

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Jim Gray Mayor Ronnie Bastin Commissioner

TO:

Mayor Jim Gray

Urban County Council

FROM:

Chief Mark Barnard

Lexington Police Department

CC:

Commissioner Ronnie Bastin Department of Public Safety

DATE:

October 28, 2016

SUBJECT:

Memorandum of Understanding -

Louisville/Jefferson Country Metro Government Louisville Metro Emergency Medical Services

Request

Authorization to accept a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Louisville/Jefferson County Metro Government, acting by and through its Louisville Metro Emergency Medical Services (LMEMS).

Why are you requesting?

This MOU is for CPR services provided by the Louisville Metro Emergency Medical Services (LMEMS) CPR Training Center which covers the entire cost of certifying our agency in the American Heart Association's Basic Life Support and First Aid programs. The American Heart Association's BLS and First Aid certification is recognized by all of our area hospitals - the American Red Cross is not. Our officer certification with American Red Cross is set to expire in 2017 and the American Heart Certification is part of our In-service for 2017. We anticipate a cost savings for First Aid and CPR certification cards and will have additional support resources by utilizing LMEMS as our training provider. The cost associated with this training will be supported with the Professional Services funding account within the Training Budget.

The American Heart Association quote covers the following:

- Free training for Lexington Police Department Instructors (training will be provided at our facility)
- Basic life support and first aid certifications for the entire agency (572 Employees 538 34
 Trainees)
- Basic life support and first aid certifications for other agencies (Sheriff's Office, Schools) attending the Lexington Police Department in-service (up to 60)
- Basic life support instructor manuals and instructor materials
- 50 BLS Student Class Manuals (we will reuse the provided material for in-service certification)
- AHA BLS and First aid cards provided to all Instructors and those certified by the AHA
- Two year AHA certification

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? \$5,184.50 – FY17

Are the funds budgeted? Yes, Account #1101-505507-5571-71299

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Director/Commissioner:

Mark Barnard, Chief

Lexington Police Department

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