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■ **CONTRACT APPROVED**

**FIREFIGHTERS UNION.** Winter Park commissioners unanimously approved a two-year contract Tuesday for 28 firefighters after the union rank and file approved the proposal Monday. The contract does not provide a salary increase but does include extra benefits. For example, during their first year on the job, firefighters can earn 120 hours of vacation instead of the current 111. Firefighters also will receive an eighth holiday that was given other city employees earlier this year and be paid up to \$1,560 more per year for certification in skills other than the basic ones required for the job. The firefighters have been working under a contract the city voted for but the union opposed after negotiations last year reached an impasse.

CITY GOVT: Fire Department