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Staff Report

ITEM NO. 2-9

To: Lemoore City Council
From: Ron Hoggard, Interim City Manager *RH*
Date: April 1, 2015 **Meeting Date:** April 7, 2015
Subject: Donation of Antique Fire Truck

Discussion:

Al Schwoerer has had a fire engine for over 25 years and is now interested in donating it. It was professionally appraised at \$40,000. Mr. Schwoerer is willing to donate the truck to the City of Lemoore for a tax write-off receipt in the amount of \$40,000.

Fire Chief John Gibson is strongly interested in acquiring this antique fire truck. This was the third fire truck ever owned by the City of Lemoore Volunteer Fire Department. The City sold this fire truck to the City of Woodside and after a period of time, the City of Woodside sold the fire truck to Ms. Schwoerer. Mr. Schwoerer restored the fire truck to its present condition. Photos of the fire truck are attached. Fire Chief Gibson said he has space to store the fire truck in the fire bay. If acquired, the Volunteer Fire Department had plans for a future display project that would be no cost to the City.

Budget Impact:

None.

Recommendation:

That the Lemoore City Council, by motion, approve the donation of the Antique Fire Truck and authorize the Interim City Manager to provide a tax write-off receipt in the amount of \$40,000.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF DONATION

The City of Lemoore, a California Municipal Corporation ("City"), in accordance with Section 1.170A-13 of Title 26 of the Code of Federal Regulations, hereby acknowledges the donation by AL SCHWOERER ("Donor") of that certain vehicle located in Lemoore, California consisting of an antique fire truck valued at \$40,000 and City's acceptance of said donation. City further acknowledges that it has not provided to the Donor any goods or services in consideration, in whole or in part, for the aforesaid contribution.

Very truly yours,

CITY OF LEMOORE, a Municipal
Corporation

By: _____

Its: _____



