



Staff Report FIRE2020-013

Title of Report: FIRE2020-013- Release of Pumper Tank Fire
Apparatus Tender
Department: Fire
Council Date: August 5, 2020

Recommendation:

Be it resolved that Council receive Staff Report FIRE2020-013 as information; and
That Council approve staff to release a tender for a new pumper tanker fire apparatus later in 2020 year during budget discussions.

Background:

Currently the Fire Department has slated for 2021 the purchase of a new pumper tanker fire apparatus to replace our 1996 International pumper 7 which is a two seater. The Capital fire budget has \$670,000.00 budgeted for this new vehicle.

Staff Comments:

Staff have been in contact with several manufacturers of fire apparatus's over the past months and have been told the same thing by each one. The build time for the custom pumper tanker fire apparatus is currently 14 months.

Staff are asking that Council approve of the Fire Department releasing the tender for the 2021 capital project in 2020 so delivery of the truck will take place late in 2021 or early 2022 opposed to later.

Financial Implications:

The financial impact as a result of this report is included in the 2021 Capital Budget.

Communications & Community Action Plan Impact:

This report has been written and presented to Council to communicate accurate information to the public.

Concluding Comments:

That Council receive Staff Report FIRE2020-013 for information; and that Council approve staff to release a tender for a new pumper tanker fire apparatus in 2020.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dept. Head: **Original Signed By**
Derek Malynyk, Fire Chief Official

CAO Approval: **Original Signed By**
Dave Milliner, CAO