



**TO: LINDA GORTON, MAYOR
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL**

**FROM: THERESA REYNOLDS, DIRECTOR
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

DATE: NOVEMBER 22, 2024

**SUBJECT: Kentucky Office of Homeland Security FFY2024 DHS/FEMA Award for
Division of Fire and Emergency Services**

Request: Council authorization to accept an additional award of \$490.50 from the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security. The application was submitted for \$187,609.50, but the Division of Fire and Emergency Services has been awarded an additional \$490.50 under the State Homeland Security FFY2024 DHS/FEMA Grant Program for a total award of \$188,100. No matching funds are required.

Purpose of Request: On March 21, 2024 (Resolution 135-2024) Council authorized to execute and submit a grant application seeking \$187,609.50 in federal funds from the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security under the State Homeland Security FY2024 DHS/FEMA Grant Program. The Kentucky Office of Homeland Security has awarded an additional \$490.50 over the application amount. These funds will be used to purchase two Search Cam 360s cameras and one seismic or acoustic listening device and two Hazmat monitors manufactured by Red Wave the ThreatID and XplorIR for a total project cost of \$188,100.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? A total of \$188,100 in federal funds has been awarded for Fiscal Year 2025. No matching funds are required. Future funding is dependent upon availability of grant funding.

Are the funds budgeted? Budget amendment is in process.

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Director/Commissioner: Wells/Armstrong

