



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

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

**DATE: JUNE 23, 2020**

**SUBJECT: Fire Training Incentive for Fiscal Year 2021**

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**Request:**

Council authorization to accept award for Fire Training Incentive Grant in an amount up to \$3,349,920 for FY 2021 from the Commission on Fire Protection, Personnel, Standards, and Education for Training Incentives for Firefighters.

**Purpose of Request:**

Fire Training Incentive funds are used to provide eligible firefighters with supplemental pay for participation in training programs. Supplemental pay in the amount of \$4,000 for each eligible firefighter (600 estimated sworn positions) is provided for a total of \$2,400,000. In addition, the program contributes up to 39.58% of that total towards the pension of participants, totaling \$949,920.

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

Grant funds for Fiscal Year 2021 total \$3,349,920 with no local match required. Future years' funding is dependent upon availability of grant funding.

**Are the funds budgeted?**

Budget amendment for Fiscal Year 2021 is in process.

**File Number:** 0647-20

**Director/Commissioner:** Chilton/Armstrong

