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Title: Fire Department Training Compensation	Policy No. 20
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Purpose:

To provide policy guidance for providing compensation for the successful completion of fire department training courses.

Background:

The Village of Bawlf acknowledges the value, benefit and necessity of a volunteer fire brigade. The Village believes it valuable and essential to recognize, respect and honour the sacrifices, dedication and extraordinary efforts of its volunteer fire brigade.

Procedures:

Volunteer firefighters shall be responsible for registering for training courses after obtaining approval from the Fire Chief. The Village of Bawlf will cover the cost of registration through the Fire Department budget. The Fire Chief shall be responsible for including all training costs in the annual budgets.

Volunteer firefighters will be compensated at a rate of \$200.00 for the successful completion of each fire department training course. It will be the responsibility of the Fire Chief or Deputy Fire Chief to submit a photocopy of the firefighter's certificate to the Village Office for processing.

Firefighters will be eligible to claim mileage at the standard rate approved by the Village Council. Firefighters will also be eligible to claim the actual cost of meals occurring within the advertized timeframe of the training course (receipts are required). Example: If the course timeframe is 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., the attendee would be eligible to claim actual expenses for lunch.

MAYOR

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