

## **Meeting Name**

Meeting Date: 11/26/2024

Grant Award - FY 2024 Hazmat

**Department:** Fire

**Presenter:** Antonio Burden, Fire Chief/EMA Director

Caption: Motion to approve the Agreement with Georgia Emergency Management &

Homeland Security Agency and approve acceptance of the grant award in the

amount of \$9,000 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:** This grant 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: N/A

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 \$9,000 and authorized the Mayor to execute all

required documents.

Funds are available in N/A

the following accounts:

**REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY:** 

Antonio Burden, Fire Chief/EMA Director