

# City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Fire

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: October 19, 2020

Re: Acceptance of Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation Grant

### **Executive Summary**

The Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation grant has awarded the Columbia Fire Department (12) High Rise Kits & Accessories valued up to \$11,940.00. This request is to accept the award.

#### Discussion

CFD applied for and was awarded the Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation grant. The purpose of the Foundation is to provide funding resources, lifesaving equipment, prevention education, training and disaster relief support to first responders and public safety organizations. CFD requested (12) High Rise Kits & Accessories in the grant proposal.

The equipment is vital due to a surge in multi-story student housing and large commercial property construction in the city. The University of Missouri campus also has a large number of multi-story residential and educational facilities. The equipment requested in this grant will be used along with Standard Operating Guidelines for firefighting operations in high hazard and high rise structures.

### Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: None. Long-Term Impact: None

## Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

#### Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Public Safety, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

#### Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Legislative History	
Date	Action
N/A	N/A

# Suggested Council Action

Staff recommends acceptance of the grant award.