



BOONE COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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John Glascock, City Manager
City Hall, Second Floor
701 E Broadway
Columbia, MO 65201

RE: Pre-Annexation Agreement

Dear Mr. Glascock:

Attached you will find a signed pre-annexation agreement from the Boone County Fire Protection District regarding our future building site for a replacement fire station in the 5800 block of South Route K. As you know, this site is currently outside the city limits of Columbia and our current Station 8 sewer, which is next door, is served by the Boone County Regional Sewer District. We are familiar with the current agreement for this area between the City and Sewer District which states all new customers will become sewer customers of the City and understand that new Station 8 will be a sewer customer of the City.

I am writing this letter to request a waiver of all fees associated with this project including but not limited to construction fees, the one and half times connection fee, processing fees, plan review fees, etc. We feel this is appropriate based on our history of cooperation whether it be free use of our training center by the Columbia Police Department, the numerous mutual aid calls for drone use on searches and the huge task of active shooter training which occurred several years ago for every police officer and firefighter that worked for the City of Columbia. I would be remiss if I did not say your cooperation efforts with the fire district do not go unnoticed.

In closing, it is our mutual continued effort of cooperation and good will that moves this community forward. The City of Columbia and the Boone County Fire Protection District, albeit different, both strive to serve our customers and this community as a whole with the best services possible. I look forward to your positive response to this request.

Respectfully,


David Shorr, Board Chairman
Boone County Fire Protection District
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Enclosure

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