

**To:** Administration & Finance Executive Committee

**From:** Tyler Moffitt, Fire Chief/CEMC

**Date:** September 14, 2020

**Subject:** 1995 Volvo Pumper Fire Truck

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## **Background**

The Town's 1995 Volvo Pumper Fire Truck, which is a reserve status pumper has been relocated to Couchiching First Nation. This was done to protect this asset from the environment, as well as to help the Couchiching First Nation Fire Department increase their fire suppression capabilities.

The members of the Couchiching First Nation Fire Department have also outfitted the pumper fire truck with equipment.

Meanwhile, the Hamilton Fire Department donated two 1997 Pumper Tanker Fire Trucks to Couchiching First Nation and Nigigoonsiminikaaning First Nation in 2018.

Going forward, it is my recommendation to reach out to the leadership of Couchiching First Nation and ask them for the honour and permission to offer a meaningful gift ... to donate the 1995 Volvo Pumper Fire Truck to their community.

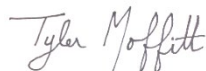
This pumper fire truck would greatly enhance their community's fire suppression capabilities, as well as it would be utilized to transport vital firefighting equipment to the scene of an emergency incident.

As well, this pumper fire truck would still be available for any type of mutual aid response calls if required.

## **Recommendation**

That the Administration & Finance Executive Committee recommends that Council approve the report as presented.

Respectfully submitted,



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