Introduced by: Mayor David Pruhs Introduced: December 16, 2024

RESOLUTION NO. 5150

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF FAIRBANKS TO APPLY FOR FUNDS FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FOR THE FFY2024 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 for the purchase of a heavy rescue unit (\$2,000,000); and

WHEREAS, the AFG designates heavy rescue units as a high priority item to be funded under this program; and

WHEREAS, a 10% match is required to be provided by the Capital 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 for requesting funds on behalf of the City for the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the effective date of this resolution is six days after adoption.

PASSED and APPROVED this 16th Day of December 2024.

David Pruhs, City Mayor

AYES:

PASSED and APPROVED on the CONSENT AGENDA

NAYS:

None

ABSENT:

None

APPROVED: December 16, 2024

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

D. Danvielle Snider, MMC, City Clerk

Thomas A. Chard II, City Attorney

CITY OF FAIRBANKS **FISCAL NOTE** I. REQUEST: Ordinance or Resolution No: 5150 Abbreviated Title: FFY2024 Assistance to Firefighters Grant FFD Department(s): Does the adoption of this ordinance or resolution authorize: 1) additional costs beyond the current adopted budget? Yes _____ 2) additional support or maintenance costs? If yes, what is the estimate? see below No X 3) additional positions beyond the current adopted budget? Yes If yes, how many positions?_____ If yes, type of positions? _____ (F - Full Time, P - Part Time, T - Temporary) II. FINANCIAL DETAIL: PROJECTS: Training Equipment Personnel Total Heavy Rescue Unit \$0 \$2,000,000 \$2,000,000 \$0 \$2,000,000 \$0 \$2,000,000 **FUNDING SOURCE:** Training Equipment Personnel Total \$0 \$1,800,000 \$0 \$1,800,000 Grant Funds (Federal) \$0 \$200,000 \$0 \$200,000 Capital Fund TOTAL \$0 \$2,000,000 \$2,000,000 The operations and maintenance costs associated with the unit will be performed by PW and incorporated into the General Fund Budget. The heavy rescue can aid in performing a range of operations such as vehicle extrication, car fire suppression, high and low-angle rescues and water rescues.

Reviewed by Finance Department:

Initial sf

Date 12/6/2024