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## City Council Agenda Item

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**Subject:** Council Discussion to Accept SHSP FY2020 Grant from GEMA

**Submitted By:** Latosha Clemons, Fire Chief

**Date Submitted:** February 9, 2022

**Work Session Date:** February 21, 2022

**Council Meeting Date:** February 21, 2022

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**Background/History:**

The fire department and EMA division applied for a grant available through the Georgia Emergency Management Agency and Homeland Security office, named the "State Homeland Security Program" or SHSP for short. The department was awarded a total of \$36,523 for two separate projects from SHSP FY2020 funding. One project, "HazMat", was awarded \$30,800 and the other project, "GSAR", was awarded \$5,723. This grant is 100% reimbursed by the State and will assist the department in obtaining a portion of the necessary and required equipment for safe operations in these areas.

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**Cost: \$ \$36,523**

**Budgeted for:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes**  **No**

**Financial Impact:**

Financial Impact: The City will provide initial cost until reimbursement from the State. These Grants are 100% Reimbursed by the State. No long- term financial impact on the City.

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**Action Requested from Council:**

Approval During Regular Council Meeting