

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-10-075R

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT PROGRAM (AFG) FUNDING FROM THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana (“City”) is a home rule unit of local government pursuant to Article VII, Section 6, of the Illinois Constitution, 1970, and may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs, and the passage of this Resolution constitutes an exercise of the City’s home rule powers and functions as granted in the Illinois Constitution, 1970; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana Fire Department is committed to protecting the health and safety of the public and firefighting personnel against fire and fire-related hazards; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana Fire Department has applied to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, United States Department of Homeland Security, for a grant to assist with these efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency, United States Department of Homeland Security has approved a \$98,181.81 grant for the city; and

WHEREAS, said grant will be used to reimburse the City of Urbana for expenditures related to training and requires the city to contribute non-Federal funds equal to or greater than 10% of the total award amount; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, after due consideration, finds that the acceptance of the grant, promotes the fiscal welfare of the City, is in the best interests of the residents of the City, and is desirable for the welfare of the City’s government and affairs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council, of the City of Urbana, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1.

The City of Urbana, Illinois, hereby accepts the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program (AFG) from the Federal Emergency Management Agency, United States Department of Homeland Security in the amount of \$98,181.81.

Section 2.

The Mayor of the City of Urbana, Illinois, be and the same is hereby authorized to execute and deliver and the City Clerk of the City of Urbana, Illinois, be and the same is hereby authorized to attest to said execution of said agreement and all other documents necessary for the City to accept such grant as so authorized and approved for on and behalf of the City of Urbana, Illinois.

Section 3.

From and after the execution and delivery of such agreement, the Fire Chief, or his designee, is hereby authorized and directed to perform all acts necessary on behalf of the City of Urbana to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 10th day of October, 2022.

AYES: Wu, Evans, Hursey, Kolisetty, Bishop, Wilken, Quisenberry

NAYS: None

ABSTENTIONS: None


Phyllis D. Clark
Phyllis D. Clark, City Clerk

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR this 10th day of October, 2022.

Diane Wolfe Marlin
Diane Wolfe Marlin, Mayor