

**CITY COUNCIL**

**The City of Orange Township, New Jersey**

DATE February 7, 2023

NUMBER 65-2023

**TITLE:**

**A RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS FROM THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$42,000.00 FOR FIREFIGHTER TURNOUT GEAR.**

**WHEREAS**, on June 6, 2022 the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs published a notice of funding for the FY2022 American Rescue Plan Firefighter Grant; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Orange Township submitted an application requesting grant funds to purchase 18 sets of turnout gear. Firefighters rely on the sets of PPE when responding to all emergency calls, as it provides essential protection from smoke and carcinogenic contaminants; and

**WHEREAS**, in November 2022 The City of Orange Township was awarded \$42,000.00 in grant funds to purchase 18 sets of firefighter turnout gear to assist in the protection of our firefighters; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the City of Orange Township does hereby authorize the Mayor to accept and fully executed the agreement from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs. The City of Orange Township does further authorize the expenditure of funds pursuant to the terms of the agreement between the City of Orange Township and the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs.

Adopted: **February 7, 2023**

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Joyce L. Lanier  
City Clerk

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Tency A. Eason  
Municipal Council President



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December 5, 2022

[Via Email: [dwarren@orangenj.gov](mailto:dwarren@orangenj.gov)]  
The Honorable Dwayne D. Warren  
Mayor, Orange City Township  
29 North Day Street  
Orange, NJ 07050-3608

Dear Mayor Warren:

On behalf of Governor Phillip D. Murphy and the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, I am pleased to inform you that Orange City Township will receive a American Rescue Plan Firefighter grant of \$42,000. This award will provide funds to purchase 18 sets of turnout gear. Firefighters rely on the sets of PPE when responding to all emergency calls, as it provides essential protection from smoke and carcinogenic contaminants.

Provision of such financial assistance is subject to appropriate execution of a grant/loan agreement with the Department and compliance by Orange City Township with the terms, conditions and requirements set forth therein. Expenditures incurred prior to receipt of the executed grant agreement are incurred solely at the risk of the grant recipient should funding not be available to support this award. If you have any questions regarding this funding, please do not hesitate to contact the Department of Community Affairs' Division of Local Government Services at (609) 292-4584.

I would like to extend my best wishes for this most worthwhile project and its successful completion.

Sincerely,

Sheila Y. Oliver  
Lt. Governor