

1 **BOARD BILL #252** **INTRODUCED BY ALDERMAN TERRY KENNEDY**

2 An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Fire Chief, on behalf of the City of St.
3 Louis, to enter into and execute a Grant Agreement with the U. S. Department of
4 Homeland Security, appropriating said funds and authorizing Fire Chief, upon approval
5 of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to expend funds by entering into contracts
6 or otherwise for grant purposes and containing an emergency clause.

7 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:**

8 **SECTION ONE.** The Fire Chief is hereby authorized and directed, on behalf of
9 the City of St. Louis, to enter into and execute a Grant Agreement with the Department of
10 Homeland Security to fund a firefighter operations and safety program. Said Grant
11 Agreement shall be substantially in words and figures the same as the attached
12 Agreement, which is made part of this Ordinance and is on file in the Register’s Office.

13 **SECTION TWO.** The Fire Chief is hereby authorized and directed, upon
14 approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to expend the funds, which are
15 hereby appropriated for said purpose, by entering into contracts or otherwise received
16 pursuant to the Grant Agreement, totaling \$321,520, in a manner that is consistent with
17 the provisions of said Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto and shall become
18 part of the ordinance.

19 **SECTION 3.** Emergency Clause. This being an Ordinance for the immediate
20 preservation of public peace, health and safety, it is hereby declared to be an immediate
21 measure within the meaning of Sections 19 and 20 of Article IV of the Charter of the
22 City of St. Louis and therefore this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon
23 its passage and approval by the Mayor.