



RESOLUTION

**AUTHORIZING SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE MEDICAL CENTER TO ACCEPT
TWO PORTABLE VENTILATORS FROM THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE
CITY IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS**

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Twelve

RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Nashua that the City of Nashua agrees that two portable ventilators, provided by the State of New Hampshire, acting through its Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health Services, for the benefit of the City in emergency situations, be granted directly to Southern New Hampshire Medical Center to be stored, maintained and deployed as necessary.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor is hereby authorized on behalf of the City to approve and execute any and all agreements, documents and other instruments as necessary and appropriate pursuant to this grant.

LEGISLATIVE YEAR 2012

RESOLUTION: R-12-005

PURPOSE: Authorizing Southern New Hampshire Medical Center to accept two portable ventilators from the State of New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services for the benefit of the city in emergency situations

SPONSOR(S): Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
Alderman-at-Large Lori Wilshire
Alderman Diane Sheehan

**COMMITTEE
ASSIGNMENT:**

FISCAL NOTE: None.

ANALYSIS

As part of the federal FY2008 U.S. Homeland Security Grant award to New Hampshire, specific funds were earmarked for a critical care and supplemental oxygen program. The program will provide participating hospitals with portable ventilators and associated accessories to enhance their medical surge capacity in response to a large-scale health event. The intent of this equipment is to help reduce adverse clinical outcomes that could result from a lack of medical surge preparedness. The state can allow this grant funding to be used to provide equipment directly to the participating hospital if the city agrees to that arrangement. This resolution is to provide the city's agreement to that arrangement.

Approved as to form: Office of Corporation Counsel

By: Drewby Clarke

Date: January 20, 2012

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Endorsed by
Mayor Logan MAYOR
Joseph Wilshire WILSHIRE
Phillip Sheehan SHEEHAN
Michael J. Tabacsko TABACSKO
Kathleen Vitale VITALE
 _____ CRAFFEY
 _____ PRESSLY

IN THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

1ST READING JANUARY 24, 2012

Referred to:
HUMAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2nd Reading FEBRUARY 14, 2012

3rd Reading _____

4th Reading _____

Other Action _____

Passed FEBRUARY 14, 2012

Indefinitely Postponed _____

Defeated _____

Attest: [Signature] City Clerk
[Signature] President

Approved Mayor Logan Mayor's Signature

February 15, 2012 Date

Vetoed: _____

Veto Sustained: _____

Veto Overridden: _____

Attest: _____ City Clerk

_____ President