



NORTHERN ARIZONA CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT #1

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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE 8/18/17 – NACFD#1 AWARDED \$228,00 FEDERAL GRANT
FOR NEW WATER TENDER

NACFD#1 has been officially notified that it will be receiving a \$228,772 grant from the United States Fire Administration, Assistance to Firefighters Grant program. The grant will be used to replace a 1980 Mack Water Tender in a program designed to replace older fire vehicles with newer, safer vehicles. This grant is similar to a \$205,000 grant received by the former Truxton Fire District (now part of NACFD1) for a similar vehicle in 2007. The grant was written by NACFD1 Battalion Chief Tim King who was recognized at the District's monthly Board of Directors meeting on Thursday.

The new vehicle will be in service by July 1, 2018 and will have the following specifications:

- Commercial 2017/2018 Truck Chassis
- 3,000 Gallon Water Tank
- 1,000 Gallon Per Minute (GPM) Fire Pump

The grant will also cover all required equipment as specified by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) including hose, ladders, nozzles, fittings, portable tank and firefighting tools.

"This is Chief King's first vehicle grant award, which by their very nature are difficult grants to receive. We are very proud of his efforts, and on behalf of the Board of Directors and the staff of NACFD we thank Tim for his hard work and congratulate him on this successful grant award." (Eder, 2017)

Once in service, the new vehicle will be assigned to Fire Station 32 at Able and Northern Ave.

For additional information, please contact Chief Eder at NACFD (928)757-3151.

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