



To: Gahanna City Council
Clerk of Council

From: Tim Becker, Director of Public Safety
Mayor Laurie A. Jadwin

Cc: Priya D. Tamarasan, Esq., City Attorney
Joann Bury, Director of Finance

Date: February 16, 2026

Re: Dept. of Public Safety – Request for Council Action (February 23, 2026 COTW Meeting)

ACTION ITEMS

ACTION ITEM #1: APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL FIRE SAFETY INSPECTORS

In accordance with §1501.04 of the Gahanna Codified Ordinances, the Director of Public Safety shall appoint the Municipal Fire Safety Inspector, subject to confirmation of Council.

Section 1501.04 further requires that no person shall serve as a Municipal Fire Safety Inspector unless the person designated has received a certificate issued by the Ohio Department of Public Safety under §3303.07 of the Ohio Revised Code evidencing satisfactory completion of the Certified Fire Safety Inspection (CFSI) program (certificate number included).

Pursuant to §1501.04 of the Gahanna Codified Ordinances, as Director of Public Safety, I hereby appoint Chief Bradford Shull of the Jefferson Township Fire Department (CFSI# 0073704) and Chief Brian Dunlevy (CFSI# 0090030) of the Mifflin Township Fire Department as the respective Municipal Fire Safety Inspectors, and respectfully request Council's confirmation of these appointments by Motion, to remain effective until such time as a successor is qualified and appointed.

Requested Legislation and Funding

Legislation Needed: Motion

Emergency/Waiver: N/A

Vendor Name: N/A

Vendor Address: N/A

Already Appropriated: N/A

Supplemental/Transfer: N/A