



City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Fire

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: June 5, 2023

Re: Acceptance of Mid-Missouri Regional Planning Commission FY22 SHSP Region F RHSOC Grant

Executive Summary

The Mid-Missouri Regional Planning Commission FY22 SHSP Region F RHSOC Grant has been awarded to the Columbia Fire Department (CFD) in the amount of \$105,813.00 for Hazmat Detection Equipment. This request is to accept the award.

Discussion

The Fire Department applied for and was awarded an equipment grant totaling \$105,813.00 for the procurement of Hazmat Detection Equipment. The purchase of this equipment will support project objectives that will sustain and enhance Region F Hazmat WMD/CBRNE response and decontamination capabilities by replacing HazMat ID and Raman spectroscopy equipment that is no longer supported by the manufacturer, and to ensure that capabilities are maintained for several years to come. This project supports implementation of Presidential Policy Directive PPD-8 National Preparedness and Whole Community Approach guidelines. The CFD Hazmat response team responds to all local and regional requests for Hazmat response including but not limited to acts of terrorism, WMD, and CBRNE. Missouri state government, infrastructure, and state emergency management headquarters are all located within Region F. CFD maintains 24-hr staffing of the Hazmat response team sharing redundant capability with the Cole County Emergency Response Team for response to all local and regional requests for Hazmat response.

The future sustainment plan for this project involves system calibration and updates obtained from the manufacture as needed via the original procurement expenditure. CFD personnel will maintain the devices for operational readiness and provide staffing for deployment.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: Maintain the devices and provide staffing for deployment.

Long-Term Impact: Maintain the devices and provide staffing for deployment.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

[Strategic Plan Impacts:](#)

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

[Comprehensive Plan Impacts:](#)

Primary Impact: Inter-Governmental Cooperation, Secondary Impact: Environmental Management, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable



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Legislative History

Date	Action
N/A	N/A

Suggested Council Action

Staff recommends acceptance of the grant award.