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Public Safety Alert



Our community's safety is at risk. Critical understaffing, excessive overtime, and poor retention have pushed our fire department to the breaking point.

Right now, Fire department policy allows just 7 firefighter/paramedics on duty each day — an outdated and dangerous minimum that leads to delayed response times and understaffed apparatus.

For nearly 15 years, we've been forced to operate with "jump companies," where crews must abandon one apparatus to staff another depending on the call. That means when one responds, others sit empty.

City officials are gambling with both citizens' lives and firefighters' safety. This isn't just a staffing issue — it's a public safety emergency.

It's time for change. Our community deserves full staffing, faster responses, and safer firefighters. [#PublicSafety](#) [#FirefighterShortage](#) [#SupportYourFirefighters](#)

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