

Municipality of the District of Lunenburg

POLICY

Title: Procedure for the Award of a Certificate of Recognition to Businesses and Community Groups Supporting Fire and Emergency Services	
Policy No. MDL-70	
Effective Date: April 25, 2017	Amended Date:

1.0 Statement

The Municipality of the District of Lunenburg and the Municipal Fire Departments would like to provide a Certificate of Recognition for Allowing Firefighters to Leave Work to businesses and a Certificate of Recognition of Contribution to businesses and community groups that support the efforts of the local volunteer firefighters in providing fire and emergency services in Lunenburg County.

2.0 Purpose

To establish guides for the awarding of a Certificate of Recognition for Allowing Firefighters to Leave Work and for a Certificate of Contribution to a business or community group that makes a financial contribution to the fire department that significantly aids in the purchase of equipment or the ability to provide additional services.

3.0 Types of Recognition

3.1 Businesses

3.1.1 Certificate of Recognition for Allowing Firefighters to Leave Work.

3.1.2 Certificate of Recognition of Contribution for a financial contribution / donation to a fire department that significantly aids in the purchase of equipment or the ability to provide additional service.

3.2 Community Groups

3.2.1 Certificate of Recognition of Contribution for a financial contribution / donation to a fire department that significantly aids in the purchase of equipment or the ability to provide additional service.

4.0 Procedure

4.1 Nomination

- 4.1.1 A fire department will nominate a business and/or community group for the award of a certificate.
- 4.1.2 Nominations will be presented by the fire department to the Fire and Emergency Services Committee for review and approval.

4.2 Criteria for Nomination

The nominee must meet one of the following criteria to be considered:

- 4.2.1 The business allows its employees who are firefighters the ability to leave work in order to perform their duties as a member of a fire and emergency service provider.
- 4.2.2 The business allows its employees who are firefighters, who respond through the night and are not home before their normal hours of work start time, to come in late after they have received a couple hours of rest so not to be in a state of unrest or possibly pose a safety hazard.
- 4.2.3 The business makes a financial contribution to the fire department that significantly aids in the purchase of a piece of equipment or the ability to provide additional service.
- 4.2.4 A community group makes a financial contribution to the fire department that significantly aids in the purchase of a piece of equipment or the ability to provide additional service.

5.0 Presentation of Certificate

The business or community group has the option of having the Certificate of Recognition presented by the Mayor and the designated Fire Chief at a Council meeting or in their place of business.

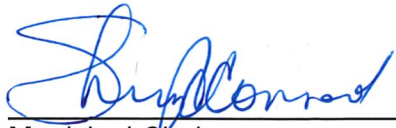
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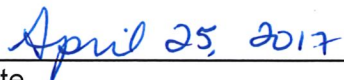
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off Intent to Consider Amendments:

Date of Passage of Amendments:

I certify that this Policy MDL-70 "***Procedure for the Award of a Certificate of Recognition to Businesses and Community Groups Supporting Fire and Emergency Services***" policy was adopted by Council as indicated above.



Municipal Clerk



Date



Recognition for Allowing Firefighters to Leave Work

*Municipal Council and the ABC Fire Department
wish to acknowledge*

Business ABC

*for Supporting Volunteer Firefighters by assisting them
in providing Fire & Emergency Services to our County*

Dated

Mayor

Fire Chief



Lunenburg Regional
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Fire & Emergency Services



Recognition of Contribution

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