

**WOODINVILLE FIRE & RESCUE
RESOLUTION NO. 2017-16**

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING POLICY NO 3114,
SOFT BODY ARMOR**

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the State of Washington has vested in the governing bodies of fire protection districts the authority to adopt reasonable rules to govern the district and to perform its functions, and generally to perform all such acts as may be necessary to carry out the objects of the creation of the district under RCW 52.14.100; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners of Woodinville Fire & Rescue (“District”) has vested the responsibility of the day-to-day operation of the District in the Fire Chief; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners has determined that it is necessary to establish and maintain a set of policies, procedures and practices to ensure the efficient and effective management of the District’s affairs; and

WHEREAS, the District provided Local 2099 with a copy of the proposed revised policy under an agreed District/Local policy review process; and

WHEREAS, Local 2099 was given the opportunity to provide feedback on the policy, and the Local indicated they had no specific concerns.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is resolved that the Board of Fire Commissioners of the District has adopted Policy 3114, Soft Body Armor, and that the content of the paragraphs shown below shall become the policy segment of said policy.

Policy Section 3114, Soft Body Armor

1.0 Policy Statement

- 1.1. It is the policy of Woodinville Fire & Rescue (the “District”) to have established recommended guidelines for the use of soft body armor by response operations personnel.
- 1.2. When available, body armor shall be donned by response operations personnel on all scenes of violence incidents.

- 1.3. When available, body armor may be worn on a voluntary basis by District personnel on non-scenes of violence incidents.

ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF WOODINVILLE FIRE & RESCUE THIS 15th DAY OF AUGUST, 2017.

**WOODINVILLE FIRE & RESCUE
COUNTY OF KING, WASHINGTON**

Approved as to Form:


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Margene Michael, Board Secretary