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HIAWATHA FIRE-RESCUE

MEMORANDUM

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR, HIAWATHA CITY COUNCIL

FROM: MIKE NESSLAGE, FIRE CHIEF

SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMBER

DATE: 5/12/2017

Tonight on the agenda is the appointment of Andrew Sheeley of Rural Hiawatha, to the Fire Department.

Andrew is a graduate of Kennedy High School where he participated in Soccer and Cross country. He has just completed his sophomore year at Iowa State, where is majoring in Biology and Psychology. His is also a certified EMT. He did ride time with us over Christmas break and decided he wanted to join. As a college student he will help us out during the summer and over the holidays. His primary focus will be EMS, but we will train him on some non critical fire functions. He is one of four college students who attend college out of town but return to help us over the summer and breaks. We have students at Iowa, Iowa State, and Olivet Nazarene in Kankakee IL.

He has completed background check and physicals. With Andrew's appointment the roster is at 50. This includes 7 paid and 43 volunteer members.