

**LACONIA CITY COUNCIL AGENDA
FEBRUARY 27, 2023**

**STAFF REPORT
AGENDA ITEM 21.B.
RESOLUTION 2023-05, RELATIVE TO
THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE NH DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY HOMELAND
SECURITY GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$43,000.00 FOR A FULL SCALE
ACTIVE SHOOTER EXERCISE**

Discussion: The Laconia Police Department applied for a grant from the NH Department of Safety Homeland Security to cover payroll and related expenses for a table top training exercise to be held March 15, 2023. This table top training exercise is in preparation for a full scale active shooter exercise scheduled to take place at Pleasant Street School on April 15, 2023. Laconia Fire Department, as well as several other local agencies, will also be involved in this exercise.

This grant was included in the FY22-23 anticipated grants resolution, RES 2022-08. A public hearing was held for grants listed in this Resolution on June 13, 2022.

Fiscal Impact: There is no local match required.

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends acceptance of this grant award as presented, and to authorize the City Manager to sign all related documents.

This report submitted by: Kirk Beattie, City Manager

Proposed motion: *“I move to approve Resolution 2023-05 relative to the acceptance of the NH Department of Safety Homeland Security Grant in the amount of \$43,000.00 for a full scale active shooter exercise as presented, and to authorize the City Manager to sign all documents related to this grant.”*