



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: 1/10/2022

AGENDA ITEM: Consider authorizing staff to apply for amended HMEP grant from the MN Department of Public Safety

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BACKGROUND:

The Grand Rapids Fire Department previously went to council on 9/27/2021 to apply for a HMEP grant for Hazardous Materials Response Team, which is an 80/20 match. The State Fire Marshal has asked teams going to the 2022 Cold Zone conference to amend the HMEP grant to include this conference. The twenty percent funding match is accounted for within the Hazmat team contract budget from the State and does not affect its regular budget.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion to authorize staff to amend the HMEP grant from the Department of Public Safety and authorize the required signatures for the grant.