



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

**FROM: CHARLIE LANTER, COMMISSIONER
HOUSING, ADVOCACY & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

DATE: MARCH 24, 2022

SUBJECT: Accept Award from FEMA for Emergency Management Flood Markers

Request: Council authorization for the Mayor to execute an agreement and accept award of federal funding from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in the amount of \$16,500 from the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program and \$2,640 from the state to purchase and install 12 flood warning markers and signs in Fayette County. Match in the amount of \$2,860 is required.

Purpose of Request: On February 6, 2020 (Resolution 58-2020), Council authorized the submission of an application to the Kentucky Emergency Management Agency requesting federal funding from FEMA's Hazard Mitigation Grant Program for the Lexington-Fayette Flood Markers Initiative.

The Division of Emergency Management has been awarded \$16,500 in federal funds from FEMA and \$2,640 non-federal share from the state, requiring a local match of \$2,860 to purchase and install 12 flood warning markers and signs in Fayette County. The total project cost is \$22,000.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? Total cost of this project is \$22,000. Federal amount (75%) is \$16,500. State agency's share (12%) is \$2,640. Local match of \$2,860 (13%) is required and funds are budgeted. No additional costs are anticipated.

Are the funds budgeted? Budget amendment 11614 is in process.

File Number: 0332-22

Director/Commissioner: Dugger/Armstrong

