

City Council Item

July 13, 2026



Item	Resolution 2026-XX: Accept State Fire Marshal Division Gear Washer/Extractor Program Grant and Authorize Execution of Reimbursement Agreement	
File No.		Item No: D.20
Agenda Section	<u>CONSENT AGENDA</u>	
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<u>SUGGESTED ACTION</u> "The Chanhassen City Council adopts Resolution 2026-XX accepting a reimbursement grant from the Minnesota Department of Public Safety, State Fire Marshal Division (DPS-SFM) under the 2026–2027 Gear Washer/Extractor Program and authorizes the Mayor and City Manager to execute the associated Allocation Agreement."	
Motion Type	Simple Majority Vote of members present
Strategic Priority	Financial Sustainability

SUMMARY

The Chanhassen Fire Department has been approved to receive reimbursement funding from the State of Minnesota, Department of Public Safety, State Fire Marshal Division (DPS-SFM) under the Fire Service Advisory Committee (FSAC) Gear Washer & Extractor Program for the purchase and installation of a Gear Dryer. The total approved reimbursement amount is \$10,800.00, of which DPS-SFM will reimburse up to \$8,000.00, and the city is required to provide a local match of \$2,800.00.

BACKGROUND

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes §§ 297I.06, subd. 3 and 299F.012, the Fire Safety Account (FSA) is established in the state treasury, and the Commissioner of Public Safety is authorized to expend funds

for activities and programs recommended by the Fire Service Advisory Committee (FSAC). Following publication of a Notice of Request for Submissions for State Fiscal Year 2026 One-Time Fire Safety Account Proposals in the Minnesota State Register on April 14, 2025, FSAC reviewed and recommended funding allocations from the FSA, including funding for the Gear Washer and Extractor Program administered by DPS-SFM.

The City of Chanhassen submitted an application to DPS-SFM for participation in the Gear Washer and Extractor Program and was determined by DPS-SFM to be eligible for reimbursement under the program requirements. The City's fire department service population falls within the 25,001–50,000 population category, which requires a local match contribution equal to thirty-five percent (35%) of the total approved reimbursement amount.

DISCUSSION

BUDGET

The City's required local match of \$2,800.00 will be funded from the Fire Department operating budget. No expenses incurred after June 30, 2027, will be eligible for reimbursement by DPS-SFM under this Agreement.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Chanhassen City Council adopt Resolution 2026-XX accepting the reimbursement grant from the Minnesota Department of Public Safety, State Fire Marshal Division under the 2026–2027 Gear Washer/Extractor Program in the total approved amount of \$10,800.00 and authorizing the Mayor and City Manager to execute the Allocation Agreement.

ATTACHMENTS

[Resolution Accepting Grant for Gear Washer](#)
[Reimbursement Agreement for Gear Washer](#)