

CITY OF SAN ANTONIO FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMORANDUM

TO:

Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Robert Ojeda, Fire Chief

SUBJECT:

Ordinance authorizing the acceptance of \$21,575 in accumulated donations to the

San Antonio Fire Department

DATE:

February 9, 2006

SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

This ordinance authorizes the City Manager or her designated representative to accept accumulated donations in the total amount of \$21,575 from the following sources in the following amounts: Independent Insurance Agent of SA (\$600) Las Palapas Enterprises (\$200), Wal-Mart Foundation (\$10,125), Security Service Federal Credit Union (\$50), Sam's Club Foundation (\$5,500), San Antonio Professional Firefighters Association (\$1000), San Antonio Telecommunications Employee Golf Association (\$3,500), Holt Company of Texas (\$500) and State Farm Insurance (\$100).

Staff recommends approval.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

As a community relation's initiative, Independent Insurance Agent of SA, Las Palapas Enterprises, Wal-Mart Foundation, Security Service Federal Credit Union, Sam's Club Foundation, San Antonio Professional Firefighters Association, San Antonio Telecommunications Employee Golf Association, Holt Company of Texas and State Farm Insurance have made contributions to the City of San Antonio Fire Department. These funds will be utilized to support Fire Department Public Education Programs. The programs range from the Adopt a School Program to Fire Prevention Week activities. Donations such as these make it possible to provide much needed safety education throughout our community.

POLICY ANALYSIS

This Ordinance continues City Council's policy of accepting community support to maximize the City's Fire Department education and training programs.

FISCAL IMPACT

The amount of the total contributions is \$21,575. The contributions will be deposited in the Fire Prevention Week Trust Fund. The fund number is 29609000. Expenses associated with the contributions will be accounted for in the trust fund.

COORDINATION

This ordinance request has been coordinated with the City Attorney's Office, Fire Department, Finance and the Office of Management & Budget.

SUPPLEMENTAL COMMENTS

The Discretionary Contracts Disclosure Form is not required.

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