

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

FROM: BRICE MILLER, FIRE CHIEF

**SUBJECT: RESOLUTION 2788, ACCEPTING GRANT FUNDS FROM TAYLOR
FAMILY FARMS FOUNDATION, INC FOR NEW TURNOUT GEAR**

MEETING DATE: NOVEMBER 12, 2024

BACKGROUND

The CF Fire Department applied for the Taylor Family Farms Foundation Emergency Services grant to support the purchase of new turnout gear for the department. The grant was awarded to in the amount of \$17,000.00. A 50% cash match is required for this grant which the CFFD will contribute to out of their available funds.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Recommend accepting Resolution 2788, authorizing acceptance of the grant award donation from Taylor Family Farms Foundation in the amount of \$17,000.00 to be used to purchase turnout gear for the Cannon Falls Fire Department.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Request a motion to accept Resolution 2788, authorizing acceptance of \$17,000.00 as noted above.

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

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2788

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF A MONETARY
DONATION FROM TAYLOR FAMILY FARMS FOUNDATION, INC.**

WHEREAS, the Cannon Falls Fire Department applied for the Emergency Services Grant from the Taylor Family Farms Foundation, Inc which supports and enhances rural communities in southern Minnesota and northern Iowa; and

WHEREAS, the CFFD was awarded the grant of \$17,000 to purchase turnout gear for the fire department;

WHEREAS, the CFFD must provide a 50% match toward the cost of the turnout gear;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Cannon Falls accepts the donation from the Taylor Family Farms Foundation in the amount of \$17,000.00 to be used towards the purchase of turnout gear. The CFFD will contribute the other \$17,000 toward the purchase. The Fire Chief is hereby authorized to execute such agreements as are necessary to implement the acceptance of this donation on behalf of the City of Cannon Falls Fire Department.

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

ADOPTED by the City Council of Cannon Falls this 12th day of November, 2024.

CITY OF CANNON FALLS

Matt Montgomery, Mayor

ATTEST: _____

Neil L. Jensen
City Administrator