Board Action Request

SUBJECT: Breathing Air Compressor Purchase

DATE: January 22, 2020

FROM: Genaro Rivera, Deputy Chief

Background:

Tubac Fire was awarded \$46,344.76 through an Assistance to firefighters Grant for the purchase of a breathing air compressor. This compressor will be replacing our non-functioning/outdated unit. Our existing unit was not able to be upgraded to today standards. This item is in the current FY 20 CIP in the amount of \$30,000.

Staff researched units to meet our needs and recommended a unit made by Bauer which is available through our procurement agreement with NPP.gov.

Fiscal Impact:

The majority of this equipment will be funded by the AFG Grant award in the amount of \$46,344.76 and the required matching funds of \$2,317.24 paid by Tubac Fire District. The District will have an additional cost of \$1,193.56, which is within budget.

Alternate Option:

Provide staff with additional direction

Legal Review: N/A

Staff Recommendation:

Approve awarding the purchase of the air compressor unit as recommended.

Proposed Motion:

Move to approve the purchase of a Bauer Air Compressor from United Fire Equipment in the amount of \$49,855.56.

See Attachments:

- United Fire Quote
- AFG grant Letter