



State of New Hampshire

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER
33 HAZEN DR. CONCORD, NH 03305
603/271-2791

JOHN J. BARTHELMES
COMMISSIONER

September 7, 2016

Her Excellency, Governor Margaret Wood Hassan
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

Requested Action

Pursuant to RSA 21-P:43, the Department of Safety, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HSEM) requests authorization to enter into a grant agreement with the Town of Chester (VC#177522-B002) to purchase supplies and equipment to support the operations of the community's emergency shelter for a total amount of \$65,091.00. Effective upon Governor and Council approval through September 30, 2017. Funding source: 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available in the SFY 2017 operating budget as follows:

02-23-23-236010-80920000	Dept. of Safety	Homeland Sec-Emer Mgmt	100% EMPG Local Match
072-500574	Grants to Local Gov't - Federal		
Activity Code: 23EMPG 2015			\$65,091.00

Explanation

The purpose of the project is to purchase supplies and equipment to support the operations of the community's emergency shelter when it is open. The supplies include a self-contained shelter preparedness cart comprised of cots, blankets, hygiene kits and a first aid kit. The equipment includes portable light towers with generators to illuminate the entrance and parking lot in the event of a power outage during night operations; portable electronic sign boards that can be deployed to different areas in the community to notify residents of emergency and shelter information; and portable generators to provide back-up power for the electronic sign boards during power outages. Additional equipment includes laptop computers and tablets to allow seamless operational communication and situational awareness during a disaster, while effectively tracking and reporting all shelter and emergency management activities. The grant listed above is funded from the FFY'15 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG), which was awarded to the Department of Safety, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HSEM) from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The grant funds are to be used to measurably improve all-hazard planning and preparedness capabilities/activities, to include mitigation, preparedness, response, and recovery initiatives at the state and local level. Grant guidance and applications are available to all Emergency Management Directors and other qualified organizations in the State. Subrecipients submit applications to this office, which are reviewed by the HSEM Planning Chief, Assistant Planning Chief and Field Representatives and approved by the HSEM Director. The criteria for approval are based on grant eligibility in accordance with the grant's current guidance and the documented needs of the local jurisdictions.

The Emergency Management Performance Grants are 50% federally funded by FEMA with a 50% match requirement supplied by the subrecipient. The subrecipient acknowledges their match obligation as part of Exhibit B to their grant agreement.

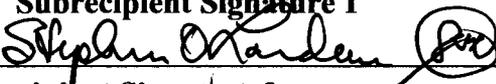
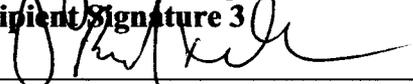
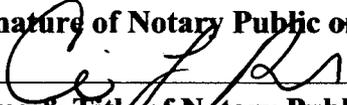
In the event that Federal Funds are no longer available, General Funds and/or Highway Funds will not be requested to support this program.

Respectfully submitted,

John J. Barthelmes
Commissioner of Safety

The State of New Hampshire and the Subrecipient hereby
Mutually agree as follows:
GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Identification and Definitions.

1.1. State Agency Name NH Department of Safety, Homeland Security and Emergency Management		1.2. State Agency Address 33 Hazen Drive Concord, NH 03305	
1.3. Subrecipient Name Town of Chester (VC#177522-B002)		1.4. Subrecipient Tel. #/Address 603-887-4979 84 Chester Street, Chester NH 03036	
1.5 Effective Date G&C Approval	1.6. Account Number AU #80920000	1.7. Completion Date September 30, 2017	1.8. Grant Limitation \$65,091.00
1.9. Grant Officer for State Agency Cindy Richard, EMPG Program Manager		1.10. State Agency Telephone Number (603) 223-3627	
"By signing this form we certify that we have complied with any public meeting requirement for acceptance of this grant, including if applicable RSA 31:95-b."			
1.11. Subrecipient Signature 1 		1.12. Name & Title of Subrecipient Signor 1 STEPHEN O. HANDAN, Chair BOS.	
Subrecipient Signature 2 		Name & Title of Subrecipient Signor 2 Joseph M. Hagan, BOS Selectman	
Subrecipient Signature 3 		Name & Title of Subrecipient Signor 3 Richard S. Trask, BOS Selectman	
1.13. Acknowledgment: State of New Hampshire, County of Rockingham, on 8/18/16, before the undersigned officer, personally appeared the person identified in block 1.12., known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person whose name is signed in block 1.11., and acknowledged that he/she executed this document in the capacity indicated in block 1.12.			
1.13.1. Signature of Notary Public or Justice of the Peace (Seal) 		8/24/2016	
1.13.2. Name & Title of Notary Public or Justice of the Peace Corinna L. Reishus - Notary Public		(Commission Expiration)	
1.14. State Agency Signature(s) By:  On: 9/2/16		1.15. Name & Title of State Agency Signor(s) Steven R. Lavoie, Director of Administration	
1.16. Approval by Attorney General (Form, Substance and Execution) (if G & C approval required) By:  Assistant Attorney General, On: 9/13/2016			
1.17. Approval by Governor and Council (if applicable) By: _____ On: 1/1			

2. **SCOPE OF WORK:** In exchange for grant funds provided by the State of New Hampshire, acting through the Agency identified in block 1.1 (hereinafter referred to as "the State"), pursuant to RSA 21-P:36, the Subrecipient identified in block 1.3 (hereinafter referred to as "the Subrecipient"), shall perform that work identified and more particularly described in the scope of work attached hereto as EXHIBIT A (the scope of work being hereinafter referred to as "the Project").

4. EFFECTIVE DATE: COMPLETION OF PROJECT.
 4.1. This Agreement, and all obligations of the parties hereunder, shall become effective on the date of approval of this Agreement by the Governor and Council of the State of New Hampshire if required (block 1.17), or upon signature by the State Agency as shown in block 1.14 ("the effective date").
 4.2. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, the Project, including all reports required by this Agreement, shall be completed in its entirety prior to the date in block 1.7 (hereinafter referred to as "the Completion Date").

5. GRANT AMOUNT: LIMITATION ON AMOUNT: VOUCHERS: PAYMENT.
 5.1. The Grant Amount is identified and more particularly described in EXHIBIT B, attached hereto.
 5.2. The manner of, and schedule of payment shall be as set forth in EXHIBIT B.
 5.3. In accordance with the provisions set forth in EXHIBIT B, and in consideration of the satisfactory performance of the Project, as determined by the State, and as limited by subparagraph 5.5 of these general provisions, the State shall pay the Subrecipient the Grant Amount. The State shall withhold from the amount otherwise payable to the Subrecipient under this subparagraph 5.3 those sums required, or permitted, to be withheld pursuant to N.H. RSA 80:7 through 7-c.
 5.4. The payment by the State of the Grant amount shall be the only, and the complete payment to the Subrecipient for all expenses, of whatever nature, incurred by the Subrecipient in the performance hereof, and shall be the only, and the complete, compensation to the Subrecipient for the Project. The State shall have no liabilities to the Subrecipient other than the Grant Amount.
 5.5. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, and notwithstanding unexpected circumstances, in no event shall the total of all payments authorized, or actually made, hereunder exceed the Grant limitation set forth in block 1.8 of these general provisions.

6. COMPLIANCE BY SUBRECIPIENT WITH LAWS AND REGULATIONS.
 In connection with the performance of the Project, the Subrecipient shall comply with all statutes, laws regulations, and orders of federal, state, county, or municipal authorities which shall impose any obligations or duty upon the Subrecipient, including the acquisition of any and all necessary permits.

7. RECORDS and ACCOUNTS.
 7.1. Between the Effective Date and the date three (3) years after the Completion Date the Subrecipient shall keep detailed accounts of all expenses incurred in connection with the Project, including, but not limited to, costs of administration, transportation, insurance, telephone calls, and clerical materials and services. Such accounts shall be supported by receipts, invoices, bills and other similar documents.
 7.2. Between the Effective Date and the date three (3) years after the Completion Date, at any time during the Subrecipient's normal business hours, and as often as the State shall demand, the Subrecipient shall make available to the State all records pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement. The Subrecipient shall permit the State to audit, examine, and reproduce such records, and to make audits of all contracts, invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, data (as that term is hereinafter defined), and other information relating to all matters covered by this Agreement. As used in this paragraph, "Subrecipient" includes all persons, natural or fictional, affiliated with, controlled by, or under common ownership with, the entity identified as the Subrecipient in block 1.3 of these provisions

8. PERSONNEL.
 8.1. The Subrecipient shall, at its own expense, provide all personnel necessary to perform the Project. The Subrecipient warrants that all personnel engaged in the Project shall be qualified to perform such Project, and shall be properly licensed and authorized to perform such Project under all applicable laws.
 8.2. The Subrecipient shall not hire, and it shall not permit any subcontractor, subgrantee, or other person, firm or corporation with whom it is engaged in a combined effort to perform the Project, to hire any person who has a contractual relationship with the State, or who is a State officer or employee, elected or appointed.
 8.3. The Grant Officer shall be the representative of the State hereunder. In the event of any dispute hereunder, the interpretation of this Agreement by the Grant Officer, and his/her decision on any dispute, shall be final.

9. DATA: RETENTION OF DATA: ACCESS.
 9.1. As used in this Agreement, the word "data" shall mean all information and things developed or obtained during the performance of, or acquired or developed by reason of, this Agreement, including, but not limited to, all studies, reports, files, formulac, surveys, maps, charts, sound recordings, video recordings, pictorial reproductions, drawings, analyses, graphic representations,

9.2. between the Effective Date and the Completion Date the Subrecipient shall grant to the State, or any person designated by it, unrestricted access to all data for examination, duplication, publication, translation, sale, disposal, or for any other purpose whatsoever.
 9.3. No data shall be subject to copyright in the United States or any other country by anyone other than the State.
 9.4. On and after the Effective Date all data, and any property which has been received from the State or purchased with funds provided for that purpose under this Agreement, shall be the property of the State, and shall be returned to the State upon demand or upon termination of this Agreement for any reason, whichever shall first occur.
 9.5. The State, and anyone it shall designate, shall have unrestricted authority to publish, disclose, distribute and otherwise use, in whole or in part, all data.

10. CONDITIONAL NATURE OR AGREEMENT. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, all obligations of the State hereunder, including, without limitation, the continuance of payments hereunder, are contingent upon the availability or continued appropriation of funds, and in no event shall the State be liable for any payments hereunder in excess of such available or appropriated funds. In the event of a reduction or termination of those funds, the State shall have the right to withhold payment until such funds become available, if ever, and shall have the right to terminate this Agreement immediately upon giving the Subrecipient notice of such termination.

11. EVENT OF DEFAULT: REMEDIES.
 11.1. Any one or more of the following acts or omissions of the Subrecipient shall constitute an event of default hereunder (hereinafter referred to as "Events of Default"):
 11.1.1 Failure to perform the Project satisfactorily or on schedule; or
 11.1.2 Failure to submit any report required hereunder; or
 11.1.3 Failure to maintain, or permit access to, the records required hereunder; or
 11.1.4 Failure to perform any of the other covenants and conditions of this Agreement.
 11.2. Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default, the State may take any one, or more, or all, of the following actions:
 11.2.1 Give the Subrecipient a written notice specifying the Event of Default and requiring it to be remedied within, in the absence of a greater or lesser specification of time, thirty (30) days from the date of the notice; and if the Event of Default is not timely remedied, terminate this Agreement, effective two (2) days after giving the Subrecipient notice of termination; and
 11.2.2 Give the Subrecipient a written notice specifying the Event of Default and suspending all payments to be made under this Agreement and ordering that the portion of the Grant Amount which would otherwise accrue to the Subrecipient during the period from the date of such notice until such time as the State determines that the Subrecipient has cured the Event of Default shall never be paid to the Subrecipient; and
 11.2.3 Set off against any other obligation the State may owe to the Subrecipient any damages the State suffers by reason of any Event of Default; and
 11.2.4 Treat the agreement as breached and pursue any of its remedies at law or in equity, or both.

12. TERMINATION.
 12.1. In the event of any early termination of this Agreement for any reason other than the completion of the Project, the Subrecipient shall deliver to the Grant Officer, not later than fifteen (15) days after the date of termination, a report (hereinafter referred to as the "Termination Report") describing in detail all Project Work performed, and the Grant Amount earned, to and including the date of termination.
 12.2. In the event of Termination under paragraphs 10 or 12.4 of these general provisions, the approval of such a Termination Report by the State shall entitle the Subrecipient to receive that portion of the Grant amount earned to and including the date of termination.
 12.3. In the event of Termination under paragraphs 10 or 12.4 of these general provisions, the approval of such a Termination Report by the State shall in no event relieve the Subrecipient from any and all liability for damages sustained or incurred by the State as a result of the Subrecipient's breach of its obligations hereunder.
 12.4. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, either the State or, except where notice default has been given to the Subrecipient hereunder, the Subrecipient, may terminate this Agreement without cause upon thirty (30) days written notice.

13. CONFLICT OF INTEREST. No officer, member of employee of the Subrecipient, and no representative, officer or employee of the State of New Hampshire or of the governing body of the locality or localities in which the Project is to be performed, who exercises any functions or responsibilities in the review or

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- approval of the undertaking or carrying out of such Project, shall participate in any decision relating to this Agreement which affects his or her personal interest or the interest of any corporation, partnership, or association in which he or she is directly or indirectly interested, nor shall he or she have any personal or pecuniary interest, direct or indirect, in this Agreement or the proceeds thereof.
14. SUBRECIPIENT'S RELATION TO THE STATE. In the performance of this Agreement the Subrecipient, its employees, and any subcontractor or subgrantee of the Subrecipient are in all respects independent contractors, and are neither agents nor employees of the State. Neither the Subrecipient nor any of its officers, employees, agents, members, subcontractors or subgrantees, shall have authority to bind the State nor are they entitled to any of the benefits, workmen's compensation or emoluments provided by the State to its employees.
 15. ASSIGNMENT AND SUBCONTRACTS. The Subrecipient shall not assign, or otherwise transfer any interest in this Agreement without the prior written consent of the State. None of the Project Work shall be subcontracted or subgranted by the Subrecipient other than as set forth in Exhibit A without the prior written consent of the State.
 16. INDEMNIFICATION. The Subrecipient shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the State, its officers and employees, from and against any and all losses suffered by the State, its officers and employees, and any and all claims, liabilities or penalties asserted against the State, its officers and employees, by or on behalf of any person, on account of, based on, resulting from, arising out of (or which may be claimed to arise out of) the acts or omissions of the Subrecipient or subcontractor, or subgrantee or other agent of the Subrecipient. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein contained shall be deemed to constitute a waiver of the sovereign immunity of the State, which immunity is hereby reserved to the State. This covenant shall survive the termination of this agreement.
 17. INSURANCE AND BOND.
 - 17.1 The Subrecipient shall, at its own expense, obtain and maintain in force, or shall require any subcontractor, subgrantee or assignee performing Project work to obtain and maintain in force, both for the benefit of the State, the following insurance:
 - 17.1.1 Statutory workmen's compensation and employees liability insurance for all employees engaged in the performance of the Project, and
 - 17.1.2 Comprehensive public liability insurance against all claims of bodily injuries, death or property damage, in amounts not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 aggregate for bodily injury or death any one incident, and \$500,000 for property damage in any one incident; and
 - 17.2. The policies described in subparagraph 17.1 of this paragraph shall be the standard form employed in the State of New Hampshire, issued by underwriters acceptable to the State, and authorized to do business in the State of New Hampshire. Each policy shall contain a clause prohibiting cancellation or modification of the policy earlier than ten (10) days after written notice thereof has been received by the State.
 18. WAIVER OF BREACH. No failure by the State to enforce any provisions hereof after any Event of Default shall be deemed a waiver of its rights with regard to that Event, or any subsequent Event. No express waiver of any Event of Default shall be deemed a waiver of any provisions hereof. No such failure of waiver shall be deemed a waiver of the right of the State to enforce each and all of the provisions hereof upon any further or other default on the part of the Subrecipient.
 19. NOTICE. Any notice by a party hereto to the other party shall be deemed to have been duly delivered or given at the time of mailing by certified mail, postage prepaid, in a United States Post Office addressed to the parties at the addresses first above given.
 20. AMENDMENT. This Agreement may be amended, waived or discharged only by an instrument in writing signed by the parties hereto and only after approval of such amendment, waiver or discharge by the Governor and Council of the State of New Hampshire, if required, or by the signing State Agency.
 21. CONSTRUCTION OF AGREEMENT AND TERMS. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the law of the State of New Hampshire, and is binding upon and inures to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assignees. The captions and contents of the "subject" blank are used only as a matter of convenience, and are not to be considered a part of this Agreement or to be used in determining the intend of the parties hereto.
 22. THIRD PARTIES. The parties hereto do not intend to benefit any third parties and this Agreement shall not be construed to confer any such benefit.
 23. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement, which may be executed in a number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, constitutes the entire agreement and understanding between the parties, and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings relating hereto.
 24. SPECIAL PROVISIONS. The additional provisions set forth in Exhibit C hereto are incorporated as part of this agreement.

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EXHIBIT A

Scope of Services

1. The Department of Safety, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (hereinafter referred to as "the State") is awarding the Town of Chester (hereinafter referred to as "the Subrecipient") \$65,091.00 to purchase supplies and equipment to support operations of the community's emergency shelter when open.
2. "The Subrecipient" agrees that the project grant period ends September 30, 2017 and that a final performance and expenditure report will be sent to "the State" by October 31, 2017.
3. "The Subrecipient" agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state laws, rules, regulations, and requirements.
4. "The Subrecipient" shall maintain financial records, supporting documents, and all other pertinent records for a period of three (3) years from the grant period end date. In these records, "the Subrecipient" shall maintain documentation of the 50% cost share required by this grant.

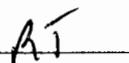
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EXHIBIT B

Grant Amount and Method of Payment

1. GRANT AMOUNT

	Applicant	Grant	
	Share	(Federal Funds)	Cost Totals
Project Cost	\$65,091.00	\$65,091.00	\$130,182.00
Project Cost is 50% Federal Funds, 50% Applicant Share			
Awarding Agency: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)			
Award Title & #: Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) EMW-2015-EP-00067			
Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 97.042 (EMPG)			
Applicant's Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS): 102469926			

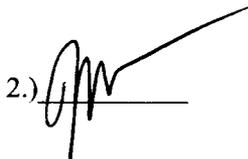
2. PAYMENT SCHEDULE

- a. "The Subrecipient" agrees the total payment by "the State" under this grant agreement shall be up to \$65,091.00.
- b. "The State" shall reimburse up to \$65,091.00 to "the Subrecipient" upon "the State" receiving appropriate documentation of expended funds (i.e, copies of invoices and cancelled checks) and proof of match from "the Subrecipient".

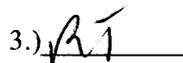
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EXHIBIT C

Special Provisions

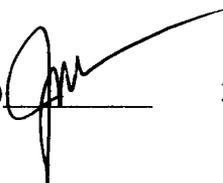
1. This grant agreement may be terminated upon thirty (30) days written notice by either party.
2. Any funds advanced to “the Subrecipient” must be returned to “the State” if the grant agreement is terminated for any reason other than completion of the project.
3. Any funds advanced to “the Subrecipient” must be expended within 30 days of receiving the advanced funds.
4. “The Subrecipient” agrees to have an audit conducted in compliance with OMB Circular 2 CFR 200, if applicable. If a compliance audit is not required, at the end of each audit period “the Subrecipient” will certify in writing that they have not expended the amount of federal funds that would require a compliance audit (\$750,000). If required, they will forward for review and clearance a copy of the completed audit(s) to “the State”.

Additionally, “the Subrecipient” has or will notify their auditor of the above requirements prior to performance of the audit. “The Subrecipient” will also ensure that, if required, the entire grant period will be covered by a compliance audit, which in some cases will mean more than one audit must be submitted. “The Subrecipient” will advise the auditor to cite specifically that the audit was done in accordance with OMB Circular 2 CFR 200. “The Subrecipient” will also ensure that all records concerning this grant will be kept on file for a minimum of three (3) years from the end of this audit period.

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**Town of Chester
Board of Selectmen Meeting
Thursday, August 18th, 2016
Municipal Complex
Draft Minutes**

I Preliminaries

- Call the Meeting to Order
- Roll Call
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Chairman’s Additions or Deletions
- Public Comment
- Approval of Minutes
- Spring Hill Farm - RFP & Lease
- Conservation Commission Appointment - Ted Broadwater
- 457 Plan - Will Hinman
- Recreation Coordinator Introduction/New Hire - Corinna Reishus
- Group Life Insurance Discussion
- Homeland Security Grant - Phil Gladu
- Police Chief Berube
- Building Inspector Candidate - Paul D’Amore
- Roundtable
- Non-Public Session
- Adjournment

1.1 Call to Order

Chairman Landau called this meeting of the Town of Chester Board of Selectmen to order at 7:00pm.

1.2 Roll Call

Selectmen present:

- Cass Buckley
- Jack Cannon
- Joseph Hagan
- Stephen Landau
- Dick Trask

Members of the Public present, at various times:

- Aaron Berube, Police Chief
- Greg Bolduc, Fire Chief
- Ted Broadwater
- Ben Clark, Fire Department
- Paul D’Amore
- Will Hinman
- Chuck Myette, Conservation Commission/Spring Hill Farm
- Corinna Reishus, Recreation Coordinator
- Matt Rittenhouse, Tri-Town Times
- Brad Wamsley, Spring Hill Farm
- And others unknown to the Recording Secretary

1.3 Pledge of Allegiance

Department. There will be no penalties for switching companies.

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Vice-Chairman Trask moved to approve the change from National Life’s 457 Plan to Security Benefit’s 457 Plan; Selectman Hagan seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous in the affirmative; so moved.

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The planned implementation date is September 21st, 2016. A meeting should be held in early September to explain this program to the employees; enrollment will be kept open as 30 days’ notice is required.

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Mr. Hinman departed the meeting at 7:39pm.

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3.3 Recreation Coordinator Introduction/New Hire - Corinna Reishus

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Chairman Landau informed those in attendance that last week, the Recreation Commission had suggested that Corinna Reishus be hired as the part-time Recreation Coordinator to replace the former Coordinator who had resigned her position.

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Chairman Landau moved to hire Corinna Reishus as part-time Recreation Coordinator; Selectman Hagan seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous in the affirmative; so moved.

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Recreation Coordinator Reishus departed the meeting table at 7:43pm.

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3.4 Group Life Insurance Discussion

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Vice-Chairman Trask noted that the Police Department, in particular, had requested a Group Life Insurance plan, as all other Towns offer this. Health Trust offered a quote of \$88 for the Police Department only. In order to compare this to other companies, all Town employees needed to be included. Vice-Chairman Trask also procured a quote from Dearborn National, as follows:

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Health Trust	\$325/month, 1x salary
Dearborn National	\$225/month, 1x salary

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This is reasonable, and not expensive; it will attract candidates. An employee may, if desired, purchase more than 1x his or her salary. Selectman Buckley opined that Dearborn’s coverage was better, as well as less expensive. This is for full time employees only; it may not be offered to part-time employees.

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Chairman Landau moved to offer Group Life Insurance to all Employees at 1x the Employee’s gross salary along with other options if available; Selectman Hagan seconded the motion.

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Selectman Buckley offered a friendly amendment to add the offering of AD&D coverage as well; this amendment received unanimous acclaim and was accepted by Chairman Landau and Selectman Hagan. The motion now reads:

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Chairman Landau moved to offer Group Life Insurance to all full-time Employees at 1x the Employee’s gross salary and AD&D; Selectman Hagan seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous in the affirmative; so moved.

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3.5 Homeland Security Grant - Phil Gladu

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Fire Chief Bolduc appeared before the Selectmen for the acceptance and execution of this grant paperwork in the absence of Emergency Management Director Gladu.

210 The Town of Chester Board of Selectmen, in a majority vote, accepted the terms of the Emergency
212 Management Performance Grant (EMPG) as presented in the amount of \$65,091.00 for the purchase of
214 supplies and equipment to support the emergency shelter. Furthermore, the Board acknowledges that
the total cost of this project will be \$130,182.00 in which the Town will be responsible for a 50% match
(\$65,091 in-kind from previously paid renovation costs).

216 **Chairman Landau moved to accept the Emergency Management Performance Grant in the**
218 **amount of \$65,091.00; Vice-Chairman Trask seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous**
in the affirmative; so moved.

220 Chairman Landau, Vice-Chairman Trask, and Selectman Hagan signed, initialed, and dated the grant;
Recreation Coordinator Reishus notarized the signatures.

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224 BOS Administrative Assistant Tymoniewicz will copy the grant paperwork and return it to Fire Chief Bolduc
along with a copy of these minutes.

226 Fire Chief Bolduc read a letter of resignation from Robert P. Murphy, who is furthering his education and
has moved out of Town.

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230 **Chairman Landau moved to accept the letter of resignation from the Chester Fire Department**
of Robert P. Murphy; Vice-Chairman Trask seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous in
the affirmative; so moved.

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234 Captain Clark joined Fire Chief Bolduc at the meeting table.

236 Fire Chief Bolduc reported that things are going well with the Fire Department. Attendance rate is up 5%
over the last quarter; July 2016 showed a 24% attendance rate, compared to July 2015's rate of 11.5%.
238 Higher participation and three recent significant fire events both mean a higher payroll. As it is early in
the Fiscal Year, there is plenty of time to adjust.

240 Fire Chief Bolduc and Captain Clark also discussed a desired change to Firefighter physicals. The DOT
242 physical only costs \$100, but is insufficient for a Firefighter. Firefighter physicals are much more extensive,
but can cost \$700-\$900 each.

244 The current compromise is to have the Firefighter take the Fire Education checklist to his or her own
246 Doctor, and have it filled out. However, going forward, it would be ideal to have each new Firefighter (and
when possible, all other Firefighters) have the more extensive exam in order to create a baseline. Those
248 who work as professional Firefighters in other Towns will not need the exam, as they will get it through
their other job; EMS-only personnel will also not require the exam.

250 There was some discussion about having one’s own Doctor perform the more extensive exam using the
252 Firefighter’s insurance, and the Town paying the deductible; however, it is unclear whether or not the
Town would then have the right to access those medical records.

254 The Fire Department is still researching this matter.

256 Fire Chief Bolduc and Captain Clark departed the meeting table at 8:07pm.

258 *3.6 Police Chief Berube*

260 Police Chief Berube reported that he had received a letter of resignation from part-time Officer Amanda
262 Basner. She had originally been hired as full-time, but had been injured while at the Academy and went
down to part-time status. She had been medically cleared, but did not consider herself ready to attend



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Participating Member: Primex ³ Members as per attached Schedule of Members Property & Liability Program		Member Number:		Company Affording Coverage: NH Public Risk Management Exchange - Primex ³ Bow Brook Place 46 Donovan Street Concord, NH 03301-2624	
	Type of Coverage	Effective Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Expiration Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Limits - NH Statutory Limits May Apply	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	General Liability (Occurrence Form) Professional Liability (describe) <input type="checkbox"/> Claims Made <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence	7/1/2016	7/1/2017	Each Occurrence	\$ 5,000,000
				General Aggregate	\$ 5,000,000
				Fire Damage (Any one fire)	
				Med Exp (Any one person)	
	Automobile Liability Deductible Comp and Coll: Any auto			Combined Single Limit (Each Accident)	
				Aggregate	
	Workers' Compensation & Employers' Liability			Statutory	
				Each Accident	
				Disease - Each Employee	
				Disease - Policy Limit	
	Property (Special Risk includes Fire and Theft)			Blanket Limit, Replacement Cost (unless otherwise stated)	
Description: Proof of Primex coverage only.					

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			By: <i>Tammy Deaver</i>
			Date: 7/8/2016 tdenver@nhprimex.org
NH Dept of Safety Hazen Dr. Concord, NH 03301			Please direct inquires to: Primex³ Risk Management Services 603-225-2841 phone 603-228-0650 fax

Shaker Regional School District	757
Somersworth School District	784
Souhegan Cooperative School District	778
Souhegan Regional Landfill District	590
South Hampton School District	844
Southeastern New Hampshire Hazmat Mutual Aid	583
Southeastern New Hampshire Hazmat Mutual Aid	583
Southern NH Special Operations Unit	595
Southwest New Hampshire District Fire Mutual Aid	538
Stark School District	831
Stoddard School District	854
Strafford Regional Planning Commission	562
Strafford School District	944
Stratford School District	832
Stratham School District	821
Strong Foundations Charter School	1213
Sullivan County	606
Sullivan School District	606
Sunapee School District	955
Surry School District	965
Swains Lake Village District	552
Tamworth School District	836
TEAMS Charter School	1212
Thornton School District	758
Tilton Northfield Fire	567
Timberlane Regional School District	775
Town of Acworth	100
Town of Albany	101
Town of Alexandria	102
Town of Allenstown	103
Town of Alstead	104
Town of Amherst	106
Town of Andover	107
Town of Antrim	108
Town of Atkinson	110
Town of Auburn	111
Town of Barnstead	112
Town of Barrington	113
Town of Bartlett	114
Town of Bath	115
Town of Belmont	117
Town of Bennington	118
Town of Bethlehem	119
Town of Boscawen	122
Town of Bow	123
Town of Bradford	124
Town of Brentwood	125
Town of Brookfield	128
Town of Brookline	129
Town of Campton	130
Town of Canaan	131
Town of Candia	132
Town of Canterbury	133
Town of Carroll	134
Town of Center Harbor	135
Town of Charlestown	136
Town of Chatham	137
Town of Chester	138
Town of Chesterfield	139
Town of Chichester	140
Town of Clarksville	142
Town of Colebrook	143



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Participating Member: Primex ³ Members as per attached Schedule of Members Workers Compensation Program		Member Number:		Company Affording Coverage: NH Public Risk Management Exchange - Primex ³ Bow Brook Place 46 Donovan Street Concord, NH 03301-2624		
Type of Coverage	Effective Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Expiration Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Limits - NH Statutory Limits May Apply			
<input type="checkbox"/> General Liability (Occurrence Form) <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Liability (describe) <input type="checkbox"/> Claims Made <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence			Each Occurrence			
			General Aggregate			
			Fire Damage (Any one fire)			
			Med Exp (Any one person)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Automobile Liability Deductible Comp and Coll: <input type="checkbox"/> Any auto			Combined Single Limit (Each Accident)			
				Aggregate		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Workers' Compensation & Employers' Liability	7/1/2016	7/1/2017	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Statutory		\$2,000,000	
			Each Accident		\$2,000,000	
			Disease - Each Employee			
			Disease - Policy Limit			
<input type="checkbox"/> Property (Special Risk includes Fire and Theft)			Blanket Limit, Replacement Cost (unless otherwise stated)			
Description: Proof of Primex coverage only.						

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Thornton School District	758
Tilton Northfield Fire	567
Tilton Northfield Water Precinct	585
Timberlane Regional School District	775
Town of Amherst	106
Town of Barnstead	112
Town of Center Harbor	135
Town of Charlestown	136
Town of Chatham	137
→ Town of Chester	138
Town of Danbury	150
Town of Derry	154
Town of Dorchester	155
Town of Dublin	157
Town of Enfield	166
Town of Fitzwilliam	172
Town of Greenfield	186
Town of Greenland	187
Town of Hampton	191
Town of Hanover	194
Town of Haverhill	196
Town of Hebron	197
Town of Hillsborough	200
Town of Hinsdale	201
Town of Holderness	202
Town of Hooksett	204
Town of Hudson	206
Town of Lisbon	221
Town of Londonderry	224
Town of Lyme	227
Town of Madbury	229
Town of Marlborough	232
Town of Marlow	233
Town of Merrimack	236
Town of New Castle	248
Town of New Durham	249
Town of New Hampton	251
Town of New London	254
Town of Newbury	247
Town of Newmarket	255
Town of Newton	257
Town of North Hampton	259
Town of Peterborough	268
Town of Piermont	269
Town of Randolph	276
Town of Richmond	278
Town of Rollinsford	281
Town of Sharon	291
Town of Springfield	295
Town of Stark	297
Town of Stewartstown	298
Town of Stoddard	310
Town of Sugar Hill	302
Town of Sutton	306