

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

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TO:

JIM GRAY, MAYOR

URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL

FROM:

IRENE GOODING, DIRECTOR

DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

DATE:

OCTOBER 29, 2015

SUBJECT:

Grant for Coded Key Card Entry System and video monitoring system for

Division of Fire and Emergency Services

Request:

Request Council authorization to accept award of federal funds in the amount of \$34,000 from the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security for purchase of key card entry systems and a video monitoring system at selected properties for the Division of Fire and Emergency Services under the 2015 State Homeland Security Grant Program.

Why are you requesting?

On June 18, 2015 (Resolution 380-2015), Council authorized submission of an application to the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security requesting federal funds for coded key card entry systems at Fire Stations #3 and #20 and the Fire Training Academy and for installation of video cameras to provide real time and recorded video monitoring of key points around Fire Station #1 for the Division of Fire and Emergency Services with the goal of enhancing security for property and personnel. The state agency is offering the LFUCG federal funds in the amount of \$34,000 for this project.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?

\$34,000 in federal funds is being budgeted for Fiscal Year 2016. No matching funds are required. No costs have been identified for future budget years.

Are the budget budgeted: BA 6988 is in process.

File Number: 1362-15

Director/Commissioner: Jackson/Bastin

Irene Gooding, Director