




TO: Linda Gorton, Mayor  
Members, Urban County Council

  
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FROM: David Barberie, Managing Attorney  
Department of Law

DATE: March 22, 2019

RE: Collective Bargaining Negotiations

Request:

Authorization to enter into a multi-year agreement with the law firm of Frost Brown Todd (attorney Joe Scholler) for negotiating services on the Fire, Police and Corrections collective bargaining agreements with an effective date of April 1, 2019.

Why are you requesting?

This action is requested in order to assist the administration with negotiating these six collective bargaining agreements using a professional negotiator and law firm with previous experience on related LFUCG agreements.

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

The initial two contracts (Corrections Lieutenants and Captains and Corrections Offices and Sergeants) are estimated to cost \$80,000 plus expenses with the Fiscal Year 2019 cost estimated to be \$40,500. The remaining costs will be expended in FY2020 and FY2021. It is estimated that the total amount of the contract will be \$250,000.

Are the funds budgeted?

The fiscal year funds are budgeted in account #1101-160501-1911-71299 (\$40,500).

File Number: 351-19.

Director/Commissioner: Susan Speckert, Commissioner of Law

