



TO: LINDA GORTON, MAYOR
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL

FROM: THERESA REYNOLDS, DIRECTOR
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

DATE: September 30, 2022

SUBJECT: Authorization to Accept Funds from the Citizen’s Fire Academy Alumni Association for Division of Fire and Emergency Services

Request: Council authorization to accept \$3,000 in funding from the Citizen’s Fire Academy Alumni Association (CFAAA), a local non-profit, to purchase materials to build five “training hubs.” No matching funds required.

Purpose of Request: The Citizen’s Fire Academy Alumni Association (CFAAA) has awarded the Division of Fire and Emergency Services – Fire Training Academy \$3,000 to help offset the cost of purchasing materials to construct fire “training hubs” strategically located in each of the five districts. These hubs will accommodate the training needs of the district while eliminating the need for companies to go out of service or travel outside of their first-due district to the Fire Training Academy to utilize training props and maintain their skills. The “hubs” will be constructed using shipping containers and feature a hallway used to practice hose advancement, a forcible entry door, and a roof prop.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? Total cost in FY23 is \$3000. Future funds are dependent upon availability of grant funds.

Are the funds budgeted? Budget amendment is in process.

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Director/Commissioner: Wells/Armstrong

