

**To:** Mayor & Council  
**From:** Tyler Moffitt, Fire Chief/CEMC  
**Date:** November 6, 2018  
**Subject:** Request for Tender for replacement of 1995 Pumper Rescue Truck (11-1)

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## Background

To maximize fire fighter capabilities and minimize risk of injuries, it is important that fire apparatus be equipped with the latest safety features and operating capabilities.

As per the NFPA 1911 Standard ... our First Line Duty Pumper Rescue Truck needs to be between 0-15 years-old, 2<sup>nd</sup> Line Duty Pumper Trucks needs to be between 16-20 years-old, and our Reserve Duty Pumper Rescue Truck needs to be under 25 years-old.

Our current 1995 Pumper Rescue Truck (11-1) is 23 years-old. As well, our 2008 First Line Pumper Rescue Truck (11-2) is 10 years-old; our fire apparatus is aging.

Moving forward, we need to maintain the age gap between our Pumper Rescue Trucks.

As well, it must be noted ... once a tender is approved for replacement of our 1995 Pumper Rescue Truck (11-1), delivery would not be until 2020; this would put our Reserve Pumper Rescue Truck (11-1) at 25 years-old.

The Administration & Finance Executive Committee recommends that Council approve the report as presented and recommends for council to bring forward the resolution to advertise a **Request for Tender** for a Triple Combination Pumper Fire Truck.

**Note:** *A Triple Combination Pumper Fire Truck has a pump, water tank, and can carry lengths of fire hose.*

Respectfully submitted,



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<p><b>Council approval of this report</b> will agree to the recommendation of the Administration &amp; Finance Executive Committee to approve this report as presented and bring forward the resolution to advertise a Request for Tender for a Triple Combination Pumper Fire Truck.</p>
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