

March 18, 2020

Josiah L. Keats Executive Director Kentucky Office of Homeland Security 200 Mero Street Frankfort, KY 40622

Dear Director Keats:

The Grant Programs Directorate (GPD) has reviewed the State of Kentucky's request to use FY 2018 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP)/State Homeland Security Grant Program (SHSP) funds in the amount of \$2,950.00 to purchase a 3D printer for the Lexington Fayette Urban County Government - Police Department. This request fits the scope of the grant program and is hereby approved. However, please be advised the 3D printer is only approved for the purpose described in the request and should not be used to create items considered unallowable under HSGP; including but not limited to functional weapons.

Grantees are reminded that allowable investments made in support of FY 2018 HSGP/SHSP priorities, as well as other capability-enhancing projects must fall into the categories of planning, organization, equipment, training, or exercises. All decisions are made on a case by case basis, and any future allowable cost requests that are not readily identified under the FY 2018 HSGP Funding Opportunity Announcement must also be submitted to GPD for prior approval.

Please contact Section Chief Kimberly Marshall at <u>Kimberley.Marshall@fema.dhs.gov</u> if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Alexander R. Mrazik Jr. Branch Chief GPD- PGD- HSPB

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