

## CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

**FROM:** The Office of the City Manager **DATE**: April 14, 2025

**SUBJECT:** Consider Resolution No. 2025-024, authorizing submission of the

grant application and acceptance of allocated funds if awarded for the 2025 Q3 Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation Grant Program in the amount of \$22,952.88 and authorize the execution

of the associated terms and conditions.

**PRESENTER:** Stan Tinney, Fire Chief

## **SUMMARY:**

The Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation Grant Program exists to improve the lifesaving capabilities of first responders in communities served by Firehouse Subs by providing funding, resources and support. The North Richland Hills Fire Department has coordinated the application for the 2025 Q3 Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation Grant Program for an all-terrain ATV. If awarded, this vehicle will have patient transport abilities with high maneuverability and mobility.

## **GENERAL DESCRIPTION:**

The North Richland Hills Fire Department is pursuing a specialty-built ATV with the ability to navigate hard-to-reach places and unstable surfaces. This vehicle would provide rapid response to emergencies and transport personnel and equipment, especially during large community events and events within the city's parks and trail system, etc. This ATV could be used in numerous other situations such as following severe weather events where debris is prevalent, wildland and urban interface incidents, and deployments.

North Richland Hills Fire Department would take on the role of administrator of the grant if awarded. North Richland Hills is requesting \$22,952.88 in total funding in the grant application. If awarded, the Firehouse Subs grant requires no matching funds from the City.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve Resolution No. 2025-024.