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LOS ANGELES FIRE DEPARTMENT



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FIRE CHIEF

March 23, 2017

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
FILE NO. 17-047

TO: Board of Fire Commissioners

FROM:  Ralph M. Terrazas, Fire Chief

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR FIRE FOUNDATION FUNDS FOR FIRE STATION 8

FINAL ACTION:	<input type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Approved w/Corrections	<input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn
	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Received & Filed	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

SUMMARY

Fire Station 8 is in the San Fernando Valley and in the summer, the apparatus floor gets extremely hot with no air movement. The purchase of a portable evaporative cooler will keep the apparatus floor cooler and make the station more tenable for guests.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board approve the attached Fire Grant Request for the purchase of the "Port-A-Cool" portable evaporative cooler, in the amount of \$2,059.00 plus applicable tax and shipping fees.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact to the Department's budget.

CONCLUSION

There is no available funding through the normal budget process.

Board report prepared by Public Information Director Peter Sanders, Community Liaison Office.

Attachments



LOS ANGELES FIRE
DEPARTMENT FOUNDATION
Grant Request Form

FOR FOUNDATION USE ONLY
Grant Number: _____

Approved _____
Denied _____

Date: 9/12/2016

Amount Requested: \$ 2059 + TAX

Contact Name: CAPT. RODRIGUEZ

Phone: 818-756-8668

E-mail: GARY.RODRIGUEZ@LACITY.ORG

Type of funding request (name of program or equipment):

PORTACOOL PAC2K361S PORTABLE EVAPORATIVE COOLER, 9600 CFM

Provide a brief description and the need for the program/equipment/service (use attachment if needed):

FIRE STATION 8 IS IN PORTER RANCH IN THE SAN FERNANDO VALLEY. IN THE SUMMER THE APPARATUS FLOOR GETS EXTREMELY HOT WITH NO AIR MOVEMENT. THIS COOLER WILL KEEP THE APP. FLOOR COOLER AND MAKE THE STATION MORE TENABLE FOR GUYS

Is there a fiscal impact to approving this request? (Maintenance costs, monthly service cost, extra equipment or services etc.). Please describe: NO FISCAL IMPACT OTHER THAN THE INITIAL COST.

Has this program/equipment/service previously been requested through the city budget? NO

If yes, list the most recent date of submission and the result:

If no, explain the reason why it was not submitted:

THE CITY DOES NOT PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THIS EQUIPMENT.

What objectives will be accomplished if the funding is granted?

KEEP THE APP. FLOOR COOLER AND PREVENT DAMAGE TO EQUIPMENT FROM OVERHEATING.

Fire Station Commander's Signature

"A" Platoon

"B" Platoon

"C" Platoon

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

Please attach an itemized list for the expenses or a quote from the equipment manufacturer on the vendor's letterhead including model numbers and total units needed. Upon approval, the foundation will pay the vendor directly.

Any questions regarding Foundation procedures can be directed to the Los Angeles Fire Department Foundation, at 310-552-4139.

You may submit your request by email to Diana@supportlafd.org, or by fax to 310-552-9052.



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