



Mayor Jim Gray

LEXINGTON - FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT
Division of Grants and Special Programs

TO: JIM GRAY, MAYOR
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL

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

DATE: APRIL 16, 2013

SUBJECT: Request Council authorization to approve qPUBLIC LLC as a sole source vendor for Integrated Damage Assessment Model software and to authorize execution of software licensing agreement with qPUBLIC LLC under the Emergency Management Agency grant


The Division of Emergency Management/911 has selected qPUBLIC LLC to provide the Integrated Damage Assessment Model (IDAM) at an annual cost of \$3,000. If Lexington-Fayette County has an event that causes damages the software will be activated and will be used to collect damage data for submission to FEMA. There is an activation fee of \$4,000 to use the software during an actual disaster. The activation fee will only be charged once during the annual contract period regardless of the number of times the software is used during the contract period for actual disaster damage assessment purposes. If Lexington is part of a federally declared emergency, the activation fee is reimbursable from FEMA. There may be events in which the software is activated and no federal declaration is made. The Division of Emergency Management has requested funds to cover the activation fee in the Fiscal Year 2014 budget.

The Division of Emergency Management is also requesting that a sole source provider contract be established with qPUBLIC LLC for fiscal year 2013 and subsequent years. The request for a sole source contract is because this software is the only software that integrates directly into Fayette County Property Valuation Administrator's data.

Funds in the amount of \$3,000 are budgeted as follows:

FUND	DEPT ID	SECT	ACCT	PROJECT	ACTIVITY	BUD REF
3200	505204	5291	71304	EMRG_MGMT_2013	FED_GRANT	2013

Council authorization to approve qPUBLIC LLC as a sole source provider of IDAM software and to approve licensing agreement with qPUBLIC LLC for IDAM in the annual amount of \$3,000 is hereby requested.


Irene Gooding, Director

Xc: Clay Mason, Commissioner of Public Safety

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