

Resolution 5-0408

RESOLUTION ENDORSING UNIFORM FIRE RESPONSE FEES

TO THE HONORABLE IOWA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Whereas, the Iowa County Fire Officers Association has expressed an interest in behalf of the protection districts they each serve to recover the cost for the equipment provided and the supplies used by departments individually or collectively in response and recovery efforts on a uniform county wide basis, and

Whereas, the Association has researched the costs established and used by other departments throughout the State and has at a regular meeting discussed and agreed to reasonable charges that would be appropriate for this area, and

Whereas, the Association has by majority of its members approved recommended charges that could be used in a cost recovery collection effort from a responsible party for specific items made available and/or used in the protection of persons and property as follows:

- A. Personnel per hour: Chief/Officer \$25.00; Fire Fighter \$20.00; Hazardous Materials Member \$50.00
- B. Equipment per hour: Aerial \$400.00; Engine \$328.00; Command Van \$150.00; Squad \$308.00; Tanker \$272.00; Brush Truck \$225.00;
- C. Other items/supplies: Air refills \$8.00 per bottle;
The charge for the following items will be based upon actual for the amount used or replacement cost: Floor dry, Gloves per pair, Turn out gear per set, Boots per pair, Helmet each,
- D. Travel, Etc.: Fuel is charged for the amount used at the time of use cost; Mileage charge is \$1.00 per round trip mile; Air trailer charge is \$125.00 per hour port to port; Foam is charged at replacement cost for amount used;
- E. For an outside public or private provider called in by authorized personnel to assist in a response or recovery effort the charge will be the actual cost

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Iowa County Board of Supervisors hereby goes on record to support and endorse this countywide uniformity of charges for the recovery of expenses incurred by fire departments.

Respectfully submitted by the Justice Committee of Iowa County Board of Supervisors