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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 307561

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE JUL 20 2012

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER, FIRE CHIEF, OR THE OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM MANAGER TO ACCEPT, APPROPRIATE AND EXPEND UP TO \$10,390,426 IN GRANT FUNDS FROM THE FY 2012 URBAN AREA SECURITY INITIATIVE GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego (City) has been identified by the Federal Department of Homeland Security as the core city for the San Diego Urban Area's (SDUA) participation in the Federal FY 2012 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP), specifically the Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI); and

WHEREAS, the Urban Area is defined as then eighteen (18) incorporated cities in San Diego County (County), the unincorporated areas of the County, and the related special districts; and

WHEREAS, as the core city, the City will be the grantee and administrator of the FY 2012 UASI grant for the SDUA; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2012 UASI program provides financial assistance to address the unique multi-discipline planning, operations, equipment, training and exercise needs of high threat, high density urban areas, and to assist in building and sustaining capabilities to mitigate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from threats or acts of terrorism, major disasters, and other emergencies; and

WHEREAS, the SDUA has directly applied for \$9,156,712 under the FY2012 UASI grant; and

WHEREAS, the SDUA may also receive additional state retention funds towards the statewide Risk Management Program, for which the SDUA is the current administrator, which would increase the net award to \$10,390,426; and

WHEREAS, the SDUA submitted its planned investments in the initial application phase; and

WHEREAS, these investments address significant regional needs as defined in our SDUA Homeland Security Strategy and include investments to:

- A. Enhance regional risk management and planning,
- B. Enhance information analysis and infrastructure protection capabilities,
- C. Strengthen chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, and explosive weapons of mass destruction and all hazards response,
- D. Strengthen communications capabilities, and
- E. Strengthen training, exercise, and evaluation programs.

WHEREAS, all funding must be allocated in support of the goals and objectives identified in the SDUA Homeland Security Strategy that was developed as a prerequisite to participation in the HSGP, and updated in 2010; and

WHEREAS, a regional approach was taken in the development and implementation of the Security Strategy and these investments by involving all nineteen (19) jurisdictions and mutual aid partners, and

WHEREAS, while the focus of the UASI grant program is to strengthen homeland security preparedness, the benefits will be seen in all aspects of emergency preparedness and response programs in the region, and

WHEREAS, the Federal Department of Homeland Security provides UASI grants through the California Emergency Management Agency, which provides them to the City to administer for the entire SDUA, and

WHEREAS, the UASI grant program enhances the City's and the region's security and public safety at no cost to the City, and

WHEREAS, there is no non-federal match or cost share required for grants under the UASI program covered by this resolution, and

WHEREAS, these grant funds are reimbursable in nature, requiring the City to expend funds prior to requesting reimbursement, and

WHEREAS, for this requested action, the total amount expended will not exceed \$10,390,426 which includes additional state grant retention funds, and

WHEREAS, expenditures will be initially sourced from the City's General Fund Federal Grant Revenue Account, and then reimbursed from the FY2012 UASI Grant Program, NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor, Chief Operating Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Fire Chief, or the Office of Homeland Security Program Manager is authorized, for and on behalf of the City of San Diego, to accept, appropriate, and expend up to \$10,390,426 in grant funds from the FY2012 Urban Area Security Initiative grant program as the City of San Diego's

authorized agent, and to execute all agreements necessary to comply with the FY2012 Urban Area Security Initiative requirements.

APPROVED: JANET GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By



Noah J. Brazier
Deputy City Attorney

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of JUL 10 2012.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 

Deputy City Clerk

Approved: _____

7.20.12

(date)



JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____

(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor