

AGENDA REPORT

DATE August 16, 2005

ITEM: Resolution 9513: Renaming Charles C. Carrico Regional Training Facility

INITIATED BY: Randy McCamley, Fire Chief

ACTION REQUESTED: Adopt Res. 9513

PRESENTED BY: Randy McCamley, Fire Chief

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Commission approve Resolution 9513 to change the name of City's Fire Training Facility to the *Charles C. Carrico Regional Training Facility*.

MOTION:

"I move the City Commission adopt Res. 9513.

SYNOPSIS:

Resolution 9513 honors Chief Charles C. Carrico who had the vision and dedication to build four new fire stations and a fire training center in the City of Great Falls. To this day, none of these buildings honor his accomplishments. Therefore, the City of Great Falls and Great Falls Fire Rescue would like the Fire Training Facility dedicated as the Charles C. Carrico Regional Facility in his memory.

BACKGROUND:

Serving as Fire Chief from 1955 to 1970, Charles Carrico left a legacy that continues to be evident today -- 30 years later. He was integral in the planning, design, and funding of four new fire stations and the Great Falls Fire Training Facility. This monumental project was completed a year after his retirement, and his efforts were never formally recognized.

After Chief Carrico's passing, his family carried on his memory by developing the Carrico Foundation, which has donated more than \$200,000 to Great Falls Fire Rescue to train and equip advanced life support engine companies.

The City would like to properly recognize this man and his family by dedicating the Fire Training Facility in his name. A dedication ceremony will take place on August 18, 2005, at the Charles C. Carrico Regional Training Facility.