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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Hon. Mark D. Boughton via the Common Council
FROM: Dena Diorio, Director of Finance & Personnel *Dena*
RE: FIRE DEPARTMENT GRANT
DATE: August 31, 2005

Attached for your review is a resolution, which would allow the City of Danbury Fire Department to apply for and accept funding from the Federal Emergency Management Agency for the purchase of a fire pumper and Emergency Vehicles Operations training. The FEMA share will be \$292,800, and the City share will be \$73,200, which is available in the Fire Department's current year budget.

I have attached a copy of the grant application for your review. The Common Council is requested to consider this resolution at its next meeting. If you have any questions, or require any further information, please contact my office at 203-797-4652.

Attach.

cc: S. Kaminski
P. Siecienski



RESOLUTION

CITY OF DANBURY. STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Danbury:

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency has allowed the Danbury Fire Department to apply for funding for the acquisition of a fire pumper and emergency vehicles operations training; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of said funding for such purposes is \$366,000.00 of which \$292,800.00 is FEMA funds and the balance of \$73,200.00 is the required local share; and

WHEREAS, the Danbury Fire Department would like to apply for and accept said grant and, together with the local share, obtain the needed equipment and training.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT Mark D. Boughton, Mayor of the City of Danbury, or his designee, Danbury Fire Chief Peter Siecienski, be and hereby are authorized to apply for and accept said grant and to execute such additional documents as may be required to effectuate the purposes thereof.

Applicant Information

* Organization Name City of Danbury Fire Department

* Type of Applicant Fire Department

* Type of Jurisdiction Served City

If other, please enter the type of Jurisdiction

* Employer Identification Number 06-6001868

* Does your organization have a DUNS Number? Yes

If yes, please enter the DUNS Number 072123250

Headquarters Physical Address

* Physical Address 1 19 New Street

Physical Address 2

* City Danbury

* State Connecticut

* Zip 06810 - 6511
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Mailing Address

* Mailing Address 1 19 New Street

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Account Information

* Type of bank account Checking

* Bank routing number - 9 digit number on the bottom left hand corner of your check 221172241

* Your account number 690029627

Additional Information

* For this fiscal year (Federal) is your jurisdiction receiving Federal funding from any other grant program that may duplicate the purpose and/or scope of this grant request? No

* If awarded this grant, will your jurisdiction expend greater than \$300,000 in Federal share funds during the Federal fiscal year in which the grant was awarded? No

* Is the applicant delinquent on any federal debt? No

If you answered yes to any of the additional questions above, please provide an explanation in the space provided below:

Department Characteristics (Part I)

* Are you a member of a Federal Fire Department or contracted by the Federal government and solely responsible for suppression of fires on Federal property? No

* What kind of organization do you represent? Combination

If you answered combination, above, what is the percentage of career members in your organization? 40 %

* What type of community does your organization serve? Suburban

* What is the square mileage of your primary response area? 44

* What percentage of your response area is protected by hydrants? 30 %

* In what county/parish is your organization physically located? If you have more than one station, in what county/parish is your main station located? Fairfield

* Does your organization protect critical infrastructure of the state? Yes

* How much of your jurisdiction's land use is for agriculture, wild land, open space, or undeveloped properties? 20 %

* What percentage of your jurisdiction's land use is for commercial, industrial, or institutional purposes? 30 %

* What percentage of your jurisdiction's land is used for residential purposes? 50 %

* How many commercial, industrial, residential, or institutional structures in your jurisdiction are more than four stories tall? 35

* What is the permanent resident population of your Primary/First Due Response Area or jurisdiction served? 86000

* How many active firefighters does the department have who perform firefighting duties? 275

* How many personnel provide only EMS service delivery? 25

* How many stations are in your organization? 16

* Do you currently report to the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS)? Yes

If you answered yes above, please enter your FDIN/FDID 05040

* What services does your organization provide?

Structural Fire Suppression

Medical First Response

Hazmat Operational Level

Basic Life Support

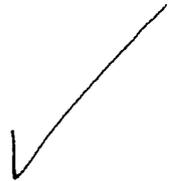
Hazmat Technical Level

Airport Rescue Firefighting (ARFF)

Advanced Life Support

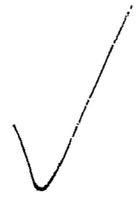
Rescue Operational Level

Rescue Technical Level



Department Characteristics (Part II)

* What is the total number of fire-related civilian fatalities in your jurisdiction over the last three years?	1
* What is the total number of fire-related civilian injuries in your jurisdiction over the last three years?	15
* What is the total number of line of duty member fatalities in your jurisdiction over the last three years?	0
* What is the total number of line of duty member injuries in your jurisdiction over the last three years?	50
* In an average year, how many times does your organization receive mutual/automatic aid?	75
* In an average year, how many times does your organization provide mutual/automatic aid?	75
* What was your organization's estimated average annual operating budget over the last three years?	8500000
* What percentage of your annual operating budget is dedicated to personnel costs (salary, overtime and fringe benefits)?	85 %
* What percentage of your annual operating budget is derived from: Enter numbers only, percentages must sum up to 100%	
Taxes?	100 %
Grants?	0 %
Donations?	0 %
Fund drives?	0 %
Other?	0 %



If you entered a value into Other field (other than 0), please explain

*How many vehicles does your organization have in each of the categories below? Enter numbers only and enter 0 if you do not have any of the vehicles below

Total Number

Engines (or pumpers):

Pumper, Pumper/Tanker, Rescue/Pumper, Foam Pumper, CAFS Pumper, Quint (Aerial device of less than 76 feet), Fire Boats (more than 13 feet long), Type I, Type II, Type III Engine, Tanker, Tender, Foam Tanker/Tender (greater than 1,200 gallon tank capacity) 16

Aerial Apparatus:

Aerial Ladder Truck, Telescoping, Articulating, Ladder Towers, Platform, Tiller Ladder Truck, Quint (Aerial device of 76 feet or greater) 3

Brush/Quick attack :

Brush Truck, Patrol Unit (Pick up w/ Skid Unit), Quick Attack Unit, Mini-Pumper, Type IV Engine 5

Rescue Vehicles:

Rescue Squad, Rescue (Light, Medium, Heavy), Technical Rescue Vehicle, Hazardous Materials Unit 1

Other:

EMS Chase Vehicle, Air/Light Unit, Rehab Units, Bomb Unit, Technical Support (Command, Operational Support/Supply), Hose Tender, Salvage Truck, ARFF (Aircraft Rescue Firefighting), Command/Mobile Communications Vehicle, Other Vehicle 3

Provide in the space below the following information only if you are applying for a vehicle:

If you have 15 emergency response vehicles or less, list all vehicles providing the type, the age, the pump capacity (GPM) if applicable, and the carrying capacity (gallons) if applicable.
If you have more than 15 emergency response vehicles, provide us with the oldest, newest, and the average age of the vehicles per type or class of vehicle.

There currently is not a vehicle in this response station. Our average age of current apparatus is 10 years, the oldest is 17 years the newest is 2 years old. The average mileage is 75,793. The over the road equivalent mileage including operating pump hours is 491,465. Typical pumpers are 1250 GPM pumps with 500 gallon water tanks.



Department Call Volume

* How many responses per year by category? (Enter whole numbers only: If you have no calls for any of the categories, enter 0)

Structural Fires	102
Vehicle Fires	51
Vegetation Fires	69
EMS Response Call	2605
Rescue	463
Hazardous Condition/Materials Calls	426
Service Calls	395
Good Intent Calls/False Alarms	1733
Other Calls and Incidents	10

