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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
AO NO. 2008-9

AN ORDINANCE OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY AMENDING
CHAPTER 7.25 OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL CODE (DISPOSITION OF
DISPOSABLE PROPERTY) AUTHORIZING THE ORDERLY DISPOSITION OF
SURPLUS FIRE APPARATUS AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL VEHICLES TO
REGISTERED FIRE DEPARTMENTS WITHIN THE STATE OF ALASKA.

THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY ORDAINS:

Section 1. Anchorage Municipal Code section 7.25.005, Definitions is hereby
amended to add new definitions to read as follows:

Fire apparatus means a powered vehicle acquired by the Anchorage Fire
Department and equipped with specialized apparatus to respond to fire,
accidents, discharge of hazardous materials or other emergencies. This term
shall also include specialized equipment used with fire apparatus.

Fire chief means the Chief of the Anchorage Fire Department.

Emergency medical service vehicle means a powered motor vehicle acquired by
the Anchorage Fire Department and equipped to provide life support functions at
the scene of a medical emergency or to transport the sick or injured. This term
shall also include specialized equipment used with emergency medical service
vehicles.

Section 2.: Anchorage Municipal Code chapter 7.25 is hereby amended to enact a new
section to read as follows:

7.25.080 Fire Apparatus and Emergency Service Vehicles.

A. Fire apparatus and emergency medical service vehicles owned by the
municipality of Anchorage and operated by the Anchorage Fire Department that
are determined surplus to the needs of the municipality may be donated to any
registered fire department within the state of Alaska.

B. Donation of fire apparatus and emergency medical service vehicles may
be made under this section if the equipment is first found to be surplus to the
municipality's needs by the Fire Chief and it is to be donated to a fire department
registered in the state of Alaska by the State of Alaska Department of Public

1 Safety. Selection of the department to receive the donation shall be the
2 responsibility of the State of Alaska Department of Public Safety under criteria
3 that department may establish.
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5 C. No donation of surplus equipment under this section may be made until
6 the recipient first executes a Memorandum of Transfer as required by municipal
7 regulation and that agreement is approved by the Municipal Manager.
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9 **Section 3.** Within 90 days after this ordinance becomes effective, the Chief of the
10 Anchorage Fire Department shall submit to the Assembly for its approval a municipal
11 regulation under chapter 3.40 of this code setting forth an orderly process for surplus of
12 fire apparatus and emergency medical service vehicles operated by the Anchorage Fire
13 Department. The regulation shall establish criteria the Chief shall use in finding that fire
14 apparatus emergency service vehicles are surplus to the department's needs, the
15 identification by the State of Alaska Department of Public Safety of an appropriate
16 department to receive the apparatus, and the specific conditions of such transfer and
17 the required terms of a Memorandum of Transfer to be signed by grantees.
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19 **Section 4.** This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and
20 approval by the Assembly.
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22 PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this ____ day of
23 _____, 2008.
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MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE
ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM
NO. AM 33-2008

Meeting Date: January 8, 2008

From: Assemblymember Tesche

Subject: **AO 2008-9 — AN ORDINANCE OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY AMENDING CHAPTER 7.25 OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL CODE (DISPOSITION OF DISPOSABLE PROPERTY) AUTHORIZING THE ORDERLY DISPOSITION OF SURPLUS FIRE APPARATUS AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL VEHICLES TO REGISTERED FIRE DEPARTMENTS WITHIN THE STATE OF ALASKA**

If enacted, AO 2008-9 authorizes the Fire Chief to donate used fire apparatus and emergency medical vehicles that are surplus to the ongoing needs of the Anchorage Fire Department to other fire departments within the state of Alaska. The ordinance requires the Chief to first issue a municipal regulation setting out criteria he will use in surplus equipment, the qualifications of prospective recipients, and the terms and conditions of transfer.

Equipment operated by the Anchorage Fire Department may be donated only to a fire department within the state of Alaska and under a Memorandum of Transfer as required by municipal regulation, and that agreement is approved by the Municipal Manager.

Approval of AO 2008-9 is recommended.

Respectfully submitted:

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Assemblymember, Section 1