

Memorandum of Understanding

On-Duty/Off-Duty Paramedic Agreement

1. The (C) shift paramedic course starting January 2003 will be the last paramedic course members will be allowed to attend on-duty under the Paramedic Training Program agreement. Those attending this course, assigned to shift work within the Emergency Response Division shall be allowed to complete the course on-duty.
2. Upon the signing of this agreement the City and the Union agree to raise the amount a member receives for attending the off-duty paramedic course from \$1500 to \$3000 dollars. Members must meet all the requirements as specified within the Paramedic Training Program agreement for the Off Duty Attendance Incentive and will only receive this compensation after acquiring the State of Florida Paramedic License.
3. The "ride time period" during the last semester of the paramedic course will continue to be on-duty for all affected members assigned to the Emergency Response Division.
4. Members assigned to other divisions of the Department may be permitted to attend and ride on Special Assignment as specified with Article 26.3 of the collective bargaining agreement.

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