



**CITY OF LODI
COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

AGENDA TITLE: Adopt Resolution Approving Donation of Retired Self-contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) and Surplus Turnouts to the Lodi Unified School District Regional Occupation Fire Science Technology Program

MEETING DATE: February 17, 2010

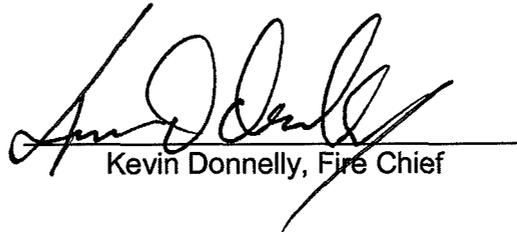
PREPARED BY Kevin Donnelly, Fire Chief

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt Resolution approving donation of retired Self-contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) and surplus turnouts to the Lodi Unified School District Regional Occupation Fire Science Technology Program.

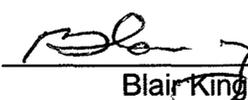
BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Fire Department has surplus turnouts that no longer offer appropriate protection for live fire activity. The turnouts failed to pass either a moisture barrier or thermal liner test and were found to be insufficient for fire-related activity. They may be utilized for non-firefighting activities and have been permanently marked for training use only. The Fire Department currently utilizes these turnouts for our training academy and has an excess inventory of this equipment. The SCBAs were received through a grant in 1996 and were utilized until 2006-2007, at which time they were taken out of service. The Fire Department requests that the SCBAs be removed from the fixed asset records and that the seven turnout pants, 10 turnout jackets, two pairs of firefighting gloves, four SCBAs, four SCBA bottles, and two SCBA masks be donated to the Lodi Unified School District Regional Occupation Fire Science Technology Program. The City Attorney's Office will draft a hold harmless agreement in favor of the City to be executed by LUSD in consideration for the donation.

FISCAL IMPACT: The SCBAs and turnouts do not meet current standards. Donating the equipment will free storage space and provide equipment for a limited budget fire science program that has directly impacted the fire department and the City of Lodi with 15 current employees that are graduates from the program.

FUNDING AVAILABLE: No City funds will be expended to accomplish this donation.


Kevin Donnelly, Fire Chief

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Attachment

APPROVED: 
Blair King, City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 2010-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING
THE DONATION OF RETIRED SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING
APPARATUS AND SURPLUS TURNOUTS TO THE LODI UNIFIED
SCHOOL DISTRICT REGIONAL OCCUPATION FIRE SCIENCE
TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM

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WHEREAS, the Fire Department has surplus turnout pants, ten turnout jackets, and two pairs of firefighting gloves, that are no longer appropriate protection for live fire activity (collectively the "Turnouts"); and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has four Self-contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA), four SCBA bottles, and two SCBA masks (collectively the "SCSA") that have been taken out of service; and

WHEREAS, the Turnouts and the SCBA may only be used for non-firefighting activities and have been permanently marked for training use only; and

WHEREAS, LUSD will execute a hold harmless agreement in favor of the City of Lodi in consideration for the donation of the Turnouts and the SCBA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby authorize the removal of the four SCBAs, four SCBA bottles, and two SCBA masks from the fixed asset records of the City of Lodi; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby authorize the donation of the seven turnout pants, ten turnout jackets, two pairs of firefighting gloves, and the four SCBAs, four SCBA bottles, and two SCBA masks to the Lodi Unified School District Regional Occupation Fire Science Technology Program.

Dated: February 17, 2010

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2010-14 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held February 17, 2010, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hansen, Hitchcock, Johnson, Mounce,
and Mayor Katzakian

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None


RANDI JOHL
City Clerk