



**City of Missoula, Montana  
Item to be Referred to City Council Committee**

**Committee:** Public Safety and Health

**Item:** Referral-Grant Approval and Memorandum of Understanding for direct purchase of Polaris Ranger

**Date:** July 15, 2021

**Sponsor(s):** Brad Davis

**Prepared by:** Cathy Janney

**Ward(s) Affected:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 4
<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 5
<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 6
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All Wards	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

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**Action Required:**

Authorize the Mayor to approve the grant award from Firehouse Public Safety Foundation for the requested Polaris Ranger XP1000 NorthStar Crew Premium with Fire/Rescue Skid, Horns & Lights valued at up to \$34,578.00 and approve the Memorandum of Understanding to direct purchase such equipment from Grizzly Harley-Davidson in the amount of \$34,578.00

**Recommended Motion(s):**

I move the City Council: Authorize the Mayor to approve the grant award from Firehouse Public Safety Foundation for the requested Polaris Ranger XP1000 NorthStar Crew Premium with Fire/Rescue Skid, Horns & Lights valued at up to \$34,578.00 and approve the Memorandum of Understanding to direct purchase such equipment from Grizzly Harley-Davidson in the amount of \$34,578.00

**Timeline:**

Referral to committee:	July 14, 2021
Committee discussion:	July 21, 2021
Council action (or sets hearing):	NA
Public Hearing:	NA
Deadline:	NA

**Background and Alternatives Explored:**

The Missoula Fire Department (MFD) has been attempting to fulfill the need to enhance our community responses with a UTV. MFD responds in many recreational areas for medical, technical rescue and fire responses. Firehouse subs is a soon to be (currently under construction on N Reserve St.) new business in Missoula which allowed us to pursue this grant. Please see attached documents from Firehouse subs. The foundation will await for approval from our City Council. Once approved, firehouse subs has elected to submit funding, via ACH, to our organization for us to directly purchase the equipment per your approved grant request, and the attached approved quote. The ACH transfer will take approximately three weeks to complete. Please add the owner of Firehouse Subs Les Kleinman email [les.kleinman@firehousesubs.com](mailto:les.kleinman@firehousesubs.com) to join in our virtual meeting for the approval of the grant.

**Financial Implications:**

Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation has awarded MFD the set value of \$34,578.00.  
There will be no additional cost to the City of Missoula

**Links to external websites:**