

RESOLUTION #7-2023

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADDITION OF
A NEW PARAMEDIC POSITION**

WHEREAS, the Fire Department is currently staffed with 6 Full-time EMS positions,
and

WHEREAS, the Full-time staff is currently working a shift rotation of 24 hours on, and
48 hours off with 2 employees working each shift, and

WHEREAS, currently all paid & non-paid time off (vacation, sick, medical leave,
personal leave) must be covered by overtime of the 6 Full-time staff, and

WHEREAS, working long hours and accepting necessary overtime due to lack of
available staffing leads to possible employee burnout or injury. And there continues to
be a shortage of paid on-call EMS staff available.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board creates an additional
Full-time EMS position at an approximate cost of \$125,000 annually. Funding is
available in the 2023 budget and will need to be allocated in future years for the
additional 7th position.

Dated this 20th day of June, 2023


Mary Knipper, Town Chair

Ayes 5 Noes 0

Attest: 
Michele Starin, Town Clerk