



CITY OF PITTSBURGH
BUREAU OF FIRE

TO: Director, Office of Management and Budget
FROM: Mathew Davis, Acting Fire Chief
DATE: July 6, 2026
SUBJECT: Acting Pay Request

I am requesting acting pay for Battalion Chief James Dolan, Battalion Chief, Training Academy, for June 22, 2026; this employee acted as Fire Chief while Acting Fire Chief Mathew Davis and Assistant Fire Chief Brian Kokkila were unavailable.

Per the Acting Pay Policy revised in December 2021, James Dolan "is assuming, on a temporary basis, the duties of a higher-level position when it is absolutely necessary to have an employee immediately available to make pressing decisions that cannot be deferred or referred to a higher level".

Acting Payroll Approval

Employee:	James Dolan
Current Position Title:	Battalion Chief
Acting Position Title:	Fire Chief
Dates:	June 22, 2026
Current Salary and Step & Grade:	\$115,839
Acting Salary and Step & Grade:	\$159,141

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