

Motion M2021-32 authorizing the City Manager or his designee to apply for a grant of \$54,333 from South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control's South Carolina Hospital Preparedness Grant Program for the purpose of providing Threat Suppression and Tactical Medical Care training to first responders, to record the appropriation of such grant funds in the amount that may be approved, and to execute and deliver the grant agreement and such related documents as may be required to put the grant into effect. No match is required.

Throughout the region when active shooter situations arise response is from law enforcement, fire departments, EMS agencies and communications experts. Threat Suppression and Tactical Training for first responders has been spotty, limited and has not reached all personnel that would benefit from the training. This training is specifically targeted for public safety agencies responding to active shooter/hostile events and will help bridge the gap by providing a majority of fire departments, EMS agencies, and law enforcement staff in the region training to help with a coordinated response to an active shooter event.