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MEMORANDUM

To: Thom Sheridan, City Manager
From: Jena Stasik, Community Relations Manager
CC: Greg Hanan, Community Development Director, Katie Behnke, Economic Development Manager
Date: December 18, 2024
Subject: 2024 Ohio Division of State Fire Marshal's Training Reimbursement Grant

PURPOSE

Hudson Fire Department seeks funding for eligible training under the 2024 Ohio Division of State Fire Marshal's Training Reimbursement Grant for up to \$15,000.00 from January 1, 2024, to December 31, 2024. Both Lt. Kevin Nelson and Firefighter Tony Vilt have completed courses eligible under this grant.

FUNDING

Funding is determined based on type of state certified course or Ohio Fire Academy (OFA) course completed. Reimbursement is allowable for registration fees and student text manual. All applicable rules regarding training and equipment grants must follow Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Section 1301:7-7-1 (T) and Ohio Fire Code (OFC) 120. Grant requests must be submitted between December 16, 2024 to January 19, 2025.

CONCLUSION

City staff recommends affirmation of the 2024 Ohio Division of State Fire Marshal's Training Reimbursement Grant application to reimburse eligible training for firefighters meeting established criteria and acceptance of the grant if awarded.