
Supplemental Material

Public Body Name **Reno City Council**

Meeting Date **May 26, 2015**

Agenda Item Title **6. Overview of Automatic Aid: opportunities and challenges (a) Presentation, discussion and potential direction to staff regarding the City of Reno Fire Department (b) Presentation, discussion and potential direction to staff regarding the Truckee Meadows/Sierra Fire Protection Districts.**

Please see attached presentation for agenda item 6.a.

Attachments:

- Overview of Automatic Aid - Reno Fire Department - Presentation (PDF)

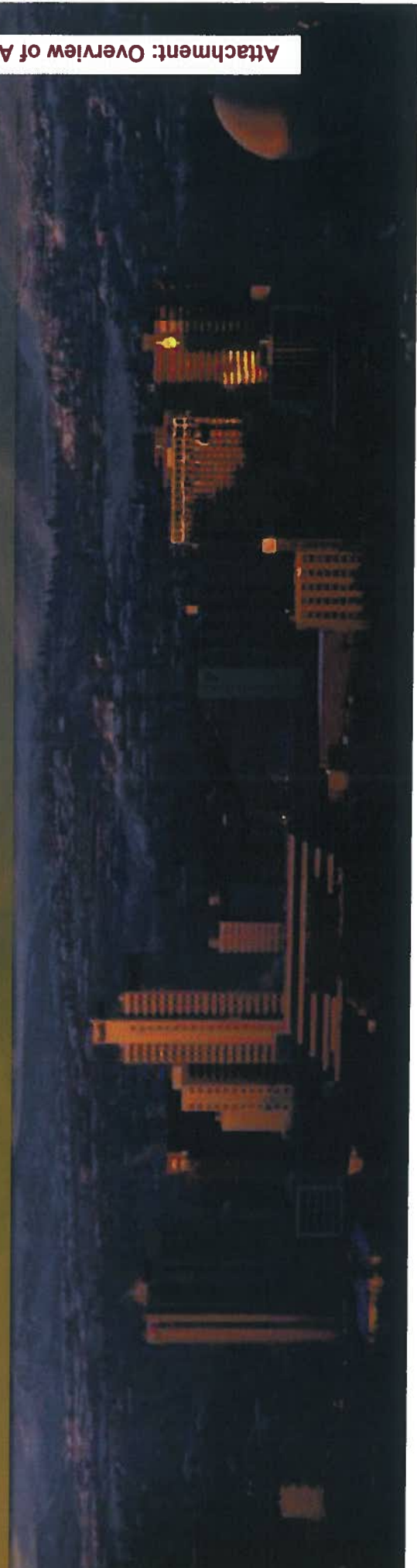




RENO FIRE DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW OF AUTOMATIC AID

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Attachment: Overview of Automatic Aid - Reno Fire Department - Presentation (5124 :



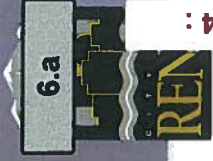
PRESENTATION OUTLINE

- **Considerations for Automatic Aid**
 - **Definitions**
 - **Identification of Locations for Aid**
 - **Opportunities**
 - **Challenges**

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AUTOMATIC AID AND MUTUAL AID - DEFINITIONS



- Automatic Aid
 - Automatic aid is the response of at least two apparatus to a single call for service. It requires the response of one or more apparatus from the authority having jurisdiction, and one apparatus from the closest fire station (usually the assisting jurisdiction). At no time would the assisting agency respond alone into another agency's jurisdiction.

- Mutual Aid
 - Mutual aid is the ability for any jurisdiction to request assistance based on a specific incident that either agency deems additional resources are required.

AUTOMATIC AID LOCATION ADVANTAGES

- Four Primary Areas in Reno/TMFPD/SFPD Where Jurisdictions/Stations are in Close

Proximity:

- Stead:

- Reno Station #9 & TMFPD Station #13

- Verdi/Somerset:

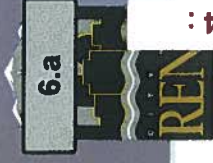
- Reno Station #19 & TMFPD Station #35

- Damonte Ranch/Geiger Grade:

- Reno Station #12 & TMFPD Station #14

- Caughlin Ranch:

- Reno Station #7 & TMFPD Station #35



AUTOMATIC AID OPPORTUNITIES

- Opportunities:
- Reduced Response Time
- Closest Apparatus Responds
- Depth of Resources

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AUTOMATIC AID CHALLENGES

- Challenges:
- Establish Geographical Response Limits and Overall Response Criteria
- Fire Dispatch/Logistical Issues
- No Cost Service
- Service Level and Training Inequities
- Volunteer Response into City Jurisdiction
- City & County Residents Pay Different Tax Rates for Fire Services

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