

# Award Letter

U.S. Department of Homeland Security  
Washington, D.C. 20472

Effective date: 08/03/2021



Joel Stephenson  
NIAGARA FALLS, CITY OF  
3115 WALNUT AVE  
NIAGARA FALLS, NY 14301  
EMW-2020-FG-17265

Dear Joel Stephenson,

Congratulations on behalf of the Department of Homeland Security. Your application submitted for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) Grant funding opportunity has been approved in the amount of \$314,718.18 in Federal funding. As a condition of this grant, you are required to contribute non-Federal funds equal to or greater than 10.0% of the Federal funds awarded, or \$31,471.82 for a total approved budget of \$346,190.00. Please see the FY 2020 AFG Notice of Funding Opportunity for information on how to meet this cost share requirement.

Before you request and receive any of the Federal funds awarded to you, you must establish acceptance of the award through the FEMA Grants Outcomes (FEMA GO) system. By accepting this award, you acknowledge that the terms of the following documents are incorporated into the terms of your award:

- Summary Award Memo - included in this document
- Agreement Articles - included in this document
- Obligating Document - included in this document
- 2020 AFG Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) - incorporated by reference

Please make sure you read, understand, and maintain a copy of these documents in your official file for this award.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Christopher Logan".

Christopher Logan  
Acting Assistant Administrator  
Grant Programs Directorate

# **Summary Award Memo**

**Program:** Fiscal Year 2020 Assistance to Firefighters Grant

**Recipient:** NIAGARA FALLS, CITY OF

**DUNS number:** 103806808

**Award number:** EMW-2020-FG-17265

## **Summary description of award**

The purpose of the Assistance to Firefighters Grant program is to protect the health and safety of the public and firefighting personnel against fire and fire-related hazards. After careful consideration, FEMA has determined that the recipient's project or projects submitted as part of the recipient's application and detailed in the project narrative as well as the request details section of the application - including budget information - was consistent with the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program's purpose and was worthy of award.

Except as otherwise approved as noted in this award, the information you provided in your application for FY 2020 Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 Assistance to Firefighters Grants funding is incorporated into the terms and conditions of this award. This includes any documents submitted as part of the application.

## **Amount awarded table**

The amount of the award is detailed in the attached Obligating Document for Award.

The following are the budgeted estimates for object classes for this award (including Federal share plus your cost share, if applicable):

Object Class	Total
Personnel	\$0.00
Fringe benefits	\$0.00
Travel	\$0.00
Equipment	\$346,190.00
Supplies	\$0.00
Contractual	\$0.00
Construction	\$0.00
Other	\$0.00
Indirect charges	\$0.00
 Federal	 \$314,718.18
Non-federal	\$31,471.82
 Total	 \$346,190.00
 Program Income	 \$0.00

## Approved scope of work

After review of your application, FEMA has approved the below scope of work. Justifications are provided for any differences between the scope of work in the original application and the approved scope of work under this award. You must submit scope or budget revision requests for FEMA's prior approval, via an amendment request, as appropriate per 2 C.F.R. § 200.308 and the FY2020 AFG NOFO.

Approved request details:

## Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

## Face Pieces (not associated with SCBA requests)

### DESCRIPTION

NFPA 1981 - 2019 compliant SCBA face pieces for individual member issue

	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL	BUDGET CLASS
Cost 1	82	\$295.00	\$24,190.00	Equipment

## SCBA: SCBA Unit includes: Harness/Backpack, Face Piece and 2 cylinders

### DESCRIPTION

NFPA 1981 - 2019 compliant SCBA with extra cylinders

	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL	BUDGET CLASS
Cost 1	36	\$7,000.00	\$252,000.00	Equipment

### CHANGE FROM APPLICATION

Price from \$8,701.00 to \$7,000.00

### JUSTIFICATION

This reduction is because the cost you requested for SCBA exceeds the average price range calculated from market research and prior awards for the same item.

## Equipment

## Air Compressor/Cascade/Fill Station (Fixed or Mobile) for filling SCBA

### DESCRIPTION

Compliant breathing air compressor and compliant fill station with storage cylinders.

	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL	BUDGET CLASS
Cost 1	1	\$70,000.00	\$70,000.00	Equipment

### CHANGE FROM APPLICATION

Price from \$79,985.00 to \$70,000.00

### JUSTIFICATION

This reduction is because the cost you requested for the Air compressor/cascade/fill station exceeds the average price range calculated from market research and prior awards for the same item.

## Obligating document

1. Agreement No. EMW-2020-FG-17265	2. Amendment No. N/A	3. Recipient No. 166002548	4. Type of Action AWARD	5. Control No. WX00641N2021T		
6. Recipient Name and Address NIAGARA FALLS, CITY OF 3115 WALNUT AVE NIAGARA FALLS, NY 14301		7. Issuing FEMA Office and Address Grant Programs Directorate 500 C Street, S.W. Washington DC, 20528-7000 1-866-927-5646		8. Payment Office and Address FEMA, Financial Services Branch 500 C Street, S.W., Room 723 Washington DC, 20742		
9. Name of Recipient Project Officer Joel Stephenson		9a. Phone No. 7162864729	10. Name of FEMA Project Coordinator Assistance to Firefighters Grants Grant Program	10a. Phone No. 1-866-274-0960		
11. Effective Date of This Action 08/03/2021		12. Method of Payment OTHER - FEMA GO	13. Assistance Arrangement COST SHARING	14. Performance Period 08/10/2021 to 08/09/2023 Budget Period 08/10/2021 to 08/09/2023		
15. Description of Action a. (Indicate funding data for awards or financial changes)						
Program Name Abbreviation	Assistance Listings No.	Accounting Data(ACCS Code)	Prior Total Award	Amount Awarded This Action + or (-)	Current Total Award	Cumulative Non-Federal Commitment
AFG	97.044	2021-F0-GB01 - P410-xxxx-4101-D	\$0.00	\$314,718.18	\$314,718.18	\$31,471.82
		Totals	\$0.00	\$314,718.18	\$314,718.18	\$31,471.82
b. To describe changes other than funding data or financial changes, attach schedule and check here: N/A						
16. FOR NON-DISASTER PROGRAMS: RECIPIENT IS REQUIRED TO SIGN AND RETURN THREE (3) COPIES OF THIS DOCUMENT TO FEMA (See Block 7 for address) This field is not applicable for digitally signed grant agreements						

<b>17. RECIPIENT SIGNATORY OFFICIAL (Name and Title)</b>	<b>DATE</b>
<b>18. FEMA SIGNATORY OFFICAL (Name and Title)</b> Christopher Logan, Acting Assistant Administrator Grant Programs Directorate	<b>DATE</b> 08/03/2021