

TOWN OF ST. JOHNSBURY

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PRESS RELEASE

FROM:Chad Whitehead, Town ManagerDate:January 4, 2022RE:St Johnsbury Fire Chief- Bradley Reed

Please join me in welcoming and congratulating Bradley Reed as St Johnsbury's next Fire Chief, effective January 7, 2022!

After the Town's recruitment contractor, Municipal Resources Inc. of Plymouth, NH interviewed eight candidates and advanced four for further interview to my office, the selection committee has unanimously agreed that Bradley Reed is the best candidate for the Town of St Johnsbury. Brad has come up through the ranks starting as a call fire fighter in St Johnsbury in 1998, joining the career staff in 2001, becoming an officer in 2006 and appointed as the Assistant Chief in 2018. It is also worth noting that Brad is the fifth member of his family to serve the St Johnsbury Fire Department.

Brad is committed to the Town of St Johnsbury and the Fire Service, and I am confident that he will be a successful leader for the St Johnsbury Fire Department and a great addition to the Town Management Team.