

# VACAVILLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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CONSIDER FOR REVIEW: OVERNIGHT STATION COVERAGE  
AUGUST 2024 BOARD MEETING

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## **VOLUNTEER REIMBURSEMENT STATION 64 OVERNIGHT COVERAGE**

Volunteer firefighters are bona fide volunteers volunteering their services freely for civic, charitable, or humanitarian reasons. As such, volunteer firefighters shall not receive any compensation or benefits for their services to Vacaville Fire Protection District (VFPD). However, since being away from home can incur personal expenses, the department is requesting approval to reimburse up to three (3) volunteers, per 24-hour shift at station 64 in the amount of \$147 (up to).

In the previous board meeting, a trial was approved to fund up to 3 reimbursements, for volunteers that are staying at station 64 overnight. The trial started out slowly with days that were not covered, however as we have progressed, we are seeing a significant number of shifts covered. We are confident it will provide consistent coverage. As such, are requesting an extension for the remainder of the fiscal year, through June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

NOTE: This is not intended to be used or considered actual policy. This is public notice of an agenda item to be considered.