



May 18, 2023

Fire Chief Appointment

The Police and Fire Commission is pleased to announce that a selection has been made for the next Fire Chief of Eau Claire Fire Department. The Commission interviewed four strong candidates for the position and have selected Deputy Chief Matthew Jaggar of the Eau Claire Fire Department to become the City's next Fire Chief.

Matt Jaggar has been with the City of Eau Claire for 24 years, serving in the roles of firefighter, lieutenant, captain, battalion chief and, most recently, Deputy Chief of Operations-Suppression. Jaggar began his career in the firefighting profession in 1994 and for the past 29 years has been an active member, serving multiple fire departments and communities.

Jaggar will begin his duties as Eau Claire's 22nd Fire Chief May 19, 2023. A Swearing-In Ceremony is scheduled for Monday, June 5, at 4:00 pm, at Fire Station #10, located at 820 Malden Avenue, Eau Claire.

Questions about this news release should be addressed to Fire Administration at 715-839-5012.

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