

TO: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
FROM: MIKE ALTHOFF, FIRE CHIEF
SUBJECT: MN DNR Grant
MEETING DATE: August 21st, 2018

BACKGROUND

The Fire Department applied for a 50/50 match grant offered by the DNR. We were awarded the full amount of \$5,000.00 to be spent on Turnout gear. I need to spend that amount on our new hires this year. Accepting this grant will allow me to purchase two more additional sets with the grant money awarded. I will use the grant money to replace our two most worn out sets. Turnout Gear has a shelf life of ten years. I will continue to apply for this grant while it is offered to help reduce our replacement costs. Most of our turnout gear is over 5 years old.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Accept the MN DNR 50/50 grant of \$5,000.00

Attachment(s):

**CITY OF CANNON FALLS
GOODHUE COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2377

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF A MONETARY GRANT
FROM MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**

WHEREAS, the Cannon Falls Fire Department received an award of grant money from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR); and

WHEREAS, the grant provides an opportunity to pay expenses related to the purchase of turn-out gear; and

WHEREAS, the grant requires a 50/50 match in the amount of \$5,000; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Cannon Falls accepts the 50/50 grant from the DNR, in the amount of \$5,000, to be used to purchase Fire Department turn-out gear.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Fire Chief is hereby authorized to be the fiscal agent and administer the grant on behalf of the Cannon Falls Fire Department.

ADOPTED by the City Council of Cannon Falls this 21st day of August, 2018.

CITY OF CANNON FALLS

Lyman M. Robinson, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Lanell Endres, Interim City Administrator