

Mayor Jim Gray

LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT

Division of Grants and Special Programs

TO:

JIM GRAY, MAYOR

URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL

FROM:

IRENE GOODING, DIRECTOR

DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

DATE:

MAY 14, 2013

SUBJECT:

REQUEST COUNCIL AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT AWARD FOR POLICE TRAINING INCENTIVE GRANT FOR FY 2014 FROM THE KENTUCKY JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY CABINET UNDER THE KENTUCKY LAW ENFORCEMENT FOUNDATION PROGRAM FUND

Police Training Incentive funds are used to provide eligible police officers with supplemental pay for participation in training programs. Supplemental pay in the amount of \$3,100.00 for each eligible officer (555 sworn positions) is provided for a total of \$1,720,500. In addition, the program contributes 30.5758% of that total towards the pension of participants, totaling 526,060. Funds total \$2,246,560 with no local match required. Funds are from the state of Kentucky and are awarded by the Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet from the Kentucky Law Enforcement Foundation Program Fund.

Council authorization to accept the grant is hereby requested.

Irene Gooding, Director

Xc: Clay Mason, Commissioner of Public Safety