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To: All Personnel

From: Deputy Chief Greg Godwin *GG55*

Number: District Directive 2022-02

Date: January 4, 2022

Subject: **Omicron COVID-19 Variant Guidelines**

There has been a dramatic increase in positive cases of COVID-19 over the past week. To protect our employees and preserve our work force, the following changes **will take effect immediately and stay in place for thirty (30) days (February 2, 2022)**. This directive will be updated as information becomes available and may be extended past the thirty days.

- **Fire Stations-** All stations will be closed to the public.
- **Public Education-** Public education events will only be done outside with social distancing or N95 masks will be worn. CPR classes will be cancelled.
- **North County Training-** Due to the nature of NCT for January, all crews will be able to participate. Social distancing and N95 masks shall be utilized.
- **Fire Crews-** Crews will social distance whenever possible and are highly encouraged to wear N95 masks while on the apparatus. Proper PPE shall be utilized on emergency calls. N95 masks are highly encouraged when out in public.
- **Front Office-** The office will be closed to the public and office staff shall work from home if possible.

Directive is subject to change.