



obtain funding for Structural Firefighting Personal Protective Equipment, and to accept the grant funding if awarded.

Attachment  
(1) Resolution

RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FIRE DEPARTMENT TO APPLY FOR A GRANT FROM THE US DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FOR \$500,000 TO OBTAIN FUNDING FOR STRUCTURAL FIREFIGHTING PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDING IF AWARDED

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WHEREAS, the City has authority pursuant to N.C.G.S. §160A-17.1 to apply for and receive grants from the State and Federal government, and

WHEREAS, the US Department of Homeland Security is taking applications for the Fiscal Year 2015 AFG grant program for the purpose of providing equipment and tools for firefighters, and

WHEREAS, the Asheville Fire Department wishes to apply for a grant in the amount of \$500,000 to obtain funding for Structural Firefighting Personal Protective Equipment,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE THAT:

The fire department is hereby authorized to apply for the Fiscal Year 2015 AFG grant with the US Department of Homeland Security, for a grant in the amount of \$500,000 to obtain funding for Structural Firefighting Personal Protective Equipment, and to accept grant funding if awarded.

Read, approved and adopted this 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016

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City Clerk

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Mayor

Approved as to form:

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City Attorney