



Legislation Text

File #: 21-4934, **Version:** 1

Department: County Judge

Department Head/Elected Official: Lina Hidalgo, Harris County Judge

Regular or Supplemental RCA:

- ☒ Regular RCA
☐ Supplemental RCA

Type of Request: Grant

Project ID (if applicable): eGrant# 4091601

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): N/A

MWDBE Participation (if applicable): N/A

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request by the County Judge for approval to accept from the Office of the Governor/Homeland Security Grants Division grant funds in the amount of \$46,813, with no required match, for the FY 2021 Pct. 7/Portable Radio Equipment Program.

Background and Discussion:

This grant is funded by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security via the Office of the Governor, Homeland Security Grants Division and includes a suite of risk-based grants to assist state, local, tribal and territorial efforts in preventing, protecting against, mitigating, responding to and recovering from acts of terrorism and other threats related to regional security. This grant provides grantees with the resources required for implementation of the National Preparedness System and working toward the National Preparedness Goal of a secure and resilient nation. The County has received funding from this grant program since 2002.

Expected Impact:

If accepted, the County will receive \$46,813 to implement funds with Constable Precinct 7's project that would impact the County's ability to interoperable communication during their response to terrorist events and other emergencies.

Alternative Options:

Without this funding the County would need to find alternate funding, possibly utilize general funds, to maintain a robust Homeland Security Program.

Alignment with Goal(s):

- ☒ Justice and Safety
☐ Economic Opportunity
☐ Housing
☐ Public Health

- ☐ Transportation
☐ Flooding
☐ Environment

☐ Governance and Customer Service **Prior Court Action (if any):**

Location:

Address (if applicable list below):

- ☒ Countywide
☐ Precinct 1
☐ Precinct 2

☐ Precinct 3

<input type="checkbox"/> Precinct 4 Fiscal and Personnel Summary				
Service Name	Constable Precinct 7	FY 21-22	Estimates	
			FY 22	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expenditures				
Labor Expenditures		0.0K	0.0K	0.0K
Non-Labor Expenditures		46.8K	0.0K	0.0K
Total Incremental Expenditures		-	-	-
Funding Sources (Homeland Security Grant Program - State Homeland Security Program [SHSP])				
Existing Budget	-	0.0K	0.0K	0.0K
	-	0.0K	0.0K	0.0K
	-	0.0K	0.0K	0.0K
Total Current Budget		-	-	-
Additional Budget Requested	FY20 Pct 7 SHSP	46.8K	0.0K	0.0K

	-	0.0K	0.0K	0.0K
	-	0.0K	0.0K	0.0K
Total Additional Budget Requested		46.8K	0.0K	0.0K
Total Funding Sources		46.8K	0.0K	0.0K
Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service		0.0K	0.0K	0.0K
Additional Positions Requested		0.0K	0.0K	0.0K
Total Personnel		0.0K	0.0K	0.0K

Anticipated Implementation Date: September 14, 2021

Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note:

☒ Not an emergency, disaster recovery, or COVID-19 related item

☐ Emergency Item

☐ COVID-19 related Item

☐ Disaster Recovery related Item

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Attachments (if applicable):

Order

Resolution