

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2022-870

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President at the request of the Mayor and co-sponsored by Council Member Clark-Murray

Date of Introduction: November 22, 2022

Committee(s) of Reference: NCSPHS, F

Date of Analysis: November 21, 2022

Type of Action: Appropriation and designation of oversight agency

Bill Summary: This bill is an appropriation of a \$1,069,280.01 Urban Search and Rescue Grant awarded by the State of Florida, Division of Emergency Management, through its FY 2022 Urban Search and Rescue Sustainment Program. The grant period of performance commenced July 1, 2022 and ends June 30, 2023. The Jacksonville Fire and Rescue Department, Emergency Preparedness Division will provide grant oversight.

Background Information: The purpose of this legislation is to provide funds for vehicles, capital equipment and supplies to ensure that Urban Search and Rescue Task Forces are maintained in a constant state of readiness and able to respond to a disaster. The appropriation may be used to procure an International 4-door Tractor, Command Vehicles (Tahoe or similar), F350 and F450 Crew Cab Pickup Trucks, Kubota 4 passenger utility vehicles, Featherlite flatbed dual-axel trailers, a pneumatic compressor, and field repairable dry suits. The terms of this grant agreement allow JFRD to make purchases and submit purchases for reimbursement to the Division prior to taking possession of the item/vehicle.

Policy Impact Area: JFRD - Urban Search and Rescue Task Forces equipment

Fiscal Impact: \$1,069,280.01 as initiated by B.T. 23-021, no local match required

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