

## **Public Safety Committee Meeting**

February 14, 2023

Grant Approval FY 2022 Hazmat Grant

**Department:** Fire

**Presenter:** 

Caption: Motion to approve the Agreement with Georgia Emergency Management

& Homeland Security Agency and approve acceptance of the grant award in the amount of \$30,000 (Grant No. 14) and authorized the Mayor to

execute all required documents.

**Background:** The Augusta Fire Department Hazardous Materials (HAZMAT) Response

Team is comprised of firefighters who specialize in detecting, containing, and removing any release or potential release of hazardous substances to control or stabilize an incident. Specialized equipment and training are required to maintain certifications and a high level of service to the citizens

of Augusta.

**Analysis:** GEMA Grant 14 will provide necessary equipment and training for members

of the Augusta Fire Department HAZMAT team to successfully execute their

duties in the event of a major disaster.

**Financial Impact:** N/A

**Alternatives:** None at this time

**Recommendation:** Approve the Motion to approve the Agreement with Georgia Emergency

Management & Homeland Security Agency and approve acceptance of the grant award in the amount of \$30,000 (Grant No. 14) and authorized the

Mayor to execute all required documents.

Funds are available in N/A

the following accounts:

**REVIEWED AND** N/A

APPROVED BY: