



TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT STAFF REPORT

Board Meeting Date: May 6, 2025

DATE: March 17, 2025
TO: Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Board of Fire Commissioners
FROM: Dale Way, Interim Fire Chief
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SUBJECT: Recommendation to accept and express thoughtful appreciation of a \$1,144.95 monetary donation from the Nevada Peer Support Network in support of the Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Health and Wellness Program. (All Commission Districts) FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

SUMMARY

This item is a recommendation to accept and express thoughtful appreciation of a \$1,144.95 monetary donation from the Nevada Peer Support Network in support of the Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Health and Wellness Program.

PREVIOUS ACTION

None

BACKGROUND

The District Health and Wellness committee, along with the Nevada Peer Support Network, has worked together to identify ways to reduce stress and improve the focus and attention of district employees. After thoughtful planning and consideration, it was determined that a portable mental health sensory room could benefit district employees and allow them to utilize it at their own discretion. Sensory rooms offer numerous benefits, particularly for individuals with sensory processing challenges or those who experience sensory overload. This space will provide a controlled environment where individuals can engage with various sensory stimuli at their own pace, helping them regulate their emotions, develop coping skills, and improve sensory processing.

The Nevada Peer Support Network has generously decided to donate the funds to cover the cost of portable sensory room.

FISCAL IMPACT

The funds will be deposited into the General Fund to offset the costs of supplies purchased for the sensory room.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Board accept and express thoughtful appreciation of a \$1,144.95 monetary donation from the Nevada Peer Support Network in support of the Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Health and Wellness Program.

POSSIBLE MOTION

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

"I move to accept and express thoughtful appreciation of a \$1,144.95 monetary donation from the Nevada Peer Support Network in support of the Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Health and Wellness Program."