

Introduced by: Mayor Matherly  
Finance Committee: March 3, 2020  
Introduced: March 9, 2020

**RESOLUTION NO. 4905**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF FAIRBANKS TO APPLY  
FOR FUNDS FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
HOMELAND SECURITY FOR THE FFY2019 ASSISTANCE TO  
FIREFIGHTERS GRANT (AFG)**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairbanks has been notified by the United States Department of Homeland Security that the City of Fairbanks is eligible to apply for the Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) Program to enhance operations and safety; and

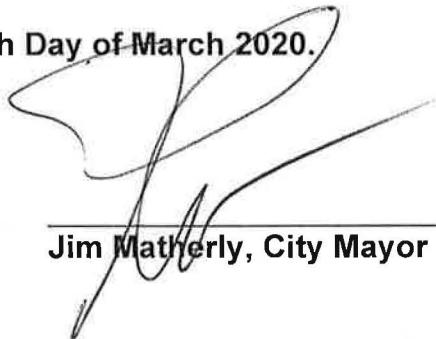
**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairbanks plans to use the funds to purchase three ambulance gurney loading systems with powered cots and to provide paramedic training to include tuition and backfill for two firefighters; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairbanks plans to request \$346,100, and a 10% match is required; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairbanks is providing a match in the amount of \$13,000 from the Capital Fund and \$21,610 from the General Fund.

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

**PASSED and APPROVED this 9th Day of March 2020.**

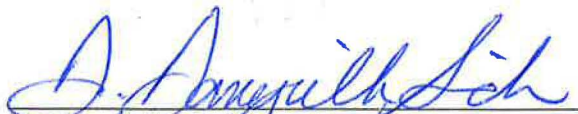


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**Jim Matherly, City Mayor**

AYES: PASSED and APPROVED on the CONSENT AGENDA  
NAYS: None  
ABSENT: None  
APPROVED: March 9, 2020

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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D. Danyelle Snider, CMC, City Clerk  
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Paul J. Ewers, City Attorney

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

**I. REQUEST:**

Ordinance or Resolution No: 4905

Abbreviated Title: FFY2019 AFG GRANT PROGRAM

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:**

<b>PROJECT EXPENSES:</b>	<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Contracts</b>	<b>Personnel</b>	<b>Total</b>
Ambulance Gurney Loading Systems	\$130,000			\$130,000
Paramedic Training (Tuition & Backfill)		\$61,100	\$155,000	\$216,100
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$130,000</b>	<b>\$61,100</b>	<b>\$155,000</b>	<b>\$346,100</b>

<b>FUNDING SOURCE:</b>	<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Contracts</b>	<b>Personnel</b>	<b>Total</b>
United States Department of Homeland Security	\$117,000	\$54,990	\$139,500	\$311,490
City of Fairbanks Capital Fund	\$13,000			\$13,000
City of Fairbanks General Fund		\$6,110	\$15,500	\$21,610
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$130,000</b>	<b>\$61,100</b>	<b>\$155,000</b>	<b>\$346,100</b>

The Ambulance Gurney Loading System with powered cots will reduce lifting injuries to firefighters. The maintenance cost will be included in the Fire Department's annual General Fund budget. Paramedic training would be provided for two currently staffed firefighters.

Reviewed by Finance Department: Initial cp Date 3/2/2020