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A RESOLUTION BY:
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

A resolution authorizing the Atlanta Fire Department to seek accreditation from the Commission on Fire Accreditation International.

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Committee PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
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 Chair C. T. MARTIN

Committee

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Date

8/15/00

Chair

C. T. MARTIN

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 ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT
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MAYOR'S ACTION
 SEP 13 2000
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 BOARD OF

CITY COUNCIL
ATLANTA, GEORGIA



A RESOLUTION

BY : PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

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A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ATLANTA FIRE DEPARTMENT TO SEEK ACCREDITATION FROM THE COMMISSION ON FIRE ACCREDITATION INTERNATIONAL.

WHEREAS, the Atlanta Fire Department desires to become an accredited fire department as sanctioned by the Commission on Fire Accreditation International; and

WHEREAS, the accreditation process will provide a detailed evaluation of the Atlanta Fire Department and the services it provides to the community; and

WHEREAS, the accreditation process promotes excellence within the Atlanta Fire Department/emergency service industry; and

WHEREAS, the accreditation provides a system for international recognition for the Atlanta Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, the accreditation of the Atlanta Fire Department fosters pride for department members, community leaders and citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the Atlanta Fire Department is authorized to seek accreditation from the Commission on Fire Accreditation International.

Section 2: The Atlanta Fire Department is authorized to pay six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00), to the Commission on Fire Accreditation International to become an applicant for the accreditation process.

Section 3: Upon accreditation the Atlanta Fire Department is authorized to pay to the Commission on Fire Accreditation International one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) per year for re-accreditation. These fees shall be paid from account #1AO1 524001 W31001. All fees are nonrefundable.

A true copy,

Rhonda Daughin Johnson
Municipal Clerk, CMC

ADOPTED by the Council
APPROVED by the Mayor

SEP 05, 2000
SEP 13, 2000

What is the Commission on Fire Accreditation International?

On October 27, 1988 and December 8, 1988, the International City/County Management Association (ICMA) and the International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC) Executive Boards signed a memorandum of understanding that committed both organizations to the development of a voluntary national fire service accreditation system. This commitment was made by both organizations after several years of discussion regarding the evaluation of fire services, specifically on how communities can define their risks, allocate their resources based upon their mission, and achieve the objectives of their emergency service delivery system. These two groups were combined, thus becoming the commission on Fire Accreditation International (CFAI).

The CFAI developed an accreditation process by which citizens, elected and appointed officials, and fire and emergency service personnel can assess all the activities and programs relative to modern Fire/EMS service, to determine when the organization had achieved an appropriate level of performance and efficiency as an organization.

The CFAI's address and telephone # are:
4025 Fair Ridge Drive, Suite 220
Fairfax, Va. 22033-2868
Telephone, (703) 691-4620

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