

Date: March 20, 2023
Amount: \$22,222.22
Account Number: 2540-1640

EXPLANATION TO COUNCIL BILL

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT: Fire Department

PURPOSE: To amend the Fire Department budget in the General Fund to accept the FY22 Emergency Management Performance Grant and to purchase four (4) mobile radios for the Emergency Manager from Midwest Mobile Radio Service, Inc. all in the amount of \$22,222.22.

REMARKS: The Department of Public Safety, State Emergency Management Agency awarded the Emergency Management Performance Grant to the City of St. Joseph for the purchase of the four (4) mobile radios. The City is provided a great opportunity and will receive many benefits from this grant award. First, the grant is 100% grant funded with no City match requirement. Second, the City will receive four (4) mobile radios for Emergency Management with an individual cost of \$5,523.10. Third, the City did not obtain bids because the purchase is occurring under a price agreement # 36964.

The City has a great working relationship with the Department of Public Safety and has been awarded several individual equipment grants in the past.

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CFDA# 97.042

Grant Period: December 1, 2022 – July 31, 2023

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS WITHIN THE PURPOSE OF THE APPROPRIATION TO WHICH IT IS TO BE CHARGED, AND THAT THERE IS AN UNENCUMBERED BALANCE TO THE CREDIT OF SUCH APPROPRIATION SUFFICIENT TO PAY THEREFORE.