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Town of Dryden Board

The new mandate for the New York State VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER ENHANCED CANCER DISABILITY BENEFITS PROGRAM is to be paid locally, not by the state. The Village of Dryden Board strongly believes the Town of Dryden should share the cost of the new mandate, currently estimated at \$2,500 for this year, to cover 16 interior firefighters at the Neptune Hose Company. The Town of Dryden could share the cost of the insurance on a 50/50 basis or on a 1/3 Village and 2/3 basis based on the historic ratio of Neptune Hose Company's calls in the Village versus calls in the Town. Bill Ackroyd, Neptune Hose Company, has kept track of fire calls for the last 10 years, and he figures yearly the calls vary between 30 % to 36% for Dryden Village of the total Neptune Hose Company fire calls. We are interested in learning what you believe is a fair sharing of the cancer insurance bill.

Sincerely, Michael Murphy Village of Dryden Mayor

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