



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Fire Department

Date: May 6, 2009

To: Don Samuel, Chair, Public Safety & Regulatory Services Cmt.
Referral to: Paul Ostrow, Chair, Ways & Means/Budget Cmt.

Subject: Request to issue RFP for health club memberships for Fire Department, Police Department and Park Board Police Department employees

Recommendation: That the proper City officers be authorized to issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) for providing health club memberships to sworn employees, pursuant to Permanent Review Committee approval.

Previous Directives:

1/28/2005 – Authority to issue RFP for primary health club facility for a four-year period

4/29/2005 – Approval given to enter into contract agreement between Minneapolis Police Department and Northwest Athletic Club for a period July 1, 2005 through December 31, 2009

Department Information

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Approved by: Alex Jackson, Chief, Minneapolis Fire Department
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Presenters in Committee: Karen Lowery Wagner & Jennifer Rudlong

Reviews

- Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval **XX** Date **April 30, 2009**
- Civil Rights Approval Approval ___ Date _____ **Pending**
- Policy Review Group (PRG): Approval ___ Date _____

Financial Impact

- No financial impact – within current budget
- Action is within the Business Plan
- Other financial impact

Community Impact

- Neighborhood Notification
- City Goals

- Comprehensive Plan
- Zoning Code
- Other

Supporting Information

Under the current labor contracts with the International Association of Firefighter Local 82 and the Minneapolis Police Federation, the Fire Department and the Police Department are required to supply single health club memberships to all sworn personnel.

The current contract to provide health club memberships expires on December 31, 2009.