



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING

#19-0696

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

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: July 9, 2019

TITLE: Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Accept Additional Grant Funds 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 2017 Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI), in the amount of \$153,500 **(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

Recommendation

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

Background

The United States Department of Homeland Security (USDHS) has provided financial assistance to the Miami urban area in the amount of \$4,921,000 through the FY 2017 Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant Program. The urban area is defined as Miami and Fort Lauderdale collectively. The sponsoring and coordinating agency is the City of Miami via a memorandum of agreement.

The City of Fort Lauderdale has received additional funds from a sub-grant in the amount of \$153,500 with no required match. Funds will be used for P25 Multiband APX Radios and LMR Communications Analyzer [Regional Mobile Emergency Radio Services Trailer (Regional)]. The grant period began September 1, 2017 and ends October 1, 2019.

Resource Impact

There is a positive fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$153,500. Funds are being appropriated through companion agenda item, CAM #19-0028.

Funds available as of June 25, 2019

ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABL E BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
129-GUASI18E-C313	FY17 GUASI – Regional P25 Multiband APX Radios	Intergovt. Revenue/DHS Pass thru City of Miami	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$110,000
129-GUASI18F-C313	FY17 GUASI- Regional LMR Communications Analyzer	Intergovt. Revenue/DHS Pass thru City of Miami	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$43,500
				APPROPRIATION TOTAL ►	\$153,500

ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABL E BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
129-GUASI18E- 3946	FY17 GUASI – Regional P25 Multiband APX Radios	Services & Materials/Tools & Equip < \$5000	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$110,000
129-GUASF-6499	FY17 GUASI- Regional LMR Communications Analyzer	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$43,500
				APPROPRIATION TOTAL ►	\$153,500

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 9:** Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventative and responsive police and fire protection.
- **Objective 2:** Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical and emergency response.
- **Goal 10:** Be a City well-prepared for and responsive to all hazards.
- **Objective 1:** Provide and effectively communicate comprehensive emergency management.

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

Related CAM

CAM#19-0028

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – City of Fort Lauderdale Award Letter-UASI 2017 GY

Exhibit 2 – Resolution

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