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RESOLUTION 8-2022

DATE:	April 11, 2022				
TO:	Oregon State Fire Fighters Council				
SUBJECT:	Funding for OSFFC Peer Support Program				
WHEREAS:	The safety of our members, both physical and mental is the top priority of the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) and the Oregon State Fire Fighters Council (OSFFC). So, to meet the behavioral health needs of our membership the OSFFC has recently established a State Peer Support Team with representation from each District in the State. and,				
WHEREAS:	the goals of the team, include but are not limited to, providing statewide IAFF Peer Support training to all Locals, providing advanced training to OSFFC Peer Support Team members and to provide the initial response to any larger scale behavioral health incident within the State. and,				
WHEREAS:	the costs associated with meeting these goals are often difficult for Locals to meet on their own, and whereas the OSFFC currently does not have funding specifically budgeted for Peer Support.				
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the delegates assembled at convention create a "Peer Support" line item in the OSFFC bi-annual budget. Expenses incurred to this line item will be determined by the OSFFC Executive Board, with input from the OSFFC Peer Support Team liaison.					
Submitted by:	Todd Godfrey, President McMinnville Professional Firefighters Local 3099				
COST: \$0.10 per member/month					
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