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Nevada Public Safety Department – Fire & EMS

TO: Nevada City Council

FROM: Raymond Reynolds, Nevada Public Safety-Director of Fire and EMS

DATE: Aug. 6, 2026

RE: Recommendation for Fire Department Probationary Membership Status.
Mackenzie Arends, Eston Coe

An application has been received from the above-mentioned applicants for membership with the Nevada Fire Department. A background check and the chief's interview were completed. The membership review was conducted. Per department Standard Operating Guidelines for new applicants, it is my recommendation these applicants be approved as a probationary member of the Nevada Fire Department. Their probationary period is one-year upon completion of permanent membership training requirements.

Please contact me should you have questions regarding this memorandum.

Respectfully,

Ray Reynolds, Director of Fire & EMS