



Homeland Security and Emergency Services

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Mark Porter
Chairman of Fire Commissioners
Murray Joint Fire District
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Holley, NY 14470

Reference: VF23-1085

Dear Mark Porter:

I am pleased to announce that Murray Joint Fire District has been awarded \$500,000 under the SFY2023-2024 Volunteer Fire Infrastructure & Response Equipment (V-FIRE) Grant Program. Funding for this state grant award will be administered by the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES). The performance period for this grant will be from November 1, 2024 through October 31, 2027.

As outlined in the V-FIRE Request for Applications (RFA), this funding is provided for agencies comprised of 100% volunteer firefighters that provide fire protection and emergency response services to improve their facilities and/or response capabilities through either the construction, renovation or purchase of facilities, or the purchase of new equipment.

All funding through this grant program is subject to New York State guidelines and regulations. To ensure these funds are made available as quickly as possible, a representative from the DHSES Grants Program Administration Office will be reaching out to your grant point of contact. If you have any questions about this program, please contact Eric Abramson, Director of Grants Program Administration at Grant.Info@dhses.ny.gov or (518) 402-2123.

Congratulations on your award and I look forward to working with you to administer this program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jacqueline Bray".

Jackie Bray
Commissioner