



Agenda Item Summary Sheet

Item No: **E-6**
Meeting Date: **February 3, 2021**

Item Title: Consideration of request to apply for Assistance to Firefighter Grant

Item Summary:

The 2020 Assistance to Firefighter Grant (AFG) program is a 95/5 grant; 95% funding coming from the federal government and the 5% match from the applicant. The AFG will offer us an opportunity to replace our hydraulic rescue equipment with an updated and more reliable version.

Please see attached memo from Fire Chief Randy Wells with additional details. Upgrading with the newer technology would allow an increase in performance and provide citizens/visitors with potentially better outcomes.

This project does not currently exist in the fire department's requested CIP Capital Budget, I am asking that I be permitted to pursue this opportunity and add it to the department's CIP for 2021.

Number of Attachments: 1

Specific Action Requested:

Request Board authorization to apply for Firefighter Grant.

Submitted By: Randy Wells, Fire Chief

Date: January 28, 2021

Finance Officer Comment:

If the grant is approved, the Town's share would be \$7,405.48 which could be added to the department's CIP for 2021.

Signature: Amy Miller

Date: January 28, 2021

Town Attorney Comment:

N/A

Signature: John Leidy

Date: January 28, 2021

Town Manager Comment and/or Recommendation:

I concur with staff's request.

Signature: Greg Sparks

Date: January 28, 2021