

**INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF ROCKPORT, ARKANSAS,
AND THE ROCKPORT-MOUNT WILLOW FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Whereas, the City of Rockport, Arkansas is an incorporated City in the State of Arkansas; and the Rockport – Mount Willow Fire Department is a fire department certified by the Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board;

Whereas, the City of Rockport, Arkansas is presently covered and protected, in part, by two separate fire departments, Magnet Cove Fire Department and Rockport-Mount Willow Fire Department, respectively;

Whereas, the City of Rockport, Arkansas wishes to end its fire protection services with the Magnet Cove Fire Department; and,

Whereas, the City of Rockport, Arkansas and Rockport – Mount Willow Fire Department wish to enter into this Interlocal Agreement to provide full and complete fire department services that will benefit the entire City of Rockport, Arkansas;

NOW, THEREFORE, on this 17 day of September, 2019, in consideration of the mutual promises contained herein, the City of Rockport, Arkansas and Rockport-Mount Willow Fire Department here agree as follows:

1. Purpose / Objective

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate reasonable fire extinguishing and property preservation services, emergency response services, technical rescue services and such other services related thereto by Rockport-Mount Willow Fire Department for the entire City of Rockport, Arkansas.

2. Consideration / Payment

The Rockport-Mount Willow Fire Department will provide necessary services as set forth in section 1 above to the entire City of Rockport, Arkansas. In consideration thereof, all residents of the City of Rockport, Arkansas shall pay fees or dues to the Rockport-Mount Willow Fire Department by allocation through property taxes, the same which will be added to those not previously paying said dues. No other remuneration for fire protection and emergency services will be paid by the residents of the City of Rockport, Arkansas unless otherwise agreed by the City Council of the City of Rockport, Arkansas.

3. Use of Equipment

The Rockport-Mount Willow Fire Department will provide all personnel and equipment related to fire protection services herein. Facilities are provided by the City of Rockport, Arkansas under previous agreement, and will remain pursuant to said previous agreement.

4. Duration / Termination

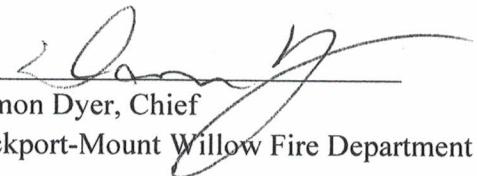
This Agreement shall be effective for five (5) years and will automatically renew for an additional one year term each year thereafter unless notice of termination is given at least thirty days prior to the expiration of the current term.

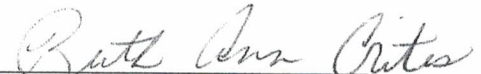
5. Entire Agreement

This Agreement sets forth all terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Arkansas.

ROCKPORT-MOUNT WILLOW
FIRE DEPARTMENT

CITY OF ROCKPORT,
ARKANSAS

By: 
Damon Dyer, Chief
Rockport-Mount Willow Fire Department

By: 
Mayor