

District of Barriere

REPORT TO COUNCIL

Date: September 6, 2022	File: 530.20/Rpts
To: Council	From: C. Young, CFO
Re: Provincial Wildfire Reserve	

Background: In 2021 the Barriere Fire Rescue assisted in multiple wildfires throughout the region and in return was paid a stipend relevant to the BCWF pay schedule.

Discussion: Barriere Fire Rescue received \$315,717.00 with expenses paid out to the fire fighters, meals, fuel, and other expenses totaling \$130,195.42. At Year-End budget, the difference in funds of \$185,521.58 were put into general surplus instead of into the Provincial Wildfire reserve.

Recommendation: That Council approve the transfer of \$185,521.58 from general surplus to the Provincial Wildfire Reserve.

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