



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

DATE: February 26,2025

AGENDA OF: March 10, 2025

DEPARTMENT: Police

SUBJECT: TDEM HMGP 4798 Hurricane Beryl Grant – Police Department Generator

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Accept and approve the resolution for the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program under FEMA for a new police department generator. The Police Department is requesting \$60,204.87 in grant funding from the Texas Department of Emergency Management. This will supply a new generator capable of supplying the police department with emergency power and meeting guidelines from the Medina County Hazard Mitigation Program.

BACKGROUND:

The police department was invited to a meeting that discussed grant funds and how an agency should proceed in an attempt to get funding and be better prepared for disasters. Our current generator is extremely old and has had mechanical issues in the past. The purpose of this grant is derived from FEMA as part of its overarching theme to be prepared for natural disasters after the events of Hurricane Beryl(2024). Through this grant local governments are able to request funding for programs that impact essential services during power outages.

FISCAL IMPACT: No impact on the city beyond fronting the cost for the generator in the amount of \$60,204.87. The grant allows for the reimbursement of this item. Multiple bids were received, and the department chose the most economical of the three.

1	GENERAC 60KW DIESEL GENERATOR & 200A ATS. FREIGHT & STARTUP INCLUDED	\$41,439.02
1	ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION FOR EITHER GENERATOR OPTION ABOVE. INSTALLATION INCLUDES ALL WIRING, ALL CONNECTIONS, SETTING OF NEW GENERATOR AND 100GALLONS OF FUEL FOR STARTUP. SETTING EXISTING GENERATOR ON BLOCKS FOR OWNER TO HAUL OFF.	\$18,765.85
	Total	\$60,204.87

☐ Budgeted ☐ Requires Budget Amendment

SOURCE OF FUNDING: Grant Funded

ATTACHMENTS: N/A

Urgency (0-5 = Low Urgency to High Urgency): 1

Impact (0-5 = Low Impact to High Impact): 1

Submitted by: **Chief James Kohler**