

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2020-533

Sponsor: Council President at the request of the Mayor

Date of Introduction: August 25, 2020

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: August 25, 2020

Type of Action: Appointment Confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of Steven C. Woodard as the Chief of the Emergency Preparedness Division within the Fire and Rescue Department.

Background Information: Section 31.602, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the Chief shall have had at least five years' administrative or executive experience.

Mr. Woodard received a bachelor's degree from West Virginia University. He was initially appointed as Chief of the Emergency Preparedness Division in 2013 and has served since then. His prior employment includes five years with the Federal Emergency Management Agency and 20 years with the United States Secret Service.

Policy Impact Area: Fire and Rescue Department / Emergency Preparedness Division operations

Fiscal Impact: The salary range for this position is \$89,179 - \$145,598 per year.

Analyst: Distel