



Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

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**TO: JIM GRAY, MAYOR
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL**

**FROM: IRENE GOODING, DIRECTOR
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

DATE: MAY 11, 2015

SUBJECT Request Council authorization to accept award of federal funds in the amount of \$867,600 from the Kentucky Division of Emergency Management under the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program

On September 11, 2014 (Resolution No. 523-2014), Council approved submission of an application requesting federal funds from the Kentucky Division of Emergency Management under the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Flood Mitigation Assistance/Pre-Disaster Mitigation Assistance programs.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency has approved Pre-Disaster Mitigation funds in the amount of \$867,600 for this project. Funds will be used support the cost of acquisition and demolition of up to six residential properties on Clarksdale Court along Eastland Park Tributary. These properties have experienced repeated home flooding for an extended period time.

| Federal Award (75%) | Required Local Match (25%) | Total Project Cost |
|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| \$867,600 | \$289,200 | \$1,156,800 |

Source of local match is Fund 4052-303204-3321-78201 which has been requested in the 2016 budget.

The Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant Program provides funds for implementation of mitigation projects prior to a disaster event.

Council authorization to accept the award is hereby requested, subject to the availability of sufficient funds in FY 2016.


Irene Gooding, Director

Xc: David Holmes, Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Quality and Public Works