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## AGENDA ITEM SUBMISSION FORM

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Requestor Name:	Shook, Daniel	_ Date Submitted: _	06/28/2023
	Last, First		MM/DD/YYYY
Requestor Type:	City Staff	Meeting Date:	07/11/2023
	Citizen/City Staff/Council Member		MM/DD/YYYY
Position Title	Fire Marshal For City Staff Only		
Agenda Location:	Grant application request		
	(e.g.: Consent Agenda/ Discussion Item/ Public Hea	ring/ Executive Session/ Pr	esentation)

## Agenda Content:

Discuss, consider, and/or approve the Fire Marshall to apply for an LCRA Community Development grant seeking funding for pagers for use by all county Volunteer Fire Departments.

## **Executive Summary of Item:**

I would like to apply for an LCRA grant. I will be requesting \$50,000 in funds from the grant, which is a 20% match (to be split with the county). The application period is July 1, 2023, until July 31, 2023. The funds would purchase new pagers for the fire departments. The purchase of the pagers would allow responding volunteer firefighters to be notified of an incident and respond to that incident. Currently, the systems used are not reliable, especially for the departments outside of a 10-mile radius around Bay City. The new pagers would utilize the current P25 radio system used throughout the county, instead of a single radio tower in the middle of Bay City. The purchase of these pagers would also eliminate the cost of a fiber line from Bay City PD to the tower on Starling.