

City of Fayetteville Staff Review Form

2021-0025

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City Council Meeting Date - Agenda Item Only

N/A for Non-Agenda Item

Brad Hardin

1/12/2021

FIRE (300)

Submitted By

Submitted Date

Division / Department

Action Recommendation:

The Fire Department requests approval to apply for the FY 2020 Assistance to Firefighters (AFG) Grant program which, if awarded, would allow for the purchase of two Brush Truck Vehicles to respond to Wildland Urban Interface Fire Responses.

Budget Impact:

Account Number	Fund
Project Number	Project Title
Budgeted Item? <u> No </u>	Current Budget \$ -
	Funds Obligated \$ -
	Current Balance \$ -
Does item have a cost? <u> Yes </u>	Item Cost \$ 30,000.00
Budget Adjustment Attached? <u> No </u>	Budget Adjustment
	Remaining Budget \$ (30,000.00)

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Purchase Order Number: _____

Previous Ordinance or Resolution # _____

Change Order Number: _____

Approval Date: _____

Original Contract Number: _____

Comments: The grant match that is required is 10% which would be approximately \$30,000 paid for from ACT 833 Funds. If the grant is awarded and accepted by Council then a budget adjustment would then occur moving funds into the special grants expense account with a new project number.



MEETING OF FEBRUARY 2, 2021

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Brad Hardin, Fire Chief

DATE: January 12, 2021

SUBJECT: The Fire Department requests approval to apply for the FY 2020 Assistance to Firefighters (AFG) Grant program which, if awarded, would allow for the purchase of two Brush Truck Vehicles to respond to Wildland Urban Interface Fire Responses.

RECOMMENDATION:

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BACKGROUND:

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) administers the Assistance to Firefighters (AFG) Grants. The purpose of the AFG Program is to enhance, through direct financial assistance, the health and safety of firefighting personnel. These Brush Truck Vehicles will allow for enhanced response capabilities specific to wildland and brush fires within our urban interface City surroundings.

DISCUSSION:

The Fire Department would like to utilize this opportunity to submit an application for the AFG grant program to request funding to purchase two brush truck vehicles. These apparatus will ensure quality wildland/brush fire vehicles are available to respond to our city's fire response needs.

BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:

If the grant is awarded, the City would incur the matching grant amount of 10% which will be approximately \$30,000 of the total grant amount requested of \$300,000. The funding for this match will come from ACT 833 Funds.