



**RESOLUTION 25-01
RESOLUTION OF THE DEER SPRINGS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
ESTABLISHING THE STANDBY/AVAILABILITY CHARGE
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026**

WHEREAS, The Board of Directors of the Deer Springs Fire Protection District was authorized, by November 1981 property owner ballot approval, to establish a Standby/Availability Charge; and

WHEREAS, The maximum Standby/Availability charge may be increased by the consumer price index (CPI) of San Diego County and the CPI did increase from 365.529 to 375.656 from 2nd Half 2023 to 2nd Half 2024; and

WHEREAS, The Standby/Availability Charge assessment for fiscal year 2024-2025 was \$20.54 per benefit unit; and the maximum Standby/Availability charge for fiscal year 2025-2026 is \$21.11 and

WHEREAS, This CPI increase results in a maximum Standby/Availability Charge for F/Y 2025-2026 (from 07/01/2023 to 06/30/2024) as set forth below:

January 2024 to January 2025 CONSUMER PRICE INDEX:

-	2 nd Half 2024	375.656
	2 nd Half 2023	<u>365.529</u>
	Index increase	10.127
	Index % increase	
	(10.127/365.529)	2.77 %

The Fire Standby assessment for fiscal year 2024-2025 was \$20.54, and a 2.77 % CPI Index increase for fiscal year 2025-2026 is ($\$20.54 \times 0.0277 = \0.569) for a total of \$21.11 (rounded).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Deer Springs Fire Protection District has elected by majority vote to hereby establish the Standby/Availability charge for fiscal year 2025-2026 at \$21.11 per benefit unit.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE THIS 9th DAY OF April, 2025.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Approved:

Mark Jackson, President

Attested:

Steve Kerrin, Secretary