

**Resolution authorizing the Corpus Christi Fire Department to submit a grant application for funding in the amount of \$42,123.95 under the Statewide Emergency Radio Infrastructure Program with the Office of the Governor Homeland Security Grants Division, to purchase 20 new, very high frequency radios that will allow the Fire Department to enhance interoperable communication efforts regionally and statewide with other agencies during a state of emergency.**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** The City Council authorizes the Corpus Christi Fire Department to submit a grant application to the Office of the Governor Homeland Security Grants Division for the Statewide Emergency Radio Infrastructure Program for a total of \$42,123.95 to purchase 20 new, very high frequency radios to establish inoperable communication throughout the region and statewide in the event of a State of Emergency. The grant funds would be used to support and enhance the Corpus Christi Fire Department’s response capabilities by minimizing communication gaps during an emergency, while providing mutual aid.

**SECTION 2.** The City Council commits to the authorization of the grant application of \$42,123.95 for 20 new, high frequency radios. There is no City cash match or in-kind services for this grant.

**SECTION 3.** The City Council designates the Corpus Christi Fire Chief or designee as Program Director, the grantee’s authorized official. The Fire Chief or designee may apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate the grant.

**SECTION 4.** The City Council designates the Director of Finance or designee as the financial officer for this grant.

PASSED and APPROVED on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

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ATTEST:

CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

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Rebecca Huerta  
City Secretary

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