



MEETING OF JANUARY 31, 2023

TO: Mayor Jordan and City Council
THRU: Brad Hardin, Fire Chief
FROM: Granville Wynn, Financial Analyst - Fire
DATE: January 4, 2023
SUBJECT:

RECOMMENDATION:

To approve the attached Amendment #1 to the previously approved Subrecipient Agreement with the Washington County Regional Ambulance Authority by substituting the attached "Exhibit A: Amended Scope of Work and Project Allocation" for Exhibit A attached to the original contract.

BACKGROUND:

On November 15, 2022, pursuant to Resolution 269-22, the City of Fayetteville and the Washington County Regional Ambulance Authority (WCRAA) entered into a subrecipient agreement to provide funds in the amount of \$757,917 to assist with the purchase of the following items: 22 power load stretcher systems, 4 new ambulances, 1 ambulance remount, and premium pay for essential workers.

DISCUSSION:

WCRAA notified the City that the lead time for acquiring new ambulances is 24-36 months and, because WCRAA had already delayed its normal schedule for ambulance replacement due to loss of revenue during the COVID-19 pandemic, it has fallen behind its normal replacement schedule. WCRAA now proposes to utilize the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds for the purchase of 22 power load stretcher systems, 3 new basic life support (BLS) ambulances, 2 remount ambulances, 2 new advance life support (ALS) ambulances, and premium pay for essential workers.

BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:

This request will be funded by the previously approved budget adjustment of \$757,917.00 per Resolution 269-22.

ATTACHMENTS: Agenda Packet - Amendment 1 - WCRAA Subrecipient Agreement2