

Watertown City Council

January 8th, 2019

Agenda Item: Return from Medical Leave**Request for Action: Approve Resolution 2019-11, Approving Return to Duty for Fire Fighter****Department: Ryan Schroeder, Fire Chief****Background:**

The Fire Department Operations Manual provides for up to four three-month medical leave periods from firefighting duties for any illness or injury. Firefighter Roger Roy completed his fourth consecutive three-month medical leave under these guidelines found in section 2.8.1 of the operations manual on January 4th, 2019. He has been cleared to return to work without restrictions by a physician. It is recommended Firefighter Roy return to work on January 5th, 2019.

Attachments:

Resolution 2019-11, approving return to duty for fire fighter.

**CITY OF WATERTOWN
RESOLUTION NO. 2019-11**

RESOLUTION APPROVING RETURN TO DUTY FOR FIRE FIGHTER

WHEREAS, the City of Watertown (the “City”) provides for Medical Leave of up to three months for any illness or injury; and

WHEREAS, approved Medical Leave can be extended for up to three (3) consecutive three (3) month terms following the original three (3) month term;

WHEREAS, this personnel policy provision is provided in the Watertown Fire and Rescue Department Operational Guidelines Manual section 2.8.1; and

WHEREAS, the City granted a request from fire fighter Roger Roy to extend medical leave effective March 5th, 2018 to January 5th, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the City has received clearance for Roger Roy to return to his fire department duties as of January 5th, 2019; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Watertown, Minnesota, hereby approves the request to return to work.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Watertown this 8th day of January, 2019.

Steve Washburn, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Lynn Tschudi, Clerk/Treasurer