

RESOLUTION NO. 138 2026

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR, ON BEHALF OF THE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT, TO EXECUTE AND SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, UNDER THE MATTHEW SHEPARD AND JAMES BYRD, JR. HATE CRIMES PROGRAM IN FY 2027 TO PURCHASE AN INTERVIEW AND INTERROGATION COURSE, TO PROVIDE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS GRANT APPLICATION, AND TO ACCEPT THIS GRANT IF AWARDED, WHICH GRANT FUNDS ARE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$300,000.00. IN FEDERAL FUNDS, NO LOCAL MATCH IS REQUIRED AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER UNENCUMBERED FUNDS WITHIN THE GRANT BUDGET.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN

Section 1 - That the Mayor, on behalf of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, be and hereby is authorized and directed to execute and submit a Grant Application, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, to the U.S. Department of Justice, under the Matthew Shepard and James Byrd, Jr. Hate Crimes Program in FY 2027 to purchase an interview and interrogation course, to provide any additional information requested in connection with this Grant Application, and to accept this Grant if awarded, which Grant funds are in the amount of \$300,000.00 in federal funds, no local match is required.

Section 2 – That subject to the provisions of Section 7-48 of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Code of Ordinances, the Mayor is hereby authorized, in her discretion as Chief Executive Officer of the Urban County Government, to transfer the unencumbered balance of any operating or capital account appropriation to another operating or capital account appropriation within the Grant budget previously established for this Grant.

Section 3 - That this Resolution shall become effective on the date of its passage.

PASSED URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL: April 16, 2026

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
CLERK OF URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL

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