

**RESOLUTION NO. 4707**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF FAIRBANKS TO APPLY FOR FUNDS FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO PURCHASE AN AERIAL PLATFORM**

**WHEREAS**, the United States Department of Homeland Security provides funds through the Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) to meet the firefighting and emergency response needs of fire departments and nonaffiliated emergency medical service organizations; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairbanks Fire Department wishes to continue to upgrade and modernize its fire fleet in order to better serve the public; and


**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairbanks Fire Department wishes to replace an existing 20 year old aerial platform to meet current NFPA standards; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairbanks wishes to request \$1,000,000 to purchase an aerial platform; and

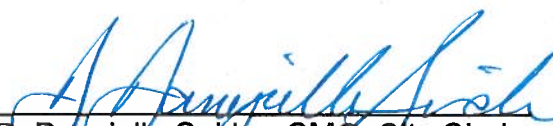
**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairbanks is required to provide a 10% match in the amount of \$100,000 that will be provided from the Fire Department capital fund;


**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council that the Mayor is authorized to execute any and all documents required for requesting funds on behalf of the City for this grant.

**PASSED and APPROVED this 11th day of January 2016.**

  
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**John Eberhart, City Mayor**

AYES: PASSED and APPROVED on the CONSENT AGENDA  
NAYS: None  
ABSENT: None  
APPROVED: January 11, 2016

ATTEST:  
  
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D. Danyielle Snider, CMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
  
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Paul J. Ewers, City Attorney

**CITY OF FAIRBANKS**  
**FISCAL NOTE**

**I. REQUEST:**

Ordinance or Resolution No: 4707

Abbreviated Title: UNITED STATES HOMELAND SECURITY AERIAL PLATFORM GRANT

Department(s): FIRE DEPARTMENT

Does the adoption of this ordinance or resolution authorize:

1) additional costs beyond the current adopted budget?      Yes \_\_\_\_\_      No   x  

2) additional support or maintenance costs?      Yes \_\_\_\_\_      No   x  

If yes, what is the estimate? see below

3) additional positions beyond the current adopted budget?      Yes \_\_\_\_\_      No   x  

If yes, how many positions? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, type of positions? \_\_\_\_\_ (F - Full Time, P - Part Time, T - Temporary)

**II. FINANCIAL DETAIL:**

PROJECTS:	Equipment	Contracts	Personnel OT	Total
Aerial Platform	\$1,100,000			\$1,100,000
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,100,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,100,000</b>

FUNDING SOURCE:	Equipment	Contracts	Personnel OT	Total
U.S. Department of Homeland Security	\$1,000,000			\$1,000,000
Fairbanks Fire Department Capital Fund (Committed)	\$100,000			\$100,000
				\$0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,100,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,100,000</b>

Platform One is a 20 year old fire apparatus with significant maintenance issues. The purchase of a new Platform would result in a reduction of current maintenance and operation costs.

Reviewed by Finance Department:

Initial   mb  

Date   12/28/2015