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Copperas Cove Interim Fire Chief Named – Gary Young

Copperas Cove, Texas – Following the recent resignation of Fire Chief Michael Neujahr, effective September 23, 2022, Copperas Cove City Manager Ryan Haverlah has appointed Deputy Fire Chief & Emergency Management Coordinator Gary Young to serve as the Interim Fire Chief. Mr. Haverlah’s appointment stated in part that this decision was made “in order to maintain continuity of operations and to continue to provide excellence in public safety services.”

Interim Fire Chief Young began employment with the City of Copperas Cove on September 23, 1989, where he has faithfully served the citizens of our community with pride and dedication for the past 33 years. He can be located at Central Fire Station at 415 S. Main Street, and contacted at gyoung@copperascovetx.gov or (254) 547-2514.

Questions or concerns may be directed to Public Relations Director Kevin Keller at kkeller@copperascovetx.gov or (254) 547-4221 x6243.



Gary Young, Interim Fire Chief