

**ORDINANCE NO. 2019-02**

**AN ORDINANCE ADDING CODE SECTION 32.20(D)  
ESTABLISHING A TECHNICAL RESCUE TEAM  
WITHIN THE OLIVIA FIRE AND RESCUE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, the City of Olivia has established a Fire and Rescue Department; and

WHEREAS, City Staff and the Fire Department leaders have determined that it would be beneficial for the community to establish a specialize rescue team within the Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Olivia, Renville County, State of Minnesota, hereby ordains as follows:

1. Section 32.20 (D) shall be added to the City of Olivia Code of Ordinances as follows:

**§ 32.20**

*(D) Technical Rescue Team.*

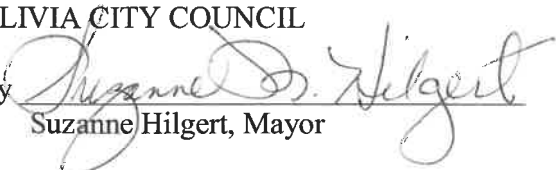
(1) The Fire and Rescue Department may establish a Technical Rescue Team (also known as TRT).

(2) In order to become a member of the TRT, and individual must be a member in good standing of a local fire department, and the individual must be approved by the City Council. Non-Olivia Fire Department members of the TRT will be part of the TRT for TRT purposes only. Members of the TRT are "paid on call" status, and shall be paid at the same rate as regular fire call pay. Olivia Fire Relief Association Retirement Benefits will not be provided to non-Olivia TRT members. TRT members shall be insured the same as all Olivia Fire and Rescue Department members.

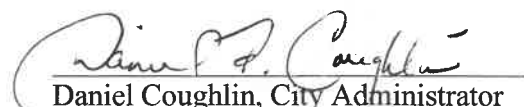
(3) The Olivia Fire and Rescue Department Captains and Chiefs will be in charge of all fire and TRT scenes. TRT members shall abide by the City of Olivia Personnel Policy like all other Fire and Rescue Department members. TRT members shall follow the TRT's operational provisions contained within the TRT Standard Operating Guidelines and Procedures, as approved by the City Council.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 4th DAY OF March, 2019.

OLIVIA CITY COUNCIL

By   
Suzanne Hilgert, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Daniel Coughlin, City Administrator