



TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: September 16, 2014

TITLE: Motion approving the acceptance of equipment from the United States
Department of Homeland Security, Urban Area Security Initiative, State of
Florida Division of Emergency Management through the City of Miami, FY
2011 Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI), in the amount of \$51,262.26

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a motion authorizing the City Manager to accept equipment from the United States Department of Homeland Security and the State of Florida Division of Emergency Management to execute any documents required to accept unique grant equipment between the City of Miami and the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Background

The United States Department of Homeland Security, through the State of Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM) has sub-granted the Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant Program FY 2011 to the City of Miami to provide funds to address the unique equipment, training, planning, exercise and operational needs for large urban areas; and to assist them in building an enhanced and sustainable capacity to prevent, respond to and recover from the threats or acts of terrorism.

In accordance with the UASI FY 2011 Grant Program, the City of Fort Lauderdale was added to a resolution in the City of Miami and will uphold the Memoranda of Agreement (MOA) which identifies the distribution of equipment by the City of Miami which specifies maintenance and inventory responsibilities in accordance with UASI grant policies.

The City of Fort Lauderdale will accept the following items:

Two (2) WSPPDP400 – Portable Power Distribution Panels for generator @ \$4,961.02 each = \$9,922.04

Sixteen (16) WSEDK50 – Electrical Distribution Kits 50 amp @ \$2,533.40 each = \$40,534.40

Two (2) WSPPDST Portable Distribution Stand @ \$402.91 each = \$805.82

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact to the City.

Strategic Connections:

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the **Public Safety Cylinder of Excellence**, specifically advancing:

Goal 10: Be a City well-prepared for and responsive to all hazards.

Objective 1: Provide and effectively communicate comprehensive Emergency Management planning and disaster recovery.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Ready*.

Attachment: EX 1 – MOA for participating Miami UASI Grant Agencies (Distribution of Equipment)

Related CAM(s) - #14-0707

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