STAFF REPORT

Date: July 27, 2016

To: Mayor and City Council

Thru: Andrew Clinger, City Manager

Subject: E.4. Staff Report (For Possible Action): Approval of the Cooperative

Agreement between the Reno-Tahoe Airport Authority and the City of Reno,

on behalf of the Reno Fire Department for mutual aid.

From: Dave Cochran, Fire Chief

City of Reno Strategic Priority Alignment: Strong Financial Condition, Well-Managed Growth, Efficient and Dependable Business Environment

Summary: The Cooperative Agreement between the Reno-Tahoe Airport Authority and the City of Reno, on behalf of the Reno Fire Department, reflects the manner in which cooperative fire protection is carried out during fire emergencies involving the Reno Fire Department and the Reno-Tahoe Airport Authority Fire Department.

Discussion: The Cooperative Agreement outlines common expectations, operating protocols, reimbursement rates and shared responsibilities, mutual aid parameters during fires and other emergencies involving the Reno-Tahoe Airport Authority Fire Department and the City of Reno Fire Department.

Financial Implications: This plan sets the rates in regard to billings and allows for assistance for 12 hours without reimbursement to incidents inside the jurisdictions of the City of Reno and the Reno-Tahoe Airport Authority.

Legal Implications: The Cooperative Agreement is entered into in accordance with applicable law and are binding agreements.

Recommendation: Staff recommends Council approval of the Cooperative Agreement between the City of Reno, on behalf of the Reno Fire Department and the Reno-Tahoe Airport Authority and authorize the Mayor to sign.

Proposed Motion: I move to approve staff recommendation.

Attachments:

 2016 Cooperative Agreement between City of Reno and Airport Authority 7-27-16 (PDF)