

**CITY OF COOS BAY CITY COUNCIL**  
**Agenda Staff Report**

<b>MEETING DATE</b> January 19, 2016	<b>AGENDA ITEM NUMBER</b>
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TO: Mayor Shoji and City Councilors

FROM: Mark Anderson, Fire Chief

Through: Rodger Craddock, City Manager

**ISSUE:** Acceptance of Coquille Tribal Community Fund Grant

**BACKGROUND:**

A recent national standard (NFPA 1962) requires that fire hose manufactured prior to July of 1987 be removed from service. To comply with the standard in 2014, the Fire Department decommissioned roughly 2,500 feet of fire hose. The cost of replacing this and additional hose that failed the annual testing is just under \$19,000. The City budgets \$2,700 annually for fire hose replacement; and through a department risk analysis process, staff identified a need to consider outside funding sources to accelerate the replacement of fire hose.

Staff applied to the Coquille Tribal Community Fund (CTCF) for \$18,878 for the replacement of substandard fire hose. The CTCF graciously awarded partial funding of \$5,000 to the fire hose replacement project.

**ADVANTAGES:**

Accepting the Coquille Tribal Community Fund award will allow the Fire Department to purchase approximately 750 feet of National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) compliant fire hose.

**DISADVANTAGES:**

None

**BUDGET:**

With Council approval, Fire Department staff would utilize the Coquille Tribal Community Funds to purchase fire hose.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

If it pleases the City Council, please accept the Coquille Tribal Community Fund award of \$5,000, and approve the purchase of a National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) compliant fire hose.