

ITEM 11  
MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 49  
COUNCIL MEETING Aug. 9/71

11. Re: Firehall No. 6 - Government Road and Brighton.

The 1972 C.I.P. Budget has funds allocated for the erection of Station No. 6, and the purchase of a new 1050 gpm pumper truck for it.

As the area that this Station will serve is expanding very rapidly, we would like to have an architect appointed as soon as possible, with the hope that construction might commence this year so that the building would be completed in 1972.

The property has been purchased and the estimate of cost of the building including furnishings is \$81,000. This will be a 2-bay, one storey structure. It will house a 1050 gpm pumper truck and an aerial platform truck.

We are in the process of preparing specifications for the pumper truck which will be delivered next year, but which will have to be ordered this year. The aerial platform truck will be ordered in 1972, if approved by Council next year, and delivered in 1973.

We feel that we have received good service from Eng and Wright Architects, in the design of our No. 1 Hall and they are familiar with our requirements. They also are familiar with our staff, and their experience on the No. 1 Hall could pay off in dividends to us if they were used on this Station as well.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT authority be granted to engage Eng and Wright to design and supervise the construction of No. 6 Fire Station; and  
THAT the architect be asked to prepare preliminary drawings for consideration.