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From: Chief Jonathan Day, Argyle Volunteer Fire Department

The Argyle Volunteer Fire Department (AVFD) would like to request two pumpers that Clay County has. The AVFD is in need of both pumpers; the pumpers would replace two of our engines one being a 1989 and holding only 500 gallons of water. Due to or financial restraints we are unable to afford to replace these trucks. The AVFD is a small 100% volunteer fire department located in the panhandle of Florida in Walton County. We cover 95 square miles of rule, urban and industrial areas with prison and jail in our district. We run over 650 calls a year and have 47 members. The pumpers will be put into service as soon as possible after needed repairs and stripping is done. We would like to include the donation of the two pumpers to our Facebook and Web site for PR purposes. These trucks would not only help our department but would also help our neighboring departments and counties. We run automatic aid with our surrounding areas and have a good working relationship with them. We do a lot of training and these trucks would greatly help in our efforts to provide the best service to our citizens possible. We drove down the four-hour drive and looked at the two pumpers are confident that we can get these two engines in service and protecting our citizens soon. We would appreciate your consideration of these two trucks.

Sincerely,

Chief Jonathan Day

Argyle Volunteer Fire Department Inc.