



CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE ORDINANCE

MEETING DATE: 07/21/2026

PRESENTER: Ray Cerda, Director of Parks, Arts & Recreation Department

TITLE: Ordinance amending the FY2025/FY2026 Prairie Lights Operating Fund for the purpose of allowing an increase in expenditures in the amount of \$108,286; Cooperative Contract with Multiquip Inc for the purchase of a generator and related accessories for Prairie Lights for a total amount of \$108,286, through a master cooperative agreement with Sourcewell

REVIEWING COMMITTEE: (Reviewed by the Finance and Government on 07/07/2026)

SUMMARY:

<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
Multiquip Inc.	\$108,286.00

PURPOSE OF REQUEST:

The one-time purchase of a backup generator and related accessories for Prairie Lights would provide emergency power during electrical outages that may occur while the event is in operation. During the 2025 season, Prairie Lights experienced multiple instances of partial power loss, creating operational challenges and placing the continuity of the event at risk. A backup generator, which will be onsite and readily available for use, will ensure critical event infrastructure remains functional during power disruptions, allowing the event to continue operating safely and efficiently. This investment will help protect a significant revenue-generating event, minimize service interruptions to guests, and reduce the potential financial impact associated with temporary closures or event downtime resulting from power outages.

State purchasing laws authorize local governments to enter into joining contracts or participate in a cooperative purchasing program with another local government or local cooperative organization for the performance of governmental functions normally associated with the operation of government such as purchasing necessary materials and supplies. In lieu of competitive bidding, items and services may be purchased through such agreements as the agreements have already been bid or procured by the sponsoring entity or agency. The City of Grand Prairie has master cooperative agreements with various entities, including NCPA, Sourcewell, TIPS, BuyBoard and OMNIA Partners Cooperatives. This item or service is being purchased through Sourcewell Cooperative Contract # #020923-MTQ, which expires 04-20-27.

Upon review of several master cooperative agreements available to the City, the selected vendor’s pricing was determined to be the best available value. The Department conferred with the vendor and it was determined no additional discounts are available beyond the already negotiated cooperative rates.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION:

Budgeted?	☐	Fund Name:	Prairie Lights Fund
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ATTACHMENTS / SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

1- Quote

BODY

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 11762-2025 FOR THE FY 2025/2026 OPERATING BUDGET REFLECTED IN THE SECTIONS BELOW:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. Budgets for FY 2025/2026, submitted by the City Manager and adjusted by the Council, are hereby incrementally amended for the following funds:

Fund	Revenue	Expenditure
	Increase (Decrease)	Increase (Decrease)
Prairie Lights Fund	\$0	\$108,286

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 21 DAY OF JULY 2026.