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**MEETING TYPE:** Board of Alderman

**DATE:** July 15, 2024

**SUBMITTED BY:** Jason Smith, Fire Chief

**ITEM TYPE:** Consideration

**AGENDA SECTION:** Consent Agenda

**SUBJECT:** **Consider Approval for the Fire Department to Apply for the Norfolk Southern Public Safety Grant**

### **DETAILS:**

The Norfolk Southern Safety-First Grant provides grants to entities within their 22-State Network that have operations. This grant is open to Fire, EMS, and Police agencies and helps provide funding for training and equipment.

The Fire Department is requesting to apply for \$15,000 dollars in Grant Funding for scene lighting equipment, which includes a battery powered tripod, and a small portable light. The request also includes SuperVac's 16" DeWalt battery powered positive pressure ventilation fan. All these tools are compatible with our other DeWalt powered equipment currently used on our other trucks. This funding does not require a match on the Town's behalf. This equipment will be used to outfit the new fire engine.