TO: LINDA GORTON, MAYOR

URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL

FROM: THERESA REYNOLDS, DIRECTOR

DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

DATE: April 22, 2024

SUBJECT: Accept Award from FEMA for the Eastern Kentucky Flood Expenses

Request: Council authorization to accept an award of federal funding from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in the amount of \$244,535.22 from the Kentucky Emergency Management for reimbursement of expenses incurred from the requested response to the Eastern Kentucky Flood and Severe Weather Event by the Division of Fire and Emergency Services. No match is required.

Purpose of Request: Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government submitted an application to the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for reimbursement of expenses incurred from the Eastern Kentucky Flooding and Severe Weather event in August 2022. Kentucky Emergency Management has awarded the Division of Fire & Emergency Services a federal award in the amount of \$244,535.22 for the Eastern Kentucky Flooding expenses.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? \$244,535.22 is the federal award for FY2024. No match is required. Future years funding is dependent upon availability of federal funding.

Are the funds budgeted? The budget amendment is in process.

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Director/Commissioner: Wells/Armstrong