

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council
FROM: Tim Malchow, EMS Chief
SUBJECT: Hire Unscheduled Part-Time Employee
DATE: October 17, 2023

BACKGROUND

The Cannon Falls Ambulance Service depends on unscheduled part-time employees to staff our ambulance service. Every year, we are continuing to see an increase in our call volume and we need to continue to add personnel to meet the demands of our community.

There is a nationwide shortage of emergency medical technicians and paramedics. Fortunately, we have people who want to volunteer their time for our service.

We have ongoing advertising for unscheduled part-time employees. We have interviewed another person and are bringing them forward for approval by the city council.

Jaidenn Crouch is currently working for another ambulance but lives within our community and would like an opportunity to serve the community where she lives. Jaidenn would appreciate the opportunity to work for the Cannon Falls Ambulance Service.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Request a motion to approve the hiring of Jaidenn Crouch for unscheduled part-time for the ambulance service, contingent on the successful background check, psychological evaluation, and physical exam.