



TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT STAFF REPORT

Board Meeting Date: May 6, 2025

DATE: April 7, 2025

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SUBJECT: Recommendation to accept a grant award from the State Emergency Response Commission in the amount of \$5,317.30 for the purchase of tox medic medications that may be used during hazmat or emergency medical services calls. If approved, direct staff to make the necessary budget adjustments. (All Commission Districts) **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

SUMMARY

This item is a recommendation to accept a grant award from the State Emergency Response Commission in the amount of \$5,317.30 for the purchase of tox medic medications that may be used during hazmat or emergency medical services calls. If approved, direct staff to make the necessary budget adjustments.

PREVIOUS ACTION

None

BACKGROUND

The District responds to an average of 246 Hazmat calls a year. Trauma management are essential skills for personnel caring for critically ill traumatically injured patients and is fundamental to the practice of emergency medicine. Ongoing training of this skill is vital.

This grant allows the District to purchase multiple Tox Medic kits to provide antidotes and treatment for some toxic exposures.

FISCAL IMPACT

Approval of the grant award will result in the amendment of the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 adopted budget of the Emergency Medical Services by an increase of \$5,317.30 in both revenues and expenses in the following accounts: Intergovernmental revenues \$5,317.30, service and supplies

\$5,317.30. The resolution to amend the EMS fund will be included in the June budget augmentation.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommend accepting a grant award from the State Emergency Response Commission in the amount of \$5,317.30 for the purchase of tox medic medications that may be used during hazmat or emergency medical services calls and direct staff to make the necessary budget adjustments.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with the staff's recommendation, a possible motion could be:

"I move to accept a grant award from the State Emergency Response Commission in the amount of \$5,317.30 for the purchase of tox medic medications that may be used during hazmat or emergency medical services calls and direct staff to make the necessary budget adjustments."