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RICHARD DUFFANY, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SAFETY



TO: Hamburg Township Board
FROM: Chief Richard Duffany
DATE: January 31, 2024
RE: Agenda Item Topic: **Fire Grant Application**
General Ledger #: N/A
Number of Supporting Documents: N/A
NEW/OLD BUSINESS: **XXX** New Business

Requested Action

- Motion to authorize Hamburg Township Fire to participate in a regional grant application for portable radios.

Background

It is the intent of the various Livingston County fire agencies to submit a regional grant application for new Motorola portable radios. Hamburg Township Fire has 17 portable radios that are at or near the end of their life cycle and need to be replaced. The total cost per radio package is \$7,000 which includes radio, charger, 2 batteries and a lapel mic. (17 radios x \$7,000 = \$119,000)

There is a 10% match requirement for the proposed grant. As such, our out of pocket cost for the radios would be \$11,900. In addition, there is a \$250 per radio surcharge from the State of Michigan for programming the radios bringing our total cost for this project to \$16,150.

Budget Impact

The department's share of the cost (\$16,150) wouldn't be incurred until after receipt of the radios which is not expected to occur until FY 24/25. As such, it is my intent to include this expenditure in the proposed FY 24/25 budget.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Richard Duffany".

Chief Richard Duffany
Director of Public Safety