

State Of Maryland

2023 Bond Initiative Fact Sheet

1. Name Of Project		
Hancock Fire Company		
2. Senate Sponsor	3. House Sponsor	
	Baker	
4. Jurisdiction (County or Baltimore City)	5. Requested Amount	
Washington County	\$75,000	
6. Purpose of Bond Initiative		
the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of the Hancock Fire Company		
7. Matching Fund		
Requirements:	Type:	
Grant		
8. Special Provisions		
<input type="checkbox"/> Historical Easement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Sectarian	
9. Contact Name and Title	Contact Ph#	Email Address
Delegate Terry L. Baker		terry.baker@house.state.md.us
Ricky L. Rowe		301-331-5449
10. Description and Purpose of Organization (Limit length to visible area)		
<p>Hancock Fire Company, Inc. ("HFC") operates two engines, one engine tanker, a brush truck and other support vehicles in order to carry out our mission of saving lives and the property of those residing in or passing through the Hancock, Maryland area. The response area for HFC is Western Washington County, Maryland. The total first due area served is 61 square miles. HFC is always available for mutual aid to any nearby emergency services organization that requests it.</p>		

11. Description and Purpose of Project (Limit length to visible area)

Hancock Fire Company, Inc. (HFC) has signed a contract for the purchase of a new tanker. (We were able to do this as the result of a grant received from USDA Rural Development.) Our request would provide the equipment necessary for the unit to meet the standards required by the Washington County Volunteer Fire and Rescue Association. The second part of the project involves the purchase of a natural gas operated generator which would allow us to upgrade the size of our current generator. This is important for two reasons. First, the new one would enable HFC to fully utilize all electric in the fire house. Second, natural gas would allow us to have an uninterrupted fuel supply during times of need for a generator,.

Round all amounts to the nearest \$1,000. The totals in Items 12 (Estimated Capital Costs) and 13 (Proposed Funding Sources) must match. The proposed funding sources must not include the value of real property unless an equivalent value is shown under Estimated Capital Costs.

12. Estimated Capital Costs

Acquisition	
Design	
Construction	
Equipment	\$75,000
Total	\$75,000

13. Proposed Funding Sources - (List all funding sources and amounts.)

State of Maryland	\$75,000
Total	\$75,000

14. Project Schedule (Enter a date or one of the following in each box. N/A, TBD or Complete)			
Begin Design	Complete Design	Begin Construction	Complete Construction
TBD	TBD	N/A	N/A
15. Total Private Funds and Pledges Raised	16. Current Number of People Served Annually at Project Site	17. Number of People to be Served Annually After the Project is Complete	
18. Other State Capital Grants to Recipients in the Past 15 Years			
Legislative Session	Amount	Purpose	
19. Legal Name and Address of Grantee		Project Address (If Different)	
The Hancock Fire Department, Inc. 3 Fulton Street Hancock, MD 21750		N/A	
20. Legislative District in Which Project is Located	1C - Allegany and Washington Counties		
21. Legal Status of Grantee (Please Check One)			
Local Govt.	For Profit	Non Profit	Federal
[]	[]	[X]	[]
22. Grantee Legal Representative		23. If Match Includes Real Property:	
Name:	Ricky Rowe	Has An Appraisal Been Done?	Yes/No
Phone:	301-331-5449		No
Address:		If Yes, List Appraisal Dates and Value	
Personal residence: 14722 Heavenly Acres Ridge Hancock, MD 21750			

24. Impact of Project on Staffing and Operating Cost at Project Site			
Current # of Employees	Projected # of Employees	Current Operating Budget	Projected Operating Budget
3			
25. Ownership of Property (Info Requested by Treasurer's Office for bond purposes)			
A. Will the grantee own or lease (pick one) the property to be improved?			Own
B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?			No
C. Does the grantee intend to lease any portion of the property to others?			No
D. If property is owned by grantee any space is to be leased, provide the following:			
Lessee	Terms of Lease	Cost Covered by Lease	Square Footage Leased
E. If property is leased by grantee - Provide the following:			
Name of Leaser	Length of Lease	Options to Renew	
26. Building Square Footage:			
Current Space GSF	10,592		
Space to be Renovated GSF			
New GSF			

27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion	
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28. Comments

(12) The actual project cost for the tanker is \$667,000. HFC received a grant in the amount of \$500,000 from USDA and will expend our own funds for the remaining \$167,000. The funding requested here is for equipment required for the tanker.