



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: SEPTEMBER 29, 2015

SUBJECT: 2015 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program

Request

Request Council authorization to accept award from the U.S. Department of Justice in the amount of \$42,100 under the 2015 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program

Reasons for Requesting

On April 30, 2015 (Resolution No. 199-2015), Council approved submission of application to the Bureau of Justice Assistance, a part of the Office of Justice Programs in the U.S. Department of Justice in conjunction with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, requesting federal funds under the 2015 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP). The U.S. Department of Justice has offered the LFUCG an award in the amount of \$42,100. No matching funds are required.

SCAAP provides funds to States and localities as reimbursement for costs of incarcerated undocumented criminal aliens who have been incarcerated for at least four consecutive days during the reporting period (July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014), and incarcerated on conviction of at least one felony or two (2) misdemeanors. The Division of Public Safety proposes to use the funding for purchase of telemedicine equipment.

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

\$42,100 has been awarded for Fiscal Year 2016. There is no cost in future years. Budget Amendment is in process

File Number: 1227-15

Director/Commissioner: Ballard/Bastin

Council authorization to accept the award is hereby requested.

Irene Gooding, Director