



Board Meeting Agenda Abstract

Monday, August 3, 2026

Location:

Agenda Item

Recognition - Fire Department New Hires - Badge Pinning - (Jones) - Item 4.B

Item Explanation

The purpose of this agenda item is to introduce two new firefighters recently hired to fill vacancies.

Staff Comments

The Fuquay-Varina Fire Department recently completed a process to hire two Senior Firefighters, filling two vacant firefighter positions. These new Senior Firefighters have multiple years of firefighting experience and several years of driving experience in career departments. After completing standard orientation program for all new firefighters, they will transition to driver training on Fuquay-Varina Fire Department apparatus. These new positions were recently filled by Robert Rosario and Tyler Crews. Both firefighters come to the Town of Fuquay-Varina with valuable full-time and part-time firefighter and fire apparatus driver experience in other fire departments.

Robert Rosario began his fire service career in 2005 with Minneola Fire Rescue in Minneola, FL. He worked for the Clinton Fire Department from 2012 to 2023, achieving the rank of Engineer. During this same period, he also worked part-time with the NC Forestry Service and as a part-time Driver for the Westarea Fire Department in Cumberland County. Robert currently resides in Clinton with his wife and 13-year-old daughter and values commitment to service, hard work, and dedication to both his family and community.

Tyler Crews began his fire service career as a volunteer with the Bahama Fire Department in 2015 and has worked with the Vance County Fire Department since 2020, achieving the rank of Engineer. Tyler resides in Timberlake, NC with his wife and three children and is looking forward to growing professionally while making a positive impact on the community.

These new firefighters completed their Orientation Period on Friday, July 10, 2026 and have now been assigned to a shift.

Fiscal Note

No

Recommendation

No Action Required - Presentation Only

ATTACHMENTS