



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

**FROM: CHARLIE LANTER, DIRECTOR
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

DATE: DECEMBER 30, 2021

SUBJECT: Acceptance of Litter Abatement Grant for Fiscal Year 2022

Request: Council authorization to accept grant funds of \$178,909.17 from the Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet for the continuation of the Litter Abatement Grant Funding Program in Fayette County for FY 2022.

Why are you requesting? The Kentucky General Assembly provides funding for litter cleanups to be conducted two times each year on city streets as part of each county's solid waste management plan. Funding for each county is based upon a formula using the county's miles of public roads, the county's rural population, and the county's total population as a proportion of the state's total miles of public roads, rural population, and total population.

Funds will be used to support the costs of urban and rural Adopt-A-Spot programs, supplies, contracted litter pickup services, equipment, and educational programs.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? \$178,909.17 has been awarded for Fiscal Year 2022. No matching funds are required. Future years funding is dependent upon availability

Are the funds budgeted? Budget amendment 11447 is in process.

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Director/Commissioner: Carey/Albright

