

From: [Hill, Shannon](#)
To: [Williams, Reginald](#)
Subject: RE: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Hello again Reggie,

I have provided some additional clarification below about what is being asked.

Typically if a project includes fire prevention design features, they may be credited based on the formula used to determine fair share contribution (i.e., their monetary contribution is reduced). Without those features, a higher contribution may be paid.

If you still have questions, please let me know, and I'll coordinate getting answers ASAP.

Thank you,

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From: Hill, Shannon
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 12:42 PM
To: Williams, Reginald <Reginald.Williams@sanjoseca.gov>
Subject: RE: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Hi Reggie,

I did not draft these questions. However, I believe the intent of that question is to determine if there is a monetary option for mitigating impacts or a monetary penalty for impacts. I will also ask for additional clarification as well.

Thanks!

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From: Williams, Reginald
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 12:37 PM
To: Hill, Shannon <Shannon.Hill@sanjoseca.gov>
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Shannon,

Can you simplify what this question is asking?

4. Is there a credit system or penalty for developments that may or may not have these features?

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From: Hill, Shannon
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 11:47 AM
To: Williams, Reginald <Reginald.Williams@sanjoseca.gov>
Subject: RE: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Hi Reggie,

No problem, and thanks for the update.

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From: Williams, Reginald
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 11:41 AM
To: Hill, Shannon <Shannon.Hill@sanjoseca.gov>
Subject: RE: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Funny you should ask. I am tinkering away at it now. Let me check on the Chief but we are hoping to get this to you today. It's a little more comprehensive than I wanted it to be, but we are getting questions from Planning and Housing regarding this topic.

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From: Hill, Shannon
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 11:31 AM
To: Williams, Reginald <Reginald.Williams@sanjoseca.gov>
Subject: RE: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Hi Reggie,

I just wanted to follow up with you on the information requested below. Has the chief had a chance to pull the information together, or do you need more time?

Thanks!

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From: Williams, Reginald
Sent: Friday, April 3, 2020 10:58 AM
To: Hill, Shannon <Shannon.Hill@sanjoseca.gov>
Subject: RE: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Yes, next Friday will be more than enough time to pull together the information.

Thanks Shannon, have a great weekend and stay safe!

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From: Hill, Shannon
Sent: Friday, April 3, 2020 10:56 AM
To: Williams, Reginald <Reginald.Williams@sanjoseca.gov>
Subject: RE: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Hi Reggie,

Great, thank you. We need responses as soon as possible, as we want to include your responses into the EIR's analysis of cumulative impacts to establish the need for a new Fire Station in the DSAP area and to calculate Google's fair share contribution. However, we are requesting input from other departments on the EIR by April 10th (next Friday).

Is that enough time for the chief to pull together the information?

Thanks!

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From: Williams, Reginald
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Subject: RE: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Hi Shannon. I have provided this to the Fire Chief for his input. When would you like it back by?

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From: Hill, Shannon
Sent: Thursday, April 2, 2020 3:33 PM
To: Williams, Reginald <Reginald.Williams@sanjoseca.gov>
Subject: Need for New Fire Station for Diridon

Hi Reggie,

Our Deputy Director (Robert Manford) had some follow up questions to support the analysis in the Downtown West EIR and in support of negotiations with Google. We realize SJFD staff are overstretched, but we would appreciate you providing your input ASAP, so we can assist with meeting the needs of SJFD.

1. For a fully equipped Fire Station (e.g., Engine Company, First response, paramedics, etc), what is a desirable size of land site, square footage of facility, resource/equipment need and number of fire officers/personnel? Is there a prototypical model of a fire station for the area that can be shared?
2. What is the desirable minimum distance (s) from a fire station to its service area if the maximum efficient service was to be provided to that area?
3. Is there a desirable officer (fire personnel)/population ratio for the city?
4. There are certain design concepts that have been helpful in fire protection (e.g., sprinkler equipment, fire resistant landscaping/vegetation, and defensible space, etc.). Does the FD require any of these or other features in areas that lack adequate fire protection? Is there a credit system or penalty for developments that may or may not have these features?
5. Can SJFD provide any additional relevant information that may help establish the need for a fire station in a particular area?

Thank you in advance for your assistance!

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