

## **RESOLUTION NO. 4033-21**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF OVIEDO, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT APPLICATION FOR A WILDLAND AND SPECIAL RESPONSE FIRE APPARATUS; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT THE GRANT; AUTHORIZING THE REQUIRED LOCAL MATCH OF 10%; AND PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTING ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS, SCRIVENER'S ERRORS, CONFLICTS, SEVERABILITY, AND EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Assistance to Firefighters Grant has announced the FY 2020 Fire Act Grant Program thereby providing a potential funding mechanism for the participants to secure federal grant revenue; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has no wildland firefighting vehicles and must rely on outside resources to respond, which at times may either be unstaffed or not available to respond, thereby creating a challenge to protect structures and increases the threat level for property damage and life safety within proximity of a wildland fire; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fire Rescue Department has identified a need for a Wildland and Special Response Fire Apparatus to allow the City to provide adequate and rapid wildland/urban interface fire protection; and

**WHEREAS**, a Wildland and Special Response Fire Apparatus will also be used during hurricanes and tornadoes when access may be difficult due to downed trees, flooding, etc.; and

**WHEREAS**, the purchase of a Wildland and Special Response Fire Apparatus is eligible for funding through the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Assistance to Firefighters Grant; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fire Rescue recommends the submittal of a Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Assistance to Firefighters Grant application for the procurement of a Wildland and Special Response Fire Apparatus for a potential grant award estimate of \$159,090.91 and a required 10% grant match of \$15,909.09.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OVIEDO, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** Authorize Submission of Grant Application. The City Council authorizes the submission of a grant application for the 2020 Fire Act Grant Program requesting funding assistance for a Wildland and Special Response Fire Apparatus.

**SECTION 2. Authorization to Executive Grant Application.** The City Council authorizes the City Manager to execute through electronic submission said Grant Application to the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Assistance to Firefighter's Grant Program.

**SECTION 3. Authorization of Local Match.** The City Council authorizes said grant application to include the required 10% local match.

**SECTION 4. City Council Approval Required.** If said grant application results in a grant award, City Council approval will be required prior to accepting said grant award.

**SECTION 5. Implementing Administrative Actions.** The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to take such actions as he may deem necessary and appropriate in order to implement the provisions of this Resolution. The City Manager may, as deemed appropriate, necessary and convenient, delegate the powers of implementation as herein set forth to such City employees as deemed effectual and prudent.

**SECTION 6. Scrivener's Errors.** Typographical errors and other matters of a similar nature that do not affect the intent of this Resolution, as determined by the City Clerk and City Attorney, may be corrected.

**SECTION 7. Conflicts.** All Resolutions or parts of Resolutions in conflict with any of the provisions of this Resolution are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 8. Severability.** If any Section or portion of a Section of this Resolution proves to be invalid, unlawful, or unconstitutional, it shall not be held to invalidate or impair the validity, force, or effect of any other Section or part of this Resolution.

**SECTION 9. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED this 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 2021.**

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**MEGAN SLADEK**  
**MAYOR of the City of Oviedo, Florida**

**ATTEST:**

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**BARBARA J. BARBOUR**  
**CITY CLERK**