

- TO: Michael D. Polensek, Chair Safety Committee
- **FROM:** Dornat A. Drummond, Interim Director Department of Public Safety
- **DATE:** March 6, 2024
- **SUBJECT:** Ordinance No.165-2024 Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant from the United States Department of Homeland Security for the FY22 Assistance to Firefighters Grant; and authorizing the Director to employ one or more professional consultants to conduct cancer and behavioral health screenings and medical and fitness evaluations and expanding health and cancer screenings

If passed by Council, Ordinance No. 165-2024 would authorize the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant in the amount of \$812,404.47 from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security for the FY22 Assistance to Firefighters Grant and includes a cash match of \$81,240.45. This legislation would provide funding for cancer/ health screenings for the Division of Fire.

Purpose of Grant:

This grant will provide funding for cancer screenings, behavioral health screenings, and medical and fitness evaluations for Division of Fire personnel.

Budge:

Contractual: <u>\$893,644.92</u> (Cancer, behavioral health, medical/ fitness screenings) Total: \$893,644.92

Grant Term and Amount:

The grant award amount is \$812,404.47 and includes a grant match of \$81,240.45 for a total project budget of \$893,644.92.

The Grant Period is June 1, 2023 to May 31, 2025.