

**INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT
AND CONTRACT BY AND BETWEEN**

**THE TANGIPAHOA COMMUNICATIONS DISTRICT
NUMBER ONE AND THE CITY OF HAMMOND FIRE
DEPARTMENT**

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF TANGIPAHOA

This intergovernmental agreement and contract is made and entered into on this 1st day of July 2026 by and between the TANGIPAHOA COMMUNICATIONS DISTRICT NUMBER ONE, herein represented by its Chairperson, Ethan Dunn, a political subdivision of the State of Louisiana, domiciled in Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, with a mailing address of Post Office Box 505, Amite, Louisiana 70422, as duly authorized by resolution of the Tangipahoa Communications District Number One dated July 1, 2027, and the City of Hammond Fire Department, herein represented by its Mayor, Pete Panepinto, a political subdivision of the State of Louisiana, domiciled in Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, with a mailing address of Post Office Box 2788, Hammond, Louisiana 70404, as duly authorized by resolution of the City of Hammond Fire Department dated _____, who agree, contract and have each entered into the following intergovernmental agreement and contract:

WITNESSETH

That in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements contained herein, each political subdivision does hereby contract and agree as follows:

1. This agreement and contract shall be for a period of one (1) year beginning on July 1, 2026 and terminating at mid-night (12:00 o'clock a.m.) on June 30, 2027. This contract shall automatically renew each year unless cancelled by either party with ninety days written notice.
2. In return for the payment of those amounts set forth herein and the terms of this agreement, the Tangipahoa Communications District Number One shall answer all emergency 911 lines and radio dispatch for and on behalf of the City of Hammond Fire Department.
3. The Tangipahoa Communications District Number One shall dispatch all emergency calls relating to fire and/or rescue based upon the "Standard Operating Procedures" as agreed upon by the City of Hammond Fire Department.
4. The City of Hammond Fire Department agrees to pay for their share of the equipment lease, CAD maintenance, radio maintenance charges, and employee cost, based on their percentage of the prior year call volume of all fire departments being dispatched by the Tangipahoa Communications District Number One, as detailed in Attachment A.
5. The City of Hammond Fire Department will pay the estimated costs due the Tangipahoa Communications District Number One, on a quarterly basis with the first payment being due on or before October 31, 2026. Quarterly payments becoming sixty days past due will result in termination of this agreement.
6. The fees, expenses and costs provided for herein shall be subject to renegotiation should this contract be renewed after June 30, 2027.
7. Tangipahoa Communications District Number One can, at its option, cancel this agreement and the related services to the City of Hammond Fire Department upon ninety (90) days written notice. In the event that this contract is canceled, the Tangipahoa Communications District Number One shall refund a pro rata share of any unused portion of the equipment and maintenance cost.

- THUS DONE AND SIGNED on the date set forth herein above at Amite, Louisiana.**
Tangipahoa Communications District Number One

City of Hammond Fire Department

Pete Panepinto **Date**
Mayor

Attachment A
To the

INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT AND CONTRACT
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TANGIPAHOA COMMUNICATION DISTRICT NUMBER ONE,
AND
CITY OF HAMMOND FIRE DEPARTMENT

In consideration of the intergovernmental agreement and contract by and between the Tangipahoa Communication District Number One, the City of Hammond Fire Department effective January 1, 2026,

City of Hammond Fire Department agrees to pay to the Tangipahoa Communication District Number One on a quarterly basis the following annual costs associated with the contract:

Overhead Cost to Fire Departments	65,000
Radio Equipment & CAD Costs	<u>277,694</u>
	<u>342,694</u>

COSTS TO EACH FIRE	# Of	% Of	2026	2026 Quarterly
DEPARTMENT	Calls	Calls	Annual Cost	Cost
HAMMOND	6837	35.37%	121,223	30,306
PONCHATOULA	2960	15.31%	52,482	13,121
AMITE	2030	10.50%	35,993	8,998
NATALBANY	1985	10.27%	35,195	8,799
8TH WARD	1398	7.23%	24,787	6,197
WILMER	794	4.11%	14,078	3,519
LORANGER	624	3.23%	11,064	2,766
INDEPENDENCE	853	4.41%	15,124	3,781
HUSSER	453	2.34%	8,032	2,008
KENTWOOD	1327	6.87%	23,528	5,882
MANCHAC	67	0.35%	1,188	297
	<u>19328</u>	<u>100.00%</u>	<u>342,694</u>	<u>85,674</u>

WITNESSES:

TANGIPAHOA
COMMUNICATION
DISTRICT NUMBER ONE:

Ethan Dunn
Chairman

Date

CITY OF HAMMOND FIRE DEPARTMENT

Pete Panepinto
Mayor

Date