

City of Greensboro

Melvin Municipal
Office Building
300 W. Washington Street
Greensboro, NC 27401

Agenda Report

File Number: 2024-289

Agenda Item# G.3.

Agenda Date: 5/7/2024. **Department:** Fire

Meeting Type: Council Meeting Category: Consent Agenda

Title: 2024 – 289 Budget Ordinance to Approve Training Grant from Colonial Pipeline for

\$13,500

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☐ Easiest Place to Do Business	☐ Most Connected City
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Council District: All

Public Hearing: No

Advertising Date/By: N/A

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PURPOSE:

The City of Greensboro received a grant from Colonial Pipeline in the amount of \$13,500 for training of the Fire Department Foam Task Force Team. A budget amendment needs to be approved by the City Council to permit the expenditure of funds.

BACKGROUND:

This training grant from Colonial Pipeline provides funding for Greensboro Fire Department to protect one of the largest refined fuel storage facilities in the United States. With funds, Greensboro Fire Department personnel will attend Williams Extreme Industrial Fire and Hazard training. Greensboro Fire Department has a large investment of personnel and equipment for the Foam Task Force and this training grant supports the goals of the program. The training grant allows the GFD to enhance its response capabilities in terms of resources that benefit the citizens and businesses of Greensboro as well as the State of North Carolina.

BUDGET IMPACT:

The City of Greensboro will receive \$ 13,500

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

220.40.4098085

Vision Statement: "A Community with Endless Economic Opportunities and Exceptional Quality of Life."

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED: It is recommended that City Council approve the attached budget ordinance establishing funding for \$13,500 for the training grant.