



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: JUNE 21, 2013**

**SUBJECT: REQUEST COUNCIL AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE AGREEMENT  
WITH SPEC.RESCUE INTERNATIONAL FOR STRUCTURAL  
COLLAPSE TRAINING AND TO ESTABLISH A SOLE SOURCE  
PROVIDER CONTRACT WITH SPEC.RESCUE INTERNATIONAL FOR  
THE DIVISION OF FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES**

On December 11, 2012 (Resolution # 714-2012), Council approved acceptance of federal funds from the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security for structural collapse technician certification training for the Division of Fire and Emergency Services.

The Division of Fire and Emergency Services has selected Spec.Rescue International to provide professional services for a Structural Collapse Technician Training Course (80 hrs of instruction) for 30 students and a Train the Trainer Instructor course for 5 students (90 hrs) . Total cost of these services is \$20,000. The Division also requests approval to establish a sole source provider contract with Spec.Rescue International because this vendor provided Structural Collapse Training to LFUCG's Division of Fire in 2010, establishing a training standard. The division wants to ensure continuity of this specialized training and operational practices from class to class.

Funds are budgeted as follows:

FUND	DEPT ID	SECT	ACCOUNT	PROJECT	BUD REF	ACTIVITY
3200	505702	5714	71299	STHO_TR_2013	2013	FED_GRANT

Council authorization to execute agreement and to establish a sole source provider contract with Spec.Rescue International as is hereby requested.

  
Irene Gooding, Director

Xc: Clay Mason, Commissioner, Department of Public Safety

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