

October 12, 2022

MEMORANDUM TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council
THRU: Charles P. Potucek, City Manager
FROM: Brian Jones, Fire Chief
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AGENDA ITEM PLACEMENT
RESOLUTION 2022-073, Support for Tohono O'odham
grant application and award

RECOMMENDATION:

The City Manager recommends approval.

BACKGROUND:

The Sierra Vista Fire and Medical Services (SVFMS) submitted a grant application of \$17,000 for Medical Chest Compression Device on June 08, 2022, and received the grant award on September 22, 2022 from the Tohono O'odham Nation. The funding of this project will increase survival rates of patients suffering from an Out of Hospital Cardiac Arrest (OHCA) emergency

FISCAL IMPACT:

None



Tohono O'odham Nation
Office of the
Chairman and Vice Chairwoman

Ned Norris Jr. Wavalene M. Saunders
Chairman Vice Chairwoman



September 22, 2022

Mr. Michael McKearney
Paramedic, EMS Division
Sierra Vista Fire and Medical Services
675 Giulio Cesare
Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

Dear Mr. McKearney,

I am pleased to inform you that your proposal submitted on behalf of Sierra Vista Fire and Medical Services was selected by the Tohono O'odham Nation as a recipient of the 12% grant funding in the amount of \$17,000.00 for a Mechanical Chest Compression Device. We are honored to support local communities and hope that this grant will make positive impacts in Arizona.

As was indicated in the Request for Proposals issued by the Nation, the grant is conditional upon development of a Grant-in-Aid. Please contact Matt Smith immediately at 520-321-1111 so we can begin drafting the Grant-in-Aid and take the steps necessary for final approval of this grant funding.

Congratulations and I look forward to working with you to finalize your grant award.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ned Norris Jr.".

Dr. Ned Norris Jr.
Chairman, Tohono O'odham Nation

RESOLUTION 2022-073

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SIERRA VISTA, COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA, ACCEPTING THE GRANT FROM THE TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION, AND AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER, CITY CLERK, CITY ATTORNEY, OR THEIR DULY AUTHORIZED OFFICERS AND AGENTS TO TAKE ALL STEPS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE PURPOSE AND INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation offers grants to cities, towns, counties, and non-profit organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Sierra Vista Fire and Medical Services (SVFMS) applied and accepted a grant of \$17,000 for Mechanical Chest Compression Device from the Tohono O'odham Nation; and

WHEREAS, the grants awarded to SVFMS must be passed through a city, town, or county; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the citizens of Sierra Vista to support the Sierra Vista Fire and Medical Services for the grant award from the Tohono O'odham Nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SIERRA VISTA, COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1

The City Manager, City Clerk, City Attorney, or their duly authorized officers and agents are hereby authorized and directed to take all steps necessary to carry out the purposes and intent of this resolution.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SIERRA VISTA, ARIZONA, THIS 27TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2022.

FREDERICK W. MUELLER
Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ATTEST:

Nathan J. Williams
City Attorney

Jill Adams
City Clerk

Prepared by:
Michael McKearney
Paramedic, EMS Division