



# CITY OF BONNE TERRE

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September 18, 2009

Bonne Terre Fire Department  
Attention: Chief Pratte  
520 N. Division St.  
Bonne Terre, MO 63628

Dear Chief Pratte,

Effective September 28, 2009, the Bonne Terre Fire Department as it is known today will no longer exist. A reorganization of the entire department is necessary in order to establish the type of protection that the citizens of Bonne Terre are entitled to. Therefore, all members of the department will be asked to turn in city owned gear, along with keys to the station house and all city owned equipment. Any equipment owned by individuals should have receipts to prove ownership. No one is exempt. An exact inventory shall be made on September 28, 2009 beginning at 1800 hours, assisted by City officials, and at least one member of the police department.

There are options for those who are interested in being on the Bonne Terre Fire Department. Membership applications will be made available to those wishing to be a member of the department.

The cooperation of the fire department concerning this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Larry Barton  
City Administrator

Cc: Mayor Gower  
Board of Alderman