



City Commission Agenda Item

Meeting Date: May 2, 2023
From: Patrick Ramirez, Fire/EMS Department
Item: Purchase Four (4) Hunter 16' Industrial Fans

Purpose: A Resolution authorizing the City of Arkansas City to purchase four (4), 16-foot industrial fans from Hunter Fan Company, for an amount not to exceed \$19,984.00. **(Voice Vote)**

Background:

Currently, the Fire/EMS building has no way of moving air through the bays during the summer and winter months. This causes wear on the equipment stored in the bays, specifically the ambulances that carry medications that have to be kept within a certain temperature range. The Hunter fans in both the north and south bays will help alleviate the extreme summer and winter temperatures with air circulation.

In June 2022, the Fire/EMS Department received \$17,511.51 in HRSA Stimulus funds. The funds can be used for acquiring additional resources, including facilities, equipment, supplies, healthcare practices, staffing, and technology to expand or preserve care delivery. The funds have to be expended by June 30, 2023. We are requesting to use these available funds towards the purchase of the fans.

We compared 3 similar fans and determined Hunter to be the best choice due to features and price.

Commission Options:

1. Approve the Resolution
2. Disapprove the Resolution
3. Table the Resolution for further discussion

Fiscal Impact:

Amount: **\$19,984.00**

Fund: **01 (General)** Department: **310 (Fire)** Expense Code: **7204 (Building Materials & Repairs)**

Included in budget Grant Bonds Other Not Budgeted

\$17,511.51 HRSA Stimulus Funds and \$2,472.49 budgeted funds

Approved for Agenda by:

Randy Frazer, City Manager