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TO: JIM GRAY, MAYOR

**URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL** 

FROM: IRENE GOODING, DIRECTOR

DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

**DATE: OCTOBER 11, 2016** 

SUBJECT: Grant for Improvised Explosive Devise (IED) Disablement Training

**Course for Division of Police** 

## Request:

Request Council authorization to accept award of federal funds in the amount of \$60,000 from the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security for the Improvised Explosive Devise (IED) Disablement Training Course and purchase of equipment kits for response and sustainment training for use by the Division of Police under the 2016 State Homeland Security Grant Program.

## Why are you requesting?

On June 23, 2016 (Resolution 400-2016), Council authorized submission of an application to the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security requesting federal funds for an IED Disablement training course and for purchase of equipment kits for the Division of Police. The state agency is offering the LFUCG federal funds in the amount of \$60,000 for the purchase of course materials, to hire an instructor, and for the purchase of equipment kits for training purposes.

## What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?

\$60,000 in grant funds is being budgeted for Fiscal Year 2017. No matching funds are required. There is minimal cost for maintenance in future budget years.

**Are the funds budgeted:** BA 7869 is in process.

File Number: 1142-16

**Director/Commissioner**: Barnard/Bastin

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