

STAFF REPORT

Date: April 23, 2025

To: Mayor and City Council

Through: Jackie Bryant, City Manager

Subject: Staff Report (For Possible Action): Acceptance of donation from Ameila Grieve to the Parks and Recreation Department for five (5) CPR training units in the value of \$1,772.

From: Damaris McGlone, Management Analyst

Department: Parks and Recreation

Summary:

The Parks and Recreation Department was contacted regarding a community-driven initiative to enhance CPR training resources within the City of Reno through mannequin breast vests. Amelia Grieve, a local Girl Scout and City of Reno lifeguard pursuing her Gold Award, developed this CPR training enhancement product designed to improve hands-on learning and accessibility in emergency response education. The total value of the five (5) CPR units are \$1,772.00.

Consent Review	Yes	No
1. Is this item an annual or standard item that comes before Council for regular approval?		X
2. Is this item an agreement required based on an item previously approved by Council?		X
3. Is this item included in the current budget approved and adopted by Council?		X
Other Considerations		
What percent of the total City budget does this item represent?	N/A	

Alignment with Strategic Plan:

Arts, Parks, and Historical Resources
Public Safety

Previous Council Action:

There is no recent Council action relevant to this item.

Background:

Amelia Grieve, a local Girl Scout and City of Reno lifeguard pursuing her Gold Award, developed these CPR training devices and is donating five (5) of them to the City of Reno Parks and Recreation Department. Grieve made the breast vests for her Girl Scout Gold Award (similar to an Eagle Scout award). They are vests that can go over the CPR mannequins to simulate CPR with breast implants to train lifeguards on how to do resuscitation on women. It is widely known that people and lifesavers are uncomfortable doing CPR on women and hesitate to save them. Grieve hopes to alleviate some of the stigma around doing CPR on people with breasts.

Discussion:

The vests are made from wet suit material with the breast implants sewn in. Amelia fitted the vests with swimsuits so that lifeguards and the general public can practice removing swimsuits or shirts in the event that an AED is needed to be used. She recently made a presentation to the Recreation and Parks Commission on 02/25/25 meeting who recommend acceptance of the donation. The five (5) vests have already been used during public CPR classes, life guarding classes, and monthly lifeguard in-service trainings.

Financial Implications:

none.

Legal Implications:

Legal review completed for compliance with City procedures and Nevada law.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends Council accept the donation.

Proposed Motion:

I move to accept the donation.

Attachments:

Presentation to the Recreation and Parks Commission