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SECURITY FOR THE FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT.

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TO: Mayor and Commissioners
FROM: Neal de Jesus, Fire Chief
THROUGH: George Gretsas, City Manager

DATE: January 16, 2020

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Recommended Action:

Staff recommends the approval to accept grant funding from the FY 2018 Assistance to Firefighters Grant.

Background:

The City of Delray Beach Fire Rescue Department has been awarded a Department of Homeland Security Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) in the amount of \$585,454.54 to purchase self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

The Delray Beach Fire Rescue Department has a need to update its aging SCBA and accessories. Total cost for replacement is estimated at \$1,011,000. This AFG will provide much needed funding towards that purchase. As a condition of the grant, the City is required to contribute non-Federal funds equal to or greater than 10 percent (10%) of the Federal funds awarded, or \$58,545.46 for a total approved budget of \$644,000.

City Attorney Review:

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency.

Funding Source/Financial Impact:

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This is a <u>90/10 matching grant</u> agreement of federally awarded funds from the Department of Homeland Security/FEMA. The financial impact to the City of Delray Beach is limited to the \$58,545.46 (10%).