

CITY COUNCIL OF COTTER, ARKANSAS
RESOLUTION # 2013-09

Be it resolved by the City Council of Cotter, State of Arkansas a resolution entitled: Cotter Volunteer Fire Department Arkansas Rural Development Fire Grant Recommendation.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor of Cotter to apply for a grant of behalf of the Cotter Volunteer Fire Department.

Whereas, the Cotter City Council has determined that the Cotter Volunteer Fire Department meets eligibility requirements necessary to apply for a grant under the Arkansas Rural Community Grant Programs; and

Whereas, the Cotter Volunteer Fire Department Community has presented plans to replenish our volunteer firefighter's turnouts which were last purchased in 1993 and 2004; in addition, the replenishment of new helmets, hoods, boots, gloves, stealthlites, gear bags and safety tools will improve the safety of our firefighters and for their overall general firefighting; and

Whereas, the City Council of Cotter recognizes the need for the project, concurs its importance, and supports the Cotter Volunteer Fire Department in its efforts to proceed with the same; and

Whereas, the Cotter Volunteer Fire Department has furnished proof that they have raised \$11,992.00 through community cash and/or in-kind donations to be applied to the project as a local match (if applicable);

Therefore, be it resolved that the City Council of Cotter hereby appropriates the sum of \$11,992.00 to complete the local match money requirement for the project described herein;

Be it further resolved, that the Mayor of Cotter is hereby authorized to submit an application of formal request to the Arkansas Rural Development Commission for purposes of securing state grant funds in the amount of \$11,992.00 to aid and assist the Cotter Volunteer Fire Department in executing the proposed project described herein and that the Mayor of Cotter or Recorder/Treasurer of Cotter is further authorized to administer the grant funds for the same project.

THIS RESOLUTION ADOPTED IN REGULAR SESSION ON Dec. 19th, 2013.

APPROVED BY MAYOR: _____



Typed Name of Mayor: Peggy Hammack

ATTEST BY CITY CLERK: _____



