City of Greensboro



Agenda Report

File Number: 2021-484

Agenda Item# G.12.

Agenda Date: 12/21/2021. Department: Water Resources Meeting Type: Council Meeting Category: Consent Agenda

Title: 2021 - 484 Ordinance in the Amount of \$117,097 for the purchase and demolition of 1601 Roseland Street

Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.

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Public Hearing: No Advertising Date/By: N/A

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PURPOSE:

The City of Greensboro Water Resources Department requests approval to establish grant funding from the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), and administered by the NC Department of Public Safety. The grant funds will be utilized to purchase and demolish a flood prone property at 1601 Roseland Street. The property owner has agreed to the acquisition. Council approval is requested for a budget ordinance to permit the expenditure of funds.

BACKGROUND:

The property located at 1601 Roseland Street is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area as mapped by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The property has suffered losses on several occasions due to flooding events. The City of Greensboro applied for a grant through the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) with an agreement to purchase the property and remove it from the Special Flood Hazard Area. The value of the grant agreement for the purchase and demolition is \$117,097. The costs will be determined according to the policies and procedures in the applicable North Carolina Division of Emergency Management Standard Operating Procedures.

BUDGET IMPACT:

This amendment will increase the Water Resources Grant Fund budget by \$117,097.

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

220-7078-01.6011 220-7078-01.5426

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

It is recommended that City Council adopt the budget ordinance to amend the State and Federal grant fund budget in order to establish funding for the purchase and demolition of a flood prone property at 1601 Roseland Street.