



Roll Call Number

Agenda Item Number

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Date February 11, 2013

ACCEPTING US DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND FEMA 2012 ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT AWARD IN THE AMOUNT OF \$80,727 FOR PURCHASE OF PISTON DRIVEN CHEST COMPRESSION DEVICES AND APPROVAL OF GRANT TERMS

WHEREAS, for the 2012 program year, Congress appropriated funds to the Office for Domestic Preparedness, United States Department of Homeland Security and the authority to carry out an initiative to provide assistance to firefighters that is directed to support departments that lack the tools and resources necessary to protect the health and safety of the public and their fire fighting personnel through a Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) 2012 Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) program; and

WHEREAS, on June 25, 2012, by Roll Call No 12-0991, the City Council approved the Fire Department's application for such grant to purchase piston driven chest compression devices; and

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines has been awarded the 2012 AFG in the amount of \$80,727 to be utilized for piston driven chest compression devices, with a required match of \$20,181; and

WHEREAS, by accepting the grant the City also accepts the Grant Agreement Articles and terms of the Obligating Document for Award/Amendment, a copy of which is in the City Clerk's Office; and

WHEREAS, the grant performance period is from December 28, 2012 through December 27, 2013.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the Assistance to Firefighters Grant awarded by the Federal Emergency Management Agency and U.S. Department of Homeland Security is hereby accepted and the Grant Agreement Articles and Obligating Document for Award/Amendment are hereby approved and the Fire Chief or his designee is authorized and directed to provide any reports and to take any and all steps necessary to comply with the grant award terms on behalf of the City.

(Council Communication No. 13-~~04~~)

Moved by _____ to approve.

Approved as to form:

Ann DiDonato

Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

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CERTIFICATE

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

_____ City Clerk