



# CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS

## Legislation Text

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Consider/Discuss/Act on a Resolution Awarding a Contract to Kirila Fire of Brookfield, Ohio for the Purchase of an Aircraft Rescue & Firefighting Training Simulator

**COUNCIL GOAL:** Operational Excellence

**MEETING DATE:** February 7, 2017

**DEPARTMENT:** Fire

**CONTACT:** Danny Kistner, Fire Chief

**RECOMMENDED CITY COUNCIL ACTION:**

- Approval of Resolution

**ITEM SUMMARY:**

- This Resolution authorizes award to Kirila Fire for the purchase of an aircraft rescue & firefighting training simulator for \$250,000.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- The City of McKinney was awarded a FY 2015 \$250,000 Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) grant through the Office of the Governor (OOG), for the purchase of an Aircraft Rescue Fire Fighting (ARFF) trainer/simulator. City Council approved the award of this grant on October 20, 2015. Currently, there are no similar trainers in the area other than at D/FW Airport. The MFD realizes that Operational Excellence, Airport Development, and Safe & Secure Community are the goals of the McKinney City Council. Acquisition of the trainer/simulator helps satisfy these goals by:
  - Providing extreme realism and live fire training - training in context.
  - Maximizing preparedness for aircraft fire and rescue. Allows for participation of mutual aid partners who may be called in real scenarios.
  - Keeping firefighters and apparatus in the City during training.
  - Providing for fire and rescue protection to keep pace with airport growth.
- The City issued Request for Proposals 17-29RFP ARFF Training Simulator on December 11, 2016.
- Two (2) proposals were received on January 12, 2017.
- An evaluation team comprised of six City employees reviewed and ranked the bids based on the following criteria:
  - Price
  - Functional Requirements

- Time Estimation for Completion of the Project
- Past and/or Present Performance

The evaluation team recommends awarding to Kirila Fire.

**FINANCIAL SUMMARY:**

- There is no match requirement for the grant. The grant will be disbursed on a reimbursable basis after proof of purchase and project completion is submitted. The project number is GR 1603.

**BOARD OR COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:**

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