



AGENDA NO: 6.e

MEETING DATE: April 28, 2026

Staff Report

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

DATE: April 20, 2026

FROM: Daniel McCrain, Fire Chief

SUBJECT: Equipment donation from the Friends of the Morro Bay Fire Department

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Accept the donated equipment from the Friends of the Morro Bay Fire Department and authorize the City Manager to execute the Donation Agreement.

ALTERNATIVES

None, donation offer complies with the City's Donation Policy as established by Resolution No. 61-19.

FISCAL IMPACT

The value of donated equipment totals \$5,271.61 for three (3) UE Scope 2 VL460 Video Laryngoscopes with required accessories.

BACKGROUND

The Morro Bay Fire Department received a donation of three (3) UE Scope 2 VL460 Video Laryngoscopes with required accessories that was purchased by the Friends of the Morro Bay Fire Department in April 2026. This equipment will only be by licensed Paramedic Fire Department staff. These video laryngoscopes will be used for advanced airway placement by Paramedics to support lifesaving care of a patient. The video laryngoscopes are useful in locating the airway in patients with difficult anatomy, trauma, blood or other obstructions leading to increased success rated in placing an advanced airway.

The Friends of the Moro Bay Fire Department board made a request for a release of liability for the donated equipment. The Friends of the Morro Bay Fire Department is a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit organization whose mission is,

1. To establish and maintain an association of persons interested in public safety;
2. To focus public attention on fire safety, services, facilities and needs;
3. To support and cooperate with the Morro Bay Fire Department to enhance safety, services, and facilities for the community;
4. To stimulate gifts, endowments, and bequests.

Prepared By: DM

Dept Review: DM

City Manager Review: JC

City Attorney Review: BS___

In support of this mission the Friends of the Morro Bay Fire Department has generously donated these valuable pieces of equipment to the Fire Department and the community of Morro Bay. Providing a release of liability for these donated items will help to ensure the Friends of the Morro Bay Fire Department will be able to continue making donations of valuable and much needed equipment to the Morro Bay Fire Department in the years to come without assuming unnecessary liability which may preclude future donations. This action is also consistent with the City's Donation Policy established by [Resolution 61-19](#) which requires City Council approval to accept donations exceeding \$5,000.



ATTACHMENT(S)

1. Friends of MB Fire Dept Donation Acceptance Agreement Video Laryngoscopes