TO: The Honorable Gina Driscoll, Chair, and Members of City Council

SUBJECT: A resolution approving the State-Funded Award and Grant Agreement between the City of St. Petersburg, Florida (“City”) and the Department of Financial Services (“Department”) for the City to receive funding in an amount not to exceed $18,308.05 as an award through the Department’s Firefighter Cancer Decontamination Grant Program (the “Agreement); approving a supplemental appropriation in the amount of $18,308.05 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these additional grant revenues, to the Fire Rescue Department, Fire Suppression Division (150-1497); authorizing the Mayor or his designee to execute the Agreement and all other documents necessary to receive this funding; and providing an effective date.

EXPLANATION: The Florida Legislature created the Firefighter Cancer Decontamination Equipment Grant Program within the Division of State Fire Marshal to provide financial assistance to help career fire departments, combination fire departments, and volunteer fire departments procure equipment, supplies, and training designed to mitigate exposure to hazardous, cancer-causing chemicals.

The Department has determined the City is eligible for funding in an amount not to exceed $18,308.05 to purchase one bunker gear extractor pursuant to the Agreement.

The anticipated total project cost is approximately $24,410.73, and the grant will provide seventy-five percent (75%) with the City contributing the other twenty-five percent (25%).

RECOMMENDATION: Administration recommends City Council approve the State-Funded Award and Grant Agreement between the City and the Department for the City to receive funding in an amount not to exceed $18,308.05 as an award through the Department’s Firefighter Cancer Decontamination Grant Program, a supplemental appropriation in the amount of $18,308.05 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these additional grant revenues, to the Fire Rescue Department, Fire Suppression Division (150-1497), and authorize the Mayor or his designee to execute the Agreement and all other documents necessary to receive this funding.

COST/FUNDING/ASSESSMENT INFORMATION: Revenues on a reimbursement basis in the amount of $18,308.05 will be received from the Department and deposited in the General Fund (0001). Funds for the city portion of the project have been previously appropriated in the General Fund (0001), Fire Rescue Department, Fire Suppression Division (150-1497). Grant funds will be available after the approval of a supplemental appropriation in the amount of $18,308.05 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these additional grant revenues, to the Fire Rescue Department, Fire Suppression Division (150-1497).
ATTACHMENT: Resolution

Approvals:

Administration: ____________________________ Budget: ____________________________

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WHEREAS, the Florida Legislature created the Firefighter Cancer Decontamination Equipment Grant Program within the Division of State Fire Marshal to provide financial assistance to help career fire departments, combination fire departments, and volunteer fire department procure equipment, supplies, and training designed to mitigate exposure to hazardous, cancer-causing chemicals; and

WHEREAS, the Department determined the City is eligible for funding in an amount not to exceed $18,308.05 to purchase one bunker gear extractor pursuant to the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the anticipated total project cost is approximately $24,410.73, and the grant will provide seventy-five percent (75%) with the City contributing the other twenty-five percent (25%); and

WHEREAS, Administration recommends approval.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida that the State-Funded Award and Grant Agreement between the City and the Department for the City to receive funding in an amount not to exceed $18,308.05 as an award through the Department’s Firefighter Cancer Decontamination Equipment Grant Program is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby approved from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these additional grant revenues, the following supplemental appropriation for FY23:
General Fund
Fire Rescue Department, Fire Suppression Division (150-1497) $18,308.05

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor or his designee is authorized to execute the Agreement and all other documents necessary to receive this funding.

This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Approvals:

City Attorney (Designee)  

Administration:  

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