

**CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2023-097**

**A RESOLUTION BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA
ACCEPTING DONATION FROM THE LEONA M. AND HARRY B. HELMSLEY
CHARITABLE TRUST TO THE CENTER FOR RESUSCITATION MEDICINE
(CRM) AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA AND APPROVING DONATION
TO NORTHFIELD AREA FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE IN 2023**

WHEREAS, Minn. Stat. § 471.85, subdivision 1, states “Any county, city, town, or school district may transfer its personal property for a nominal or without consideration to another public corporation for public use when duly authorized by its governing body;” and

WHEREAS, Minn. Stat. § 465.03 and § 465.04 allows a city to accept a donation of personal property for the public good and maintain any such donation in accordance with donor conditions, by resolution approved by two-thirds of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City of Northfield recognizes immediate access to Automatic External Defibrillators increases the survivability of a heart attack which increases the public safety of the community, and thus serves a public purpose; and

WHEREAS, the City of Northfield received a gift from The Leona M. and Harry B. Helmsley Charitable Trust through the Center for Resuscitation Medicine (CRM) at the University of Minnesota of 12 new AED’s with a fair market value of \$24,000.00 in 2023; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Northfield gifts to the Northfield Area Fire and Rescue Service 7 used AED’s with a fair market value of \$5,950.00 in 2023; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council expresses its gratitude for the gift received and donation made in 2023 The Leona M. and Harry B. Helmsley Charitable Trust through the Center for Resuscitation Medicine (CRM) at the University of Minnesota to the City of Northfield.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL THAT:

The City Council of the City of Northfield hereby accepts, with great appreciation, the gift of 12 AED’s from The Leona M. and Harry B. Helmsley Charitable Trust.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL THAT:

The City Council of the City of Northfield hereby approves the donation to Northfield Area Fire and Rescue Service 7 used AED's.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 7th day of November 2023.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor

VOTE: ___ POWNELL ___ HOLMES ___ NESS ___ PETERSON WHITE
 ___ REISTER ___ SOKUP ___ ZUCCOLOTTO