

**CITY OF MIDDLEBURG HEIGHTS, OHIO**

Resolution No. 2023- **43**

Introduced By: Mr. Bortolotto  
Co-Sponsors: Mr. Meany, Mr. Grech

**A RESOLUTION  
AUTHORIZING THE FIRE CHIEF TO DONATE AN OLD TRAILER AND  
OBSOLETE EQUIPMENT TO THE SOUTHWEST COUNCIL OF  
GOVERNMENTS FOR USE BY THE SOUTHWEST EMERGENCY  
RESPONSE TEAM**

WHEREAS, the Southwest Emergency Response Team is comprised of fire rescue professionals from 20 Cuyahoga County communities and organizations that combine their resources for specialized rescue, HazMat, and fire investigations; and

WHEREAS, the Middleburg Heights Fire Department is in possession of an old US Cargo trailer (VIN 4PL500J22Y1045077) and obsolete rescue equipment that is no longer suitable for use by the Fire Department, and is no longer needed for any municipal purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Southwest Emergency Response Team is desirous of taking possession of the equipment as listed in the attached email marked "Exhibit A".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDDLEBURG HEIGHTS, STATE OF OHIO, AS FOLLOWS:

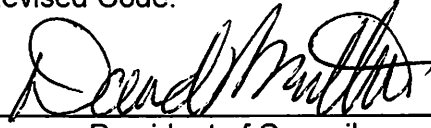
Section 1: That this Council finds that the Fire Department of the City of Middleburg Heights has an old US Cargo trailer and various obsolete rescue equipment, which is no longer suitable for use by the Fire Department and is no longer needed for any municipal purpose and further finds that it would be in the best interest of the City to dispose of such equipment by donation in lieu of auction or salvage.

Section 2: That the Fire Chief is hereby authorized to implement for donation the transfer of the US Cargo trailer and the obsolete equipment listed in "Exhibit A", a copy of which is attached.

Section 3: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public,

in compliance with all legal requirements, including Chapter 107 of the Middleburg Heights Code and Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

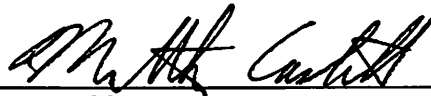
Passed: 6/13/23

  
President of Council

Attest: M. Meola  
Clerk of Council

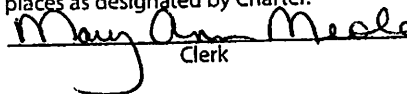
Approved On: 6-14-23

Presented to Mayor: 6/14/23

  
Mayor


	Yea	Nay
Bortolotto	<u>X</u>	_____
Ali	<u>X</u>	_____
Sage	<u>X</u>	_____
Meany	<u>X</u>	_____
McGregor	<u>X</u>	_____
Ference	<u>X</u>	_____
Grech	<u>X</u>	_____

I, Mary Ann Meola Clerk of the Council of the City of Middleburg Hts., Ohio, hereby certify that Res. 2023-43 adopted by the Council of the City of Middleburg Hts., on 6/13/23 was posted for a period of fifteen days, beginning 6/15/23 and remained so posted for fifteen days at the two posting places as designated by Charter.

  
Clerk

**CERTIFICATE**

I, Mary Ann Meola Clerk of Council of the City of Middleburg Heights, Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of Res. 2023-43 passed on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of June 2023 by said Council.

  
Clerk of Council

## MHFD Trailer List

Andrew Miller <amiller@parmafire.org>

Tue 3/21/2023 11:31 AM

To: Briant Galgas <bgalgas@middleburgheights.com>

Cc: Mark Bender <mbender@brecksville.oh.us>

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Chief,

Thank you for allowing us to sort through the trailer yesterday. We were able to get a pretty good handle on what is in there. Below is the list of gear we would like to keep from it for SERT. Once it is approved for us to take, we can grab it and disseminate it to where it needs to go. I have it all fairly organized on the trailer to make it easy to grab. The rest of the equipment on the trailer can then be disposed of how you wish. When it comes time to actually remove the gear, I would like to be present for it if at all possible since I have a pretty good idea of how it is sorted and what is going where. There is a fair amount of gear on there that probably has no value at this point due to age as well as damage by rodents. There are also some larger items there that we will not be interested in (hydraulic trench struts, scuba tanks, air reels, etc) that may still have some value to them.

### Gear To Be Kept:

- 2 EZ-Up pop up tents
- 1 utility cart
- 1 extension ladder
- 1 High Lift Jack
- Tool boxes and tools
- Hand tools
- Buckets and chains
- Lumber
- Trench Sheeting panels
- Pickets
- 1 Water pump and hoses
- Trench bridging panels
- Various utility ropes
- 1 Bottle Jack
- Rope Equipment (see below)
  - 2 stokes baskets
  - Tote with various pulleys, anchor straps and carabiners
  - 1/2" ropes and rope bags
  - 1 box of accessory cord
- Confined Space Equipment (see below)
  - Tripod
  - Immobilization device
  - Oregon spine splint
  - SKED stretcher
  - Vent Fan with saddle and fittings
- Water Equipment (see below)
  - 2 suits and bags

- Rescue tether tope
- Com System and wiring
- Boat Motor
- Gas tank
- Floating blackboard
- Tote with various items such as throw bags, fins and helmets

Please let me know if there is any additional information that you might need to complete this.

Thanks,

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