

Introduced by: Mayor Jim Matherly
Date: November 7, 2016

RESOLUTION NO. 4770

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF FAIRBANKS TO APPLY FOR FUNDS FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO REPLACE THE 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 17 year old aerial platform to meet current NFPA standards; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fairbanks wishes to request \$1,000,000 to replace the 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.

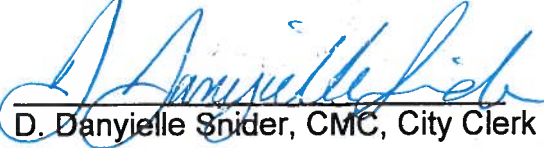
PASSED and APPROVED this 7th Day of November 2016.



Jim Matherly, Mayor

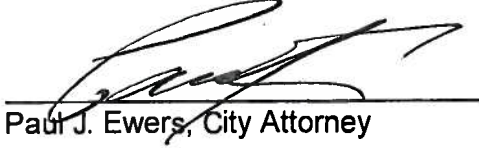
AYES: PASSED and APPROVED on the CONSENT AGENDA
NAYS: None
ABSENT: None
APPROVED: November 7, 2016

ATTEST:



D. Danyielle Snider, CMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM



Paul J. Ewers, City Attorney

**CITY OF FAIRBANKS
FISCAL NOTE**

I. REQUEST:

Ordinance or Resolution No: 4770

Abbreviated Title: UNITED STATES HOMELAND SECURITY AERIAL PLATFORM

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	Total
AERIAL PLATFORM	\$1,100,000			\$1,100,000
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
TOTAL	\$1,100,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,100,000

FUNDING SOURCE:	Equipment	Contracts	Personnel	Total
AFG GRANT	\$1,000,000			
CAPITAL FUND (FIRE DEPARTMENT)	\$100,000			
				\$0
TOTAL	\$1,100,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

The City of Fairbanks plans to replace Platform One. Platform One is 17 years old and has some serious maintenance issues. Each year it takes significant time to prepare it for the required annual pump test and it is almost impossible to find critical replacement parts. The replacement will reduce current maintenance costs. Any operations and maintenance costs associated with this equipment will be incorporated into the Fire Department annual general fund budget.

Reviewed by Finance Department:

Initial cp

Date 11/2/2016