

MARIPOSA COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 687

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MARIPOSA COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of California does ordain as follows:

SECTION I: Chapter 2.96 entitled "Mariposa County Fire Department" is hereby added to the Mariposa County Code to read in its entirety as follows:

"Chapter 2.96

MARIPOSA COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT

Sections:

- 2.96.010 Department created - department head.
- 2.96.020 Salary and benefits.
- 2.96.030 Staff.
- 2.96.040 Administrative powers and duties.
- 2.96.050 Field line authority.
- 2.96.060 Personnel and equipment.

2.96.010 Department created - department head.

There is hereby created, in and for the County of Mariposa, the Mariposa County Fire Department. This department shall be directed by the county fire chief who shall be appointed by the board of supervisors, shall be a department head, and shall serve at the pleasure of the board of supervisors, and may be removed from office by majority vote of the board at any time.

2.96.020 Salary and benefits.

The compensation of the county fire chief, if any, shall be established by resolution by the board of supervisors; benefits, if any, shall be established by resolution by the board of supervisors.

2.96.030 Staff.

The number of staff, if any, and the compensation for staff, if any, shall be established by resolution by the board of supervisors.

2.96.040 Administrative powers and duties.

The county fire chief shall be responsible to the board of supervisors for: 1) implementing board policy established by the board for the administration of the depart-

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ment, 2) preparing and presenting to the board an annual budget for the operation of the department.

2.96.050 Field line authority.

The fire chief shall be in charge of all field operations as defined by policy adopted by the board of supervisors.

2.96.060 Personnel and equipment.

A county is not obligated to provide a county fire department, county fire warden or fire chief or any firefighting personnel and/or equipment. Mariposa County will provide personnel and equipment to the department based upon the financial ability of the county to so provide as determined by the members of the board of supervisors who are charged with the budgeting process in the county."

SECTION II: This ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days from the date of final passage pursuant to Government Code Section 25123.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of August, 1987 by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County by the following vote:

AYES:	Dalton, Erickson, Radanovich, Taber
NOES:	NONE
ABSENT:	Baggett
ABSTAINED:	NONE



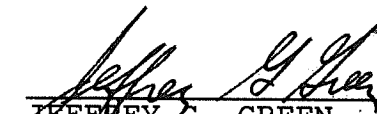
LEROY RADANOVICH, Chairman
Mariposa County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



MARGIE WILLIAMS
Clerk of the Board



JEFFREY G. GREEN
County Counsel