RESOLUTION NO. 26840

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF OF THE CHATTANOOGA FIRE DEPARTMENT TO APPLY FOR AND. IF AWARDED, ACCEPT A FIREFIGHTERS' GRANT ISSUED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY UNDER THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA), FOR A REQUEST FOR FUNDING EQUIPMENT, **TRAINING** AND/OR **FACILITIES** INCREASE FIREFIGHTER SAFETY WITH THE CITY PROVIDING A COST SHARE OF NON-FEDERAL FUNDS OF TWENTY (20%) PERCENT OF THE TOTAL PROJECT COST IN THE AMOUNT OF THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FORTY-TWO DOLLARS (\$35,342.00), FOR A TOTAL PROJECT COST IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-SIX THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED TEN DOLLARS (\$176,710.00),

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That the Chief of the Chattanooga Fire Department be and is hereby authorized to apply for and, if awarded, accept a firefighters' grant issued by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security under the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), for a request for funding equipment, training and/or facilities to increase firefighter safety with the City providing a cost share of non-federal funds of twenty (20%) percent of the total project cost in the amount of \$35,342.00, for a total project cost in the amount of \$176,710.00.

The Assistance to Firefighters' Grant will be based on the grant priorities, and the award of any money will be managed to the standards presented in the grant guidance.

ADOPTED: <u>September 13</u>, 2011

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