

MEMORANDUM

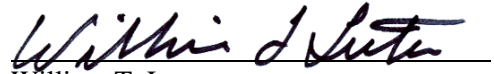
DATE: October 25, 2005  
TO: The Board of Supervisors  
FROM: William T. Luton, Fire Chief  
SUBJECT: Appointment of Local Fire Marshal

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All localities enforcing the *Virginia Statewide Fire Prevention Code (VSFPC)* are required to have a fire official. The appointment of such shall be in a manner selected by the local governing body. The Code of James City County, *Section 9-2 Definitions*, defines the “fire official” as the “fire marshal of the county.” For the purposes of fire code enforcement, the terms “fire official” and “fire marshal” mean the same.

The attached resolution appoints John Black as Fire Marshal for James City County. Captain John Black meets the training and experience requirements. He is a “Virginia Certified Fire Official” through the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development.

Staff recommends approval of the attached resolution.

  
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William T. Luton

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