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AUBURN FIRE DEPARTMENT AWARDED FIREHOUSE SUBS PUBLIC SAFETY FOUNDATION GRANT

AUBURN, ME. – On Monday, October 2, the Auburn Fire Department was informed that they were awarded a Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation Grant in the amount of \$16,150 for the purchase of a BullsEye Trainer's Package - Digital Fire Extinguisher Training System. The \$16,150 grant to the Auburn Fire Department covers 100% of the total cost of the system.

The digital fire extinguisher training system utilizes digital flames to simulate various types of fires. It recognizes which type of extinguisher the trainee is using and senses where the user aims and sweeps the laser-training extinguisher. With this system, the Auburn Fire Department will be able to perform fire extinguisher training indoors, with greater ease and less expense.

"The Auburn Fire Department is grateful for the support of Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation and considers this award to be an honor," said Auburn's Fire Inspector/Fire Investigator, Dave O'Connell. "Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation has given the Auburn Fire Department the opportunity and the necessary tools to help us educate our citizens about fire extinguisher safety."

ABOUT FIREHOUSE SUBS PUBLIC SAFETY FOUNDATION

In 2005, the Firehouse Subs founders established the Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation with the mission of providing funding, life-saving equipment, and educational opportunities to first-responders and public safety organizations. Through the non-profit 501(c)(3), Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation has granted more than \$29.5 million to hometown heroes in 46 states, Puerto Rico and Canada, including more than \$170,000 in Maine.

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