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MEMORANDUM **Chandler Fire, Health & Medical**

DATE: NOVEMBER 10, 2016

TO: MAYOR AND COUNCIL

THRU: MARSHA REED, CITY MANAGER MR

FROM: THOMAS DWIGGINS, FIRE CHIEF TD

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION NO. 5010 AUTHORIZING A GRANT AGREEMENTWITH the ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FOR THE COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT) TRAINING IN THE AMOUNT OF $17,000

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends City Council pass and adopt Resolution No. 5010, authorizing the City to enter into a Grant Agreement with the Arizona Department of Homeland Security (AZDOHS) for the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Training in the amount of $17,000.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION: The City of Chandler established a Community Emergency Response Team in 2003 with federal funding from the State Homeland Security Grant program. This program ensures Fire, Health & Medical Department personnel are prepared and equipped to train the community how to respond to large scale emergencies, terrorist events, and natural and/or man-made disasters. The above listed award is being made under the 2014 State Homeland Security Grant Program. The purpose of the award is to provide equipment and training to sustain this emergency preparedness program.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: These grants have no match requirements. Chandler Fire, Health & Medical has the appropriation allocation in the FY 2016/17 Budget.

PROPOSED MOTION: Move that City Council pass and adopt Resolution No. 5010, authorizing the City to enter into a Grant Agreement with the Arizona Department of Homeland Security (AZDOHS) for the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Training in the amount of $17,000.

Attachments:

1. Resolution No. 5010

RESOLUTION NO. 5010

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHANDLER, ARIZONA, PERTAINING TO THE ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT FROM THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY UNDER THE HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM ENTITLED MEDICAL CERT 2016.

WHEREAS: The Arizona Department of Homeland Security (AZDOHS) through the 2014 State Homeland Security Grant Program provides financial assistance directly to fire departments to ensure that they are prepared and equipped to respond to large scale emergencies, terrorist events and natural and/or man-made disasters.

WHEREAS: The City of Chandler Fire, Health & Medical Department (CFHMD) established a Rapid Response Team and Terrorism Liaison Officer program in 2003 with federal funding from the AZDOHS and the grant funds would provide for Medical CERT 2016 Training.

WHEREAS: The CFHMD submitted a request for grant funding to the AZDOHS for additional training for CFHMD's Rapid Response Team.

WHEREAS: The AZDOHS has informed the CFHMD that it is eligible for $17,000 with no matching requirement.

WHEREAS: The CFHMD has determined that it can comply with the terms of the Grant Application Agreement.

NOW, THERFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chandler, Arizona follows:

1. THAT the City shall accept the Medical CERT 2016 grant funds from the AZDOHS in the amount of $17,000, and comply with the Grant Agreement requirements associated with such grant.

2. THAT the CFHMD Fire Chief take such actions necessary to implement the provisions of this Resolution No. 5010.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Council of the City of Chandler, Arizona this _____ day of _____, 2016

ATTEST:

_____ _____

City Clerk **Mayor**

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing Resolution No. 5010 was duly passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Chandler, Arizona, at the regular meeting held on the _____ day of _____ 2016, and that a quorum was present thereat.

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City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney