



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

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

**DATE: JUNE 10, 2020**

**SUBJECT: Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Program from the Office of Justice Programs**

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**Request:** Authorization to accept an award of federal Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) in the amount of \$478,748 from the Office of Justice Programs at the U.S. Department of Justice – FY 2020. No matching funds are required. Budget amendment in process.

**Purpose of Request:** The Office of Justice Programs is providing Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental grant funds to units of local government to support a broad range of activities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the coronavirus. Funds will be used for overtime, equipment (including law enforcement and medical personal protective equipment), supplies (such as gloves, masks, sanitizer) and addressing the medical needs of inmates in state, local, and tribal prisons, jails, and detention centers. The Lexington Police Department and Community Corrections have been awarded federal funds in the amount of \$478,748 for activities to prevent, prepare for and respond to the coronavirus.

**What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?** Available funding in Fiscal Year 2021 is \$478,748. No matching funds are required. Future years funding is dependent upon availability of grant funding.

**Are the funds budgeted?** FY2021 Budget Amendment is in process.

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**Director/Commissioner:** Weathers and Haney/Armstrong

