

**IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

**A RESOLUTION** authorizing the County Executive to execute an Agreement to Extend the Memorandum of Understanding with Local Union No. 42 of the International Association of Fire Fighters through April 24, 2009.

**RESOLUTION #16855**, March 16, 2009

**INTRODUCED BY** Scott Burnett, Theresa Garza Ruiz, Henry C. Rizzo, Fred Arbanas, James D. Tindall, Dennis Waits, Dan Tarwater, and Greg Grounds, County Legislators

WHEREAS, by Resolution 15511, dated June 6, 2005, the Legislature did authorized the execution of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Local Union No. 42 of the International Association of Fire Fighters (the Union) to govern the terms and conditions of employment of members of its bargaining unit within the Prosecuting Attorney's Office through December 31, 2008; and,

WHEREAS, the parties have undertaken negotiations on a successor MOU, but have not yet reached agreement; and,

WHEREAS, by Resolution 16805, dated January 20, 2009, the Legislature did authorize the extension of the existing MOU through January 20, 2009; and,

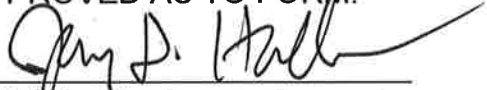
WHEREAS, negotiations have progressed since then but have not yet resulted in a successor MOU to be recommended; and,


WHEREAS, in view of the pending negotiations, and in anticipation of arriving at a successor MOU, the parties have agreed that it is appropriate to extend the terms of the prior MOU, save those governing compensation, through April 24, 2009; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the County Executive be and hereby is authorized to execute an Agreement to Extend MOU with Local Union No. 42 of the International Association of Fire Fighters, for a period ending April 24, 2009, in a form to be approved by the County Counselor.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
Chief Deputy County Counselor

  
County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution #16855 of March 16, 2009, was duly passed on March 23, 2009 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas 9

Nays 0

Abstaining 0

Absent 0

3.24.09  
Date

  
Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature

AGREEMENT TO EXTEND MOU

Article XXV, Section 1 of the current Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Jackson County, Missouri (the County) and Local No. 42 of the International Association of Fire Fighters (Local 42) provides that the MOU will remain in full force and effect until December 31, 2008.

The County and Local 42 hereby agree to extend the current MOU, except for the Article XVIII provisions related to Annual Compensation, until April 24, 2009, during which time the County and Local 42 will negotiate in good faith in an effort to reach a new agreement. The effective date of such extension shall be January 1, 2009. In the event that the parties reach a new agreement, the provisions of such agreement will be retroactive to January 1, 2009.

*LA Wright*  
LOUIE A. WRIGHT  
President  
For IAFF Local No. 42

*James F. Kanatzar*  
JAMES F. KANATZAR  
Jackson County Prosecutor  
For Jackson County, Missouri

Date: 03/17/09

Date: 03/18/2009

JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

By: *MS Sanders*  
Michael D. Sanders  
County Executive

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: *Mark S. Jones*  
Mark S. Jones  
County Counselor

ATTEST:

By: *Mary Jo Spino*  
Mary Jo Spino  
Clerk of the County Legislature

**FILED**  
MAR 30 2009  
MARY JO SPINO  
COUNTY CLERK