



## **TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT STAFF REPORT**

**Board Meeting Date: September 7, 2021**

**DATE:** August 25, 2021

**TO:** Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Board of Fire Commissioners

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**SUBJECT:** Recommendation to approve a resolution to donate one (1) surplus 1994 Navistar/Central States Type I Structure Engine and various hose, ladders, and loose equipment in "as is" condition from Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District to Indian Valley Fire & Rescue in Greenville, California and if approved, authorize the Chair execute Resolution for same. (All Commission Districts) **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

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### **SUMMARY**

Resolution to donate one (1) surplus 1994 Navistar/Central States Type I Structure Engine and various hose, ladders, and loose equipment in "as is" condition from Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District to Indian Valley Fire & Rescue.

### **PREVIOUS ACTION**

In the past the Commission has taken action to donate surplus Fire Apparatus and equipment to other agencies.

### **BACKGROUND**

On August 4, 2021, three weeks after the Dixie Fire was first reported, the entire town of Greenville, California was burned. Included was the town's fire station and all fire suppression equipment. Indian Valley Fire & Rescue provides oversight for the fire stations in Greenville, Taylorsville, North Am, and Genesee, all of which have been impacted by the devastating Dixie Fire. With the loss of all equipment in Greenville, the town is in need of apparatus and equipment as they rebuild the community and fire department.

Staff is of the opinion that the donation of equipment from the District to Indian Valley Fire & Rescue is in the best interest of both communities. Greenville is near Washoe County and is a regularly visited recreational area for many Washoe County residents. Donating surplus apparatus and equipment will help the community of Greenville recover more quickly than going without.

*Statutory Authorization:* NRS 244.1505, Section 2. (a) Provides that the Board of County Commissioners is empowered to donate to other government entities certain commodities, supplies, materials and equipment that the Board determines to have reached the end of their useful lives.

*Donation of Engine and Equipment:* The apparatus being donated was identified through the fleet replacement plan as no longer needed having exceeded its useful life for service to the District. The equipment being donated was identified as excess property due to exceeding its service life and continued purchasing of newer equipment for use in the District.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The estimated salvage value for the surplus used 1994 Navistar/Central States Type I Structure Engine is approximately \$25,000.00. Sale at auction, which is the typical method for disposal of surplus used equipment, does not guarantee any minimum sale price. The engine is fully depreciated and has a \$0 book value in the District's financial statements. The estimated value of the loose equipment is \$5,000.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board approve a resolution to donate one (1) surplus 1994 Navistar/Central States Type I Structure Engine VIN# 1HTSEAAR8SH627579 and various hose, ladders, and loose equipment in "as is" condition from Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District to Indian Valley Fire & Rescue and if approved, authorize the Chair execute Resolution for same.

### **POSSIBLE MOTION**

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

*"I move to approve a resolution to donate one (1) surplus 1994 International Type I Structure Engine and various hose, ladders, and loose equipment in "as is" condition from Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District to Indian Valley Fire & Rescue and if approved, authorize the Chair execute Resolution for same."*