

## Section 4.05

### **Use of Employee Accrued Leave Banks**

The City of Crete requires employees to use accrued paid sick, comp time, and holiday leave when taking family/medical leave. An employee must use all accrued leave except vacation from his or her leave bank while on family/medical leave. Leave shall be drawn from his/her time bank in this order: sick, comp time, holiday, and vacation, except when employee chooses to use Short-Term and/or Long-Term Disability plan benefits, then accrued leave banks will be used according to the plan provider's specifications. If an employee exhausts all accrued sick, comp time, and holiday leave, then the balance of the 12-week family/medical leave period will be unpaid leave, unless the employee chooses to draw upon their vacation leave at his/her option. Once all vacation leave is exhausted or the employee chooses not to utilize vacation leave, then the balance of the 12-week family/medical leave period will be unpaid leave. An employee's use of paid leave for family/medical leave does not extend the 12-week family/medical leave period (or 26-week period for covered service member leave).