



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

**FROM: CHARLIE LANTER, DIRECTOR
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

DATE: FEBRUARY 22, 2018

SUBJECT: Kentucky Fire Commission Grant Fiscal Year 2018

Request:

Council authorization to accept award from the Kentucky Fire Commission in the amount of \$65,000 from the 2017 State Fire Rescue Training Program, funded under the Kentucky Fire Commission.

Purpose of Request:

On April 27, 2017 (Resolution 209-2017), Council authorized the submission of an application to the Kentucky Fire Commission requesting funding for the purchase of live vehicle fire simulator props. The Kentucky Fire Commission has offered a grant in the amount of \$65,000 to the LFUCG Division of Fire and Emergency Services. The grant funds will be used to purchase one live fire vehicle fire simulator prop. The use of this prop is a much safer and more efficient way to provide live fire training on a target hazard that is mitigated many times a year. The props will be constructed of high grade stainless steel to insure long lasting durability and service life. No matching funds are required.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?

Grant funds for Fiscal Year 2018 total \$65,000 with no local match required. Future years' funding is dependent upon availability of grant funding.

Are the funds budgeted?

Budget amendment #9055 for Fiscal Year 2018 is in process.

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Director/Commissioner: Chilton/Reed

