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FIRE PROTECTION AGREEMENT

5.01 ARTICLE I—PURPOSE. The purpose of the Plain Fire Protection District shall be to provide proper fire protection for all persons and properties situated within the district boundaries by the joint and mutual supervision and funds of the municipalities involved. It is the common belief of the Village of Plain and the Towns of Franklin, Bear Creek, Honey Creek and Troy, that:

(1) Greater protection against fire losses in the Village and the Towns can be secured by the joint ownership and purchase of firefighting equipment.

(2) a more effective fire organization can be promoted by the joint and mutual cooperation of the Village and Towns with the existing Volunteer Fire Department of the Village.

(3) The cost of protection can be more equitably shared by the Village and Towns involved.

(4) "Towns" as used in this chapter means the Town of Franklin, the Town of Bear Creek, the Town of Honey Creek and the Town of Troy.

5.02 ARTICLE II—NAME. The name of this Association shall be the Plain Fire Protection District, and its headquarters shall be located in the Village of Plain, Wisconsin.

5.03 ARTICLE III—BOUNDARIES. (1) DESIGNATED. The District shall consist of all property lying within the Village and all property lying within the Towns and additional territory as may be added to the District by the Trustees according to the articles of association and the bylaws.

5.04 ARTICLE IV—ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION AND BYLAWS. The District shall operate according to the Articles of Association and the District bylaws.

5.05 STATE FIRE PREVENTION MANUAL ADOPTED. (1) BY REFERENCE. The Wisconsin Fire Prevention Manual detailing provisions for the prevention of fire is adopted and by reference made a part of this chapter as if fully set forth herein. Any act required to be performed or prohibited by such manual is required or prohibited by this section.

(2) CONFLICTING PROVISIONS. In case of a conflict between the provisions of this section or between this section and existing Village ordinances, the strictest provision shall apply.

(3) COPIES TO BE ON FILE. Copies of the State Fire Prevention Manual shall be available for inspection during reasonable hours in the Village Clerk's office.

5.10 PENALTY. Any person who shall violate any provision of this chapter, or any provision of the Articles of Association or the District bylaws adopted herein, or any provision of the State Fire Prevention Manual herein adopted by reference, shall be subject to a penalty. **See fine schedule.**

5.11 AMBULANCE PROTECTION AGREEMENT—PURPOSE. The purpose of the Plain Ambulance Service, as provided by the Plain Fire Protection District, shall be to provide proper ambulance service for all persons situated within the district boundaries by the joint and mutual supervision and funds of the municipalities involved. It is the common belief of the Village of Plain and the Towns of Franklin, Bear Creek, Honey Creek and Troy that:

(1) Better ambulance service can be secured by the joint ownership and purchase of ambulance equipment.

(2) A more effective ambulance service can be promoted by the joint and mutual cooperation of the Village and Towns with the existing Volunteer Ambulance Service.

(3) The cost of service can be more equitably shared by the Village and Towns involved.

(4) "Towns" as used in this chapter means the Town of Franklin, the Town of Bear Creek, the Town of Honey Creek and the Town of Troy.

5.12 AMBULANCE PERSONNEL. The staff of the ambulance crew shall be state or nationally certified Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT) except for ambulance drivers who shall be Red Cross certified.