



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

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

DATE: JULY 31, 2020

SUBJECT: FY20 Kentucky 911 Services Board Grant Award #20-039

Request: Council authorization to accept grant award and to execute agreement from the Kentucky 911 Services Board (previously known as Kentucky Commercial Mobile Radio Services (CMRS) Board) in the amount of \$17,910 to purchase licenses and services to install an Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) training environment for a total cost of \$19,900. Match of 10% is required in the amount of \$1,990.

Purpose of Request: On May 28, 2020 (Resolution 224-2020) Council authorized the submission of an application requesting funding to train new telecommunicators on EMD protocols and maintain certification of existing telecommunicators after the Kentucky Department of Criminal Justice Training discontinued offering EMD certification training for PowerPhone as part of the Basic Telecommunicator Academy starting in 2020. EMD protocols are the life-saving instructions provided by a telecommunicator over the telephone until an ambulance arrives on-scene.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? A total of \$17,910 in state funds was awarded for Fiscal Year 2020. Match in the amount of \$1,990 is budgeted under 4204-505602-5621-78201. Annual recurring cost beginning in FY22 is \$750.

Are the funds budgeted? Budget Amendment 10733 is in process.

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Director/Commissioner: Stack/Armstrong

