



LEXINGTON DIVISION OF POLICE

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Mayor Jim Gray
Urban County Council

FROM: Chief Ronnie Bastin
Division of Police

DATE: September 12, 2012

RE: Mutual Aid Procedures

Please find attached Mutual Aid Procedures with agencies in Kentucky (Georgetown Police Department, Magoffin County Sheriff's Office, Salyersville Police Department) that require a Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign the agreements on behalf of the Lexington Fayette Urban County Government.

Assistant Chief Stack has also consulted with Mike Sanner, Department of Law in regards to an attempt to get a blanket resolution passed that allows the Mayor to sign these resolutions and all future resolutions during his term as Mayor. Since Chief's and Sheriff's change frequently, this approach will reduce the number of resolutions passed through council for agreements that read identically.

In addition to approving the Mayor to sign the attached Mutual Aid Procedures, we are also requesting the Department of Law to include in the resolution the following language:

On behalf of the Lexington Fayette Urban County Government, Mayor Jim Gray is authorized to expedite identically worded mutual aid procedures with law enforcement agencies during his term as Mayor, be and hereby is authorized to execute agreements with Georgetown Police Department, Salyersville Police Department, and the Magoffin County Sheriff, and future agreements with any other law enforcement agency within the Commonwealth of Kentucky, for the purpose of outlining identically worded mutual aid response procedures between the Division of Police and the participating agency, contingent upon the procedure contains provisions approved by the Department of Law.

Upon approval and signing, please forward original Mutual Aid Procedures to the Chief's Office. There will be no budgetary impact.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R. Bastin".

Ronnie Bastin
Chief of Police

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Attachment
cc: Clay Mason, Commissioner of Public Safety