



CITY OF NORWICH
CONNECTICUT

AGENDA – MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORWICH
OCTOBER 1, 2018
7:30 PM

PRAYER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ADOPTION OF MINUTES: September 4 and 17, 2018

CITY MANAGER’S REPORT

CITIZENS COMMENT ON RESOLUTIONS

NEW BUSINESS-RESOLUTIONS

1. To reallocate funds from prior years’ capital budgets to purchase vehicle stabilization equipment and additional sets of turnout gear for the interior firefighters of the Occum Volunteer Fire Department.

City Clerk

Betsy M. Barrett

To reallocate funds from prior years' capital budgets to purchase vehicle stabilization equipment, ~~and~~ additional sets of turnout gear for the interior firefighters, and lighting upgrades for the Engine Tanker 42 apparatus bay of the Occum Volunteer Fire Department.

WHEREAS, the Occum Volunteer Fire Department ("OVFD") responds to several automobile accidents each year, including many on Interstate 395; and,

WHEREAS, the OVFD does not have equipment to stabilize vehicles that were involved in automobile accidents; and,

WHEREAS, the OVFD currently has 12 interior firefighters; and,

WHEREAS, each of OVFD's interior firefighters have a single set of turnout gear; and,

WHEREAS, it is a common and recommended practice for fire departments to provide two sets of turnout gear for interior firefighters in order to have clean and ready sets available for emergencies while other sets are cleaning and drying; and,

WHEREAS, the lighting in the Engine Tanker 42 apparatus bay of the Occum Fire Station is inadequate; and

WHEREAS, there are funds available in the Capital Improvement Fund from projects which have been completed at costs lower than were allocated.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORWICH, that a sum totaling \$ 27,659.20 be and hereby is repurposed from the Capital Improvement Fund line items listed below, for the purposes of purchasing vehicle stabilization equipment, ~~and~~ additional sets of turnout gear for the interior firefighters, and lighting upgrades for the Engine Tanker 42 apparatus bay of the Occum Volunteer Fire Department.

Department	Org	Object	Project Description	Amount Remaining
OVFD	10217	88225	Station improvements	2,100.85
Police	10217	88221	Locker room improvements	15,102.33
Human Services	10217	88233	Moving NHS and YFS out of 80 Broadway	1,977.00
Emergency Management	10217	88291	Roof for EM Garage	2,919.00
Public Works	10217	88342	PW vehicles	4,541.44
Human Services	10218	88233	Moving NHS and YFS out of 80 Broadway	891.23
OVFD	10218	88425	Hose and turnout gear	127.35
				27,659.20

Mayor Peter Albert Nystrom
 President Pro Tem William Nash
 Alderwoman Stacy Gould