



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

**FROM: THERESA REYNOLDS, DIRECTOR  
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

**DATE: JANUARY 6, 2023**

**SUBJECT: 2022-2023 FEMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Application Request  
Joyland Area Stormwater Improvements**

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**Request:** Council authorization to submit application and accept award if offered, to FEMA’s Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) requesting federal funding in the amount of \$900,000 with State agency share \$48,000 for the Joyland Area Stormwater Improvements – Phase 2 portion. Match in the amount of \$52,000 is required.

**Purpose of Request:** FEMA’s Hazard Mitigation Grant Program provides funding to state, local, tribal and territorial governments so they can develop hazard mitigation plans and rebuild in a way that reduces, or mitigates, future disaster losses in their communities. The Joyland area in Lexington has had stormwater problem areas identified for many years. The project limits can be generally defined as the area bounded by I-75/64, Paris Pike, Pierson Drive, and Rogers Road. Stormwater conveyance in the project area consists of a combination of existing infrastructure, open channels, and several karst features which intercept portions of the watershed. Phase 2 will consist of installing new storm infrastructure (both inlets and storm lines) within portions of the Joyland Area Neighborhood. Joyland Area Stormwater Improvement Project - Phase 2 has an estimated construction cost of \$1,000,000

**This request supersedes Resolution 656-2022**

*A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR, ON BEHALF OF THE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT, TO EXECUTE AND SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION REQUESTING \$825,000.00 IN FEDERAL FUNDS FROM THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, UNDER THE BUILDING RESILIENT INFRASTRUCTURE AND COMMUNITIES (BRIC) GRANT PROGRAM, FOR THE JOYLAND AREA STORMWATER IMPROVEMENTS - PHASE 2, TO PROVIDE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS GRANT APPLICATION, AND TO ACCEPT THIS GRANT IF THE APPLICATION IS APPROVED, THE ACCEPTANCE OF WHICH OBLIGATES THE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT TO THE EXPENDITURE OF \$275,000.00 AS A LOCAL MATCH,*



*AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER UNENCUMBERED FUNDS WITHIN THE GRANT BUDGET.*

**What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?** Total cost of the project is \$1,000,000. Federal amount (90%) is \$900,000, State agency share \$48,000 (4.8%) and Local match of \$52,000 (5.2%). No additional cost are anticipated.

**Are the funds budgeted?** Yes, 4052-303204-3334-92211, 2021 JOYLAND\_2021 CONSTRUCT and budget amendment will be completed if the project is approved.

**File Number:** 0034-23

**Director/Commissioner:** Martin/Albright

