

Board of County Commissioners Meeting
Agenda Item #6: Matters from Staff

Staff Report

Meeting Date: February 2, 2010
Presenter: Mike Moyer
Submitting Department: Fire/EMS
Subject: Acceptance of Grant funding from the State of Wyoming EMS Office
for the Annual Regional EMS Trauma Conference

Statement / Purpose:

To accept a Conference Support grant in the amount of \$7,500 from the State of Wyoming EMS office for the annual Regional EMS Trauma Conference.

Background / Description / Alternatives (Pros & Cons):

Jackson Hole Fire/EMS conducts a Regional EMS Trauma Conference featuring national, regional and local presenters. The conference benefits the department by bringing quality continuing education presentations to our volunteers and staff as well as offering an opportunity for other regional services to participate. This will be our 30th annual conference.

Attachments:

Resolution for Chairman's signature.

Fiscal Impact:

The grant request is in the amount of \$7,500. The total amount budgeted is \$13,000. With the state grant, attendee registration fees, and vendor fees we anticipate coming out even.

Staff Impact:

Grant management and administration will be conducted by Jackson Hole Fire/EMS through the county vouchering system.

Legal Review:

The funder does not provide a contract or any documentation for legal review

Recommendation:

Approve acceptance of the grant.

Suggested Motion:

Move to approve and direct the Chair to sign a Resolution supporting acceptance of the grant in the amount of \$7,500 for Conference Support from the State of Wyoming EMS office.

RESOLUTION

**Authorizing Approval of a Grant Application to the
Wyoming Office of Emergency Medical Services
for the Purpose of Supporting the 30th Annual Shock/Trauma Conference**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners for Teton County desires to participate in the Wyoming Office of Emergency Medical Services to assist in financing this project; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners for Teton County recognizes the need for the project; and

WHEREAS, the Wyoming Office of Emergency Medical Services requires that certain criteria be met and to the best of our knowledge, this application meets those criteria; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners for Teton County, that a grant application in the amount of \$7,500 be approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Interim Chief Willy Watsabaugh is hereby designated as the authorized representative of Teton County to act on behalf of the Board of County Commissioners on all matters relating to this grant application.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 2nd day of February, 2010.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
TETON COUNTY**

By: _____
Hank Phibbs, Chairman

ATTEST:

Sherry Daigle, County Clerk