FLINT FIRE DEPARTMENT

Sheldon Neeley
Mayor

Theron S. Wiggins
Fire Chief

Date: November 4, 2026

To: Eddie Smith, Director of Human Resources and Labor Relations
Katrina Slabchuck, Payroll Manager

From: Theron S. Wiggins, Fire Chief

Re: Notification of Resignation

Please accept this letter as formal notification of my resignation from my position as Fire Chief of the City of Flint Fire Department, effective November 30, 2026.

With the transition to a new administration, I recognize that the City of Flint is entering a new chapter with evolving priorities and a new vision for its future. I believe it is in the best interest of both the City and the Fire Department to step aside, allowing the incoming administration the opportunity to establish a leadership team that aligns with its goals and operational priorities.

It has been an honor and privilege to serve as Fire Chief of the City of Flint. I am immensely proud of the progress we have made, and the accomplishments achieved alongside the dedicated men and women of the Flint Fire Department. Throughout my tenure, our commitment to public safety, operational excellence, and serving the residents of Flint has remained steadfast.

During this transition, I remain committed to ensuring a smooth and professional transfer of leadership while maintaining the continuity of essential emergency services.

I extend my sincere gratitude to the members of the Flint Fire Department, City leadership, the Flint City Council, and the residents of Flint for their trust and support throughout my service. I wish the incoming administration and the Fire Department continued success in the years ahead.

Respectfully,

Theron S. Wiggins
Fire Chief
City of Flint Fire Department