CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

RESOLUTION NO. 46-20

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT A GRANT REQUEST TO THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS' (DOLA) ENERGY AND MINERAL IMPACT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF FIRE STATION 3

RECITALS.

The Fire Department is requesting replacement of Fire Station 3 located at 582 25½ Road. Application of a Colorado Department of Local Affairs (DOLA) for a Tier II Energy Impact Grant has been identified to assist with funding this project in the General Fund Capital Budget. If awarded, these grant funds will help offset the construction costs of a replacement Fire Station 3. The project was planned for 2023 but due to the firefighter health/safety and facility maintenance factors listed below staff is recommending that this project be moved up to 2021.

- Inability to address firefighter safety and cancer prevention strategies
- No gender separation and privacy for employees
- No ability for future facility expansion for personnel or apparatus
- Major maintenance issues involving plumbing, drainage, and roof

The request to DOLA is for a \$1.0 million grant with a \$4.5 million match for a total project amount of \$5.5 million to assist with funding for the construction of a replacement Fire Station 3.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Council of the City of Grand Junction does hereby authorize the City Manager to submit a \$1million grant request, with local match of \$4.5 million, in accordance with and pursuant to the recitals stated above to the Colorado Department of Local Affairs' Energy and Mineral Impact Assistance Program for the construction of a replacement Fire Station 3.

Dated this 15th day of July 2020.

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C.E. Duke Wortmann
President of the Council

ATTEST:

Wanda Winkelmann

City Clerk