



ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
GRANT FOR
HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RESPONSE EQUIPMENT

RS-18-077

September 4, 2018

Haz-Mat Response Equipment

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- State grant through Office of the Governor (OOG), Homeland Security
- The equipment will replace outdated equipment currently used on the Haz-Mat Response Vehicle
 - ▣ ChemPro 100i and Level A Haz-Mat suits
 - ▣ Equipment detects chemical warfare agents
 - ▣ Allows entry into dangerous environments
 - ▣ Equipment enhances KFD capabilities
- Grant amount is \$22,626.67

Grant Resolution Requirement

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- Authorization by the governing body for the submission of the application to OOG
- A commitment to provide all applicable matching funds
 - ▣ None required for this project
- Designation of authorized official with the authority to ensure City will comply with all grant assurances

Alternatives

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□ Alternatives Considered

1. Decline OOG grant

- Results in decreased Haz-Mat capability

2. Accept OOG grant

□ Staff recommends Alternative 2

- Conforms to City of Killeen grant policy
- Increases KFD Haz-Mat capabilities
- Modernizes Haz-Mat testing equipment
- Provides increased protection for KFD firefighters

Recommendation

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- City Council accept the grant and authorize the City Manager or designee to execute the necessary grant documents and any and all amendments within amounts set by state and local law