Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: **28.**

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CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: MARCH 7, 2007

DEPARTMENT: HUMAN RESOURCES
DIRECTOR: CLAUDETTE ENUS

☒**Consent** ☐ **Discussion**

SUBJECT:
Approval to create one regular full-time Metropolitan Medical Response System Coordinator for the Fire and Rescue - Operations Division of the Fire Department ($74,303 Salary + $29,721 Benefits - Metropolitan Medical Response System Grant)

Fiscal Impact

☐ **No Impact** ☐ **Augmentation Required**

☒ **Budget Funds Available**

Amount: $104,024.00
Funding Source: Metropolitan Medical Response System Grant
Dept./Division: Fire Department/Fire Rescue - Operations

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:
This position directly supports the global fire department goal to enhance Emergency management capabilities for manmade or natural disasters and address Homeland Security issue through prevention, response, mitigation and critical infrastructure protection measures. The position has been occupied for the last 5 years and, out of necessity, has a full-time person assigned to the area. Las Vegas Fire Rescue has received over 1.3 million dollars in direct MMRS funding since fiscal year 2000. This grant has been very stable since its inception and we are very confident the funding will continue long term. The position can be 100% funded by annual grant monies originating from the Metropolitan Medical Response System (MMRS) grant. This grant has been strongly funded at approximately $230,000 annually for over 5 years and continues to have tremendous support.

RECOMMENDATION:
Approve the creation of MMRS Coordinator position for Fire & Rescue.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:
None

Motion made by GARY REESE to Approve Items 12-57

Passed For: 6; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 0
LARRY BROWN, LOIS TARKANIAN, STEVE WOLFSON, OSCAR B. GOODMAN, GARY REESE, STEVEN D. ROSS; (Against-None); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-None)