

City of Minneapolis
Request for Committee Action

To: Public Safety, Civil Rights & Emergency Management
Date: 7/13/2016
From: Fire Department
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File type: Action
Subcategory: Grant

Subject:

CenterPoint Energy 2016 Community Partnership Grant

Description:

1. Accepting a grant award of \$2,500 from CenterPoint Energy for a 2016 Community Partnership Grant.
2. Passage of Resolution approving appropriation to the Fire Department.

Previous Actions:

No previous action.

Ward/Neighborhood/Address:

All Wards

Background/Analysis:

CenterPoint Energy has awarded the Minneapolis Fire Department their 2016 Community Partnership Grant totaling \$2,500 for the Project Lifesaver Program. MFD will use these funds to purchase personal locating, or tracking devices for individuals who demonstrate wandering/elopement tendencies. While many options are available, MFD would choose to partner with programs preferred by the National Autism Association and implemented by professionally trained emergency response personnel such as Project Lifesaver or LoJack SafetyNet.

Financial Review:

Additional appropriation required.

Action provides increased revenue:

- *Fund 01600*
- *Department 2800700*
- *Account 372002*
- *Amount = \$2,500.00*

Approved by the Permanent Review Committee.

Meets Small and Underutilized Business Program goals.