

**OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL**

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**RESOLUTION No. 80767 C.M.S.**

City Attorney

2007 JUL 27 PM 6:49  
Introduced by Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE A GRANT OF TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-TWO THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY DOLLARS (\$232,330.00), AS PART OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2006 SUB-GRANTEE METROPOLITAN MEDICAL RESPONSE SYSTEM (MMRS), FROM THE HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM (HSGP), TO FUND THE UPGRADE OF EXISTING SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS (SCBA) IN A DEPARTMENT WIDE EFFORT TO MEET NEWLY ESTABLISHED NATIONAL SAFETY STANDARDS**

**WHEREAS**, City Council accepted and appropriated \$220,764.00 from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security to fund the Oakland Fire Department Metropolitan Medical Response System (MMRS) pursuant to Resolution No. 79311, C.M.S., dated June 21, 2005 to enhance integrated systematic mass casualty preparedness, with the primary focus on events involving Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and Explosive devices; and

**WHEREAS**, Oakland's MMRS consists of planning, development, purchasing special equipment and identified training requirements for an MMRS as the principal resource in responding to health and medical consequences of a nuclear, biological or chemical terrorist incident; and

**WHEREAS**, Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) to be used in fire suppression and potentially CBRN classified areas are now required to be certified as CBRN compliant by the National Institute for Occupational Health and Safety (NIOSH); and

**WHEREAS**, the current SCBA systems employed by Oakland Fire suppression personnel do not have the additional safety features necessary to be considered compliant; and

**WHEREAS**, the potential for loss of life and threats to the environment exist due to the use of Weapons of Mass Destruction, seismic, and/or other major threat events; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oakland Fire Department will continue to develop new partnerships and ongoing collaboration and compliance with other city, county and state agencies to ensure that the City is better prepared for catastrophic events; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Council hereby authorizes the City Administrator or her designee to accept and appropriate a grant of two hundred and thirty-two thousand three hundred and thirty dollars (\$232,330.00) as a part of the FY06 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) to fund the upgrade of existing Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) in a department wide effort to meet newly established national safety standards; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That revenues will be increased by the grant amount of two hundred and thirty-two thousand three hundred and thirty dollars (\$232,330.00) appropriated to the following accounts: the Department of Homeland Security Fund (2124), the Emergency Medical Services Division (20913), the Emergency Medical Services Program (PS19), and a project to be determined; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That should additional funds be received, the City Administrator or her designee is hereby authorized to appropriate same for the purpose described above.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JUL 17 2007, 20    

**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**


AYES - BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, and  
PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE - 8

NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - 0

ATTEST:



LaTonda Simmons

City Clerk and Clerk of the Council  
of the City of Oakland, California