

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY STAFFING FOR ADEQUATE FIRE & EMERGENCY RESPONSE (SAFER) GRANT

Whereas, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security Federal Emergency Management Agency has awarded a Staffing for Adequate Fire & Equipment Response (SAFER) Grant to the Fort Wayne Fire Department in the amount of One Million Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Four Hundred Forty-Six Dollars (\$1,350,446);

Whereas, the SAFER program was created to provide funding to fire departments to help increase the number of trained, front-line firefighters available in their communities;

Whereas, grant funds will be used to cover a portion of the salaries and benefits for ten (10) firefighter positions;

Whereas, the grant requires local match funding over a 36-month grant period;

Whereas, the City would commit to accept and expend the SAFER grant funds for their intended purpose;

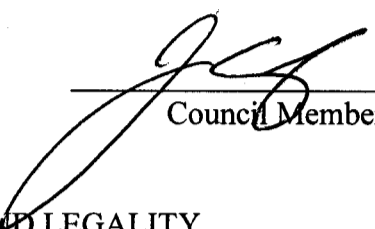
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. That the U.S. Department of Homeland Security Federal Emergency Management Agency Staffing for Adequate Fire & Equipment Response (SAFER) grant award in the amount of One Million Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Four Hundred Forty-Six Dollars (\$1,350,446) be accepted and used to fill ten (10) firefighter positions.

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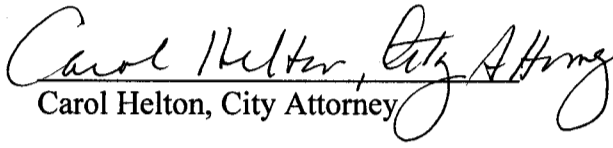
SECTION 2. That the Common Council finds it in the best interest of the City to fund the local match in each of the next three years for the ten (10) firefighter positions.

SECTION 3. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.



Council Member

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY



Carol Helton, City Attorney

by 

Award Status

Congratulations! Your grant application has been selected for an award.

Please review the award package by clicking the link below. Once you have reviewed the award package and are ready to accept the award, the **Primary Point of Contact** must select the "Accept Award" button below, enter the password, check the certification box, and then press the *Accept/Reject Award* button at the bottom of the screen.

Awards made under the **Hiring of Firefighters Category** require the support of your governing body **prior to acceptance** of the award. Therefore, by accepting this award you are confirming that you have discussed this award with your local officials and that there is a clear understanding of the long-term obligations (such as staffing level requirement and no layoffs) of a SAFER grant and that both the department and governing body are committed to fulfilling the requirements of this grant immediately upon acceptance.

FEMA has developed tools and resources to assist recipients with ensuring compliance to grants management policies, procedures and federal regulations. Training is available at <https://www.fema.gov/assistance-firefighters-grants-training-tools>.

If you wish to decline this award, the **Primary Point of Contact** must enter details on the reason for the declination then select the Reject Award option, enter the password, check the certification box, and press the *Accept/Reject Award* button at the bottom of the screen.

Please note that you will have thirty (30) days from the **Award Notification Date** below to either Accept Award or Reject Award. If no action is taken within thirty (30) days the system will retract this notification; if you need additional time please contact the AFG Help Desk at 1-866-274-0960 for instructions.

If you have any additional questions, please contact the AFG Help Desk at 1-866-274-0960.

[View Award Package](#) [Print Award Package](#)

Award Number: EMW-2017-FH-00346
Award Amount: \$1,350,446
Award Notification Date: 08/24/2018

* Indicate your acceptance or rejection:

Accept Award Reject Award

Comments:(* Required if rejected)

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* Password:

* I, Deb Morrone, am hereby providing my signature for this award as of 09/10/2018.

Public Hearing Date: N/A

Read the first time in full and on motion by Councilman Crawford.

Read the second time by title and referred to the Finance Committee.

Read the third time in full and on motion by Councilman Arp, placed on passage by the following vote:

<u>TOTAL VOTES</u>	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAINED</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
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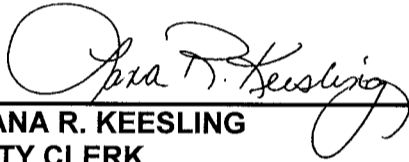
DATED: September 11, 2018




 LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as

Resolution No. R-18-09-10 on the 11th day of September, 2018



 LANA R. KEESLING
 CITY CLERK



 PRESIDING OFFICER

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 12th of September 2018, at the hour of 8:35 o'clock A.M. E.S.T.

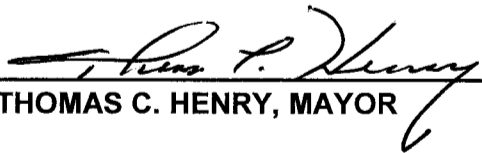


 LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Approved and signed by me this 17th day of SEPTEMBER

2018, at the hour of 9:00 O'clock AM E.S.T.

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 LANA R. KEESLING
 CITY CLERK



 THOMAS C. HENRY, MAYOR

BILL NO. R-18-09-10

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

September 11, 2018

John Crawford Chair

Jason Arp Co-Chair

All Council Members

A Resolution accepting a U.S. Department of Homeland Security Staffing for Adequate Fire & Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant

Total grant amount of \$1,350,446.00

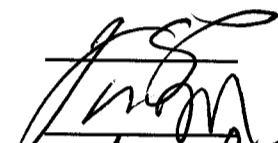
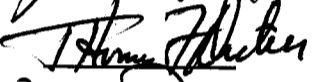




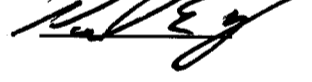
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE HAVE HAD SAID Ordinance under consideration and beg leave to report back to the Common Council that said Ordinance

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DO NOT PASS

ABSTAIN

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**LANA R. KEESLING
CITY CLERK**

