.00%
Black	20	2	22	18.80%
Hispanic	40	3	43	36.75%
White	39	3	42	35.90%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific	0	0	0	0.00%
Multiracial	9	0	9	7.69%
Unknown	0	0	0	0.00%
<b>Total</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>117</b>	
	<b>93.16%</b>	<b>6.84%</b>		

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked what is the date of the next entry exam.

This following statement was provided by the Department of Human Resources in response to this question.

The date for the next entry exam has not been finalized at this time.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked how many candidates left to process on current entry exam eligibility list.

OPSA has provided the following information:

There are 1,191 candidates that remain on the eligibility list yet to be referred to OPSA for processing.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked for how many apparatus downgrades occur per month per Ward.

Please see the document attached for the downgrades by month per ward.

As always, please let me know if you have any further questions.

ALS Engine/Truck Co.	Ward	Oct-23	Nov-23	Dec-23	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Total
Engine 30	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
Engine. 43	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	8
Engine 98	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Engine 19	4	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5
Engine 60	5	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	7
Engine 54	6	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Engine 122	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Engine 126	7	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
Engine 82	8	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	6
Engine 72	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Engine 62	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3
Engine 46	10	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Engine 74	10	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Engine 97	10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Engine 8	11	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	5
Engine 29	11	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Engine. 39	11	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	4	1	1	2	0	13
Engine. 49	11	1	0	0	0	1	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	9
Truck. 60	13	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	9
Engine. 34	14	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	6
Engine 116	16	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	5
Truck 41	16	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	8
Engine 129	17	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Engine 64	18	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
Truck 45	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Engine 120	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	6
Truck 40	19	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	5
Engine 84	20	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Engine 50	20	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Engine 47	20	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	8
Engine 73	21	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Engine 93	21	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	5
Engine 115	21	0	0	1	0	2	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	10
Engine. 99	22	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3
Engine 123	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Engine. 88	23	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	10
Engine. 38	24	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Truck. 32	25	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	6
Engine. 23	25	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	12
Engine 76	26	0	0	1	0	2	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	9
Engine. 57	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	4
Engine 4	27	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	9
Engine. 26	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	1	0	0	0	6
Engine 18	28	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	10
Truck. 36	28	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	5

Engine. 95	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Truck. 29	29	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
Engine. 113	29	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6
Truck. 58	31	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	9
Engine 91	31	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	1	9
Engine 124	33	0	0	0	0	2	4	1	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	13
Engine 1	34	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	3	0	8
Truck Co 2	34	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	3	0	9
Engine 68	36	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	6
Engine 125	36	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	8
Engine. 117	37	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
Engine 59	40	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	11
Truck. 12	40	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	9
Engine 11	41	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	7
Truck. 55	41	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	7
Engine 2	42	1	0	0	0	6	24	1	3	3	4	4	0	0	1	47
Engine13	42	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Engine 55	43	0	0	0	0	3	4	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	13
Engine 78	44	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	6
Engine 79	45	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
Engine 108	45	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	8
Engine 83	46	0	0	0	0	2	3	2	3	2	1	0	1	0	0	14
Engine 102	49	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	6
Engine 71	50	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	5
Monthly Total		8	3	6	3	70	136	13	50	43	56	37	11	18	12	466



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**Date:** December 11, 2024

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Taylor asked for the status of Appendix G and when can we expect to have 30% Blacks across the Department.

The following information has been provided by the Department of Human Resources to CFD in response to this question.

The City is in active contract negotiations with Local 2 and is not in a position to discuss components of the CBA.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Sigcho Lopez what is the status of Appendix G and when can we expect to have 30% Latinx across the department.

The following information has been provided by the Department of Human Resources to CFD in response to this question.

The City is in active contract negotiations with Local 2 and is not in a position to discuss components of the CBA.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Nugent asked for the consequences of encampments using propane tanks.

CFD is aware of the hazards caused by propane tanks as well as the safety measures that are in place.

CFD has not encountered any catastrophic failures of propane tanks used in homeless encampments. The industry has taken several measures to ensure propane tanks are safe. Propane tanks in an encampment have no greater danger than ones used in backyard grills, in industrial settings, parking lots during tailgating parties at sporting events, or the numerous food trucks that travel through City limits daily. What is encountered in encampments are primarily caused by human action. If combustibles ignite because of careless use or unattended heat producing appliances fueled by propane gas, CFD responds and mitigates the incident as we do for any fire. CFD has taken extra measures that the Office of Fire Investigation responds to these incidents to document and make notifications to OEMC who notify various city departments for inspection and clean-up.

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The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on 11/19/2024 to discuss the proposed 2025 budget.

Alderman Sigcho Lopez asked how many eligible Latinx applicants are on the 2022 list.

This following information has been provided by the Office of Public Safety Administration.

A total of 15,250 candidates applied to the posting; of that 4,928 identified as Hispanic. Of the 4,928 Hispanic candidates who applied; 2,034 were invited to test based on lottery and preferences. Of the 2,034 Hispanic candidates who were invited to test, 1,714 Hispanic candidates sat for the test: 311 Hispanic candidates did not show for the test. Of the 1,714 Hispanic candidates who tested; 869 passed the test and 845 failed.

DHR has referred a total of 1,000 applicants to OPSA based on lottery and preferences to process thus far; Of the 1,000 candidates referred thus far, 316 candidates identify as Hispanic/Latinx. There are 1,191 candidates that remain on the eligibility list yet to be referred to OPSA for processing. Of the 1,191 candidates, 530 candidates identify as Hispanic.

As always, please let me know if you have any further questions.