



City of Camden
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March 31, 2009

The Honorable James Maley, Jr.
Mayor, Borough of Collingswood
678 Haddon Avenue
Collingswood, New Jersey 08108

Re: Fire Department Services

Dear Mayor Maley:

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 31, 2009, which I have just read in its entirety.

I understand the contents of your letter and have conferred with Fire Chief Marini concerning the same. It is my hope that he will come up with ideas as to minimize the adverse impact our City's fiscal problems may cause to adjoining municipalities. I understand how the City's equipment problems cause the adverse impact upon Collingswood, but certainly disagree that the internal operation of the City is the reason for this excessive demand.

I am forwarding a copy of my letter to our Council and Business Administrator for the purpose of our determining, if need be, a more detailed response.

Very truly yours,

Theodore Z. Davis
Chief Operating Officer

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Cc: Angel Fuentes, City Council President
City Council Members
Christine T.J. Tucker, Business Administrator
Brett Waters, Chief of Staff