## **REQUEST TO EMERGENCY COMMISSION**



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Requestor Information Department name: Adjutant General Department number: 540 Name of contact person: Jennifer Scheet Telephone number: (701) 333-2079 Purpose of Request Is this request related to a state emergency? No Purpose of request: Increase in line item spending authority Line Item Amount Capital Assets (54050) - Federal Funds \$2,000,000 **Funding Information** What is the source of funds for the requested increase? Federal Is the funding source a pass-through from another agency? No Will continued funding be required if Federal funds are no longer available? No Does the request require a general fund match in this bienium? No Will the request require general fund support in the next biennium? No **Background Information** Was any portion of the request presented during the previous legislative session? Yes Provide explanation: The Office of the Adjutant General received \$9,000,000 of federal state fiscal recovery (ARPA) funds for the construction of the Camp Grafton fitness facility through the agency's appropriation bill (SB 2016) of the Sixty-Eighth legislative assembly. Additional federal authority of \$2,000,000 for Sustainment, Restoration and Modernization funds are being requested to complete construction and provide the ability to conduct the Army's Combat Fitness Test and a designated area for cardio and weight training within the facility. Is the request for a new program? No Does the request require an FTE increase? No Does the request conform with legislative intent? Yes Provide explanation: This request is pursuant to NDCC 54-16-04.1 which authorizes the acceptance and disbursement of federal funds. Other Information Statutory provisions that relate to this request: 54-16-04.1 Provide an explanation as to how the request supports state priorities, improves state efficiencies, and promotes effective state government:

This request provides the necessary funding to complete the construction of the fitness facility located at Camp Grafton Training Center where the North Dakota National Guard trains to provide ready units, individuals, and equipment to support our communities, state, and nation. We are focused on building a premier force, that is relevant today, and evolves to meet the missions of tomorrow.



## Provide any other relevant information:

The Office of the Adjutant General received \$9,000,000 in federal state fiscal recovery (ARPA) funds for the construction of the Camp Grafton fitness facility. However, based on current construction costs, the desired fitness facility for Camp Grafton would have cost over \$19,600,000. Due to funding constraints, the facility size was reduced and an additional \$2,000,000 in Sustainment, Restoration and Modernization federal funds were designated for this project. The \$11,000,000 fitness facility will provide the ability to conduct the Army's Combat Fitness Test year-round and include a designated cardio/weight training area within the facility.

## Signature

I, the undersigned, have read this Request, know the contents, and believe the statements contained within to be true.

Jennifer Scheet	08/29/2023
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