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Burrillville Town Council Supporting the Request for the General Assembly To Fund a New Fire Station at Eleanor Slater Hospital - Zambarano Unit

WHEREAS, the Pascoag Fire District is responsible for the fire protection in the Pascoag area of Burrillville; and WHEREAS, Eleanor Slater Hospital - Zambarano Unit is located in Pascoag; and WHEREAS, currently the state provides a garage to house one fire apparatus on the hospital campus; and WHEREAS, the garage provided to house fire apparatus is no longer adequate to continue providing sufficient fire service for the hospital and surrounding community; and WHEREAS, the nearest fire station to Eleanor Slater Hospital - Zambarano Unit is otherwise approximately 4.5 miles away; and WHEREAS, the Burrillville Town Council supports the request by Senator Jessica de la Cruz for funding to construct a new fire station on the campus of Eleanor Slater Hospital - Zambarano Unit; and WHEREAS, a new fire station will improve fire protection for Eleanor Slater Hospital - Zambarano Unit and the surrounding community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Burrillville asks the General Assembly to support the request for funding by Senator Jessica de la Cruz to construct a new fire station on the campus of Eleanor Slater Hospital - Zambarano Unit.

Adopted as a resolution of the Burrillville Town Council this 8th day of February 2023.

Donald A. Fox, President Burrillville Town Council

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