

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE

City Council
Meeting of: October 19, 2022

Agenda Item No.: **31**

DEPARTMENT: Fire & Rescue CONSENT

DIRECTOR: Fernando Gray

SUBJECT:

For possible action to approve the acceptance of a grant award in the amount of \$8,284,760.46 from the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Federal Fiscal Year 2021 Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER), to hire 18 firefighters to staff Fire Station 46, located at 9945 North Grand Canyon Drive - Ward 6 (Fiore)

FISCAL IMPACT:

None

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

DHS grant ID: EMW-2021-FF-01373 will provide the City of Las Vegas, Department of Fire & Rescue, with funds in the amount of \$8,284,760.46 to staff Fire Station 46 with 18 personnel over the next three years The purpose of SAFER grant is to provide funding directly to fire departments to assist them in increasing the number of firefighters to help communities meet industry minimum standards and attain 24-hour staffing to provide adequate protection from fire and fire related hazards, and to fulfill traditional missions of fire departments.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. FEMA Award Letter