

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIR AND MEMBER, PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE relative to the Fiscal Year (FY) 2010 Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program and a Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) contract with 3Di, Inc., for the Regional Disaster Housing Project.

Recommendation for Council action:

AUTHORIZE the Mayor, or designee, to negotiate and execute a contract with 3Di, Inc., to enhance the Safety Assessment Module (SAM) and its mobile component, Mobile SAM, for a contract term of May 6, 2013, to September 19, 2013, and for a contract cost amount not to exceed \$71,000, to be funded from the FY 2010 Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Administrative Officer (CAO) reports that this action will not impact the General Fund. The above recommendation does not change the City's match requirement relative to the FY 2010 Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program. Funding in the amount of \$71,000 is available from the grant. The recommended action is consistent with City financial policies in that sufficient one-time grant funds will be used to support this one-time expenditure.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

**SUMMARY**

In a report to the Mayor and Council dated June 24, 2013 (attached to the Council file), the CAO states that the Mayor requests authority to contract with 3Di, Inc., to enhance LAHD's SAM and its mobile component, Mobile SAM. The SAM allows LAHD personnel in the field to digitally collect residential structure damage assessment data and automatically transmit that information to a central server. In the event of a catastrophe, this data is used by LAHD to coordinate regional planning for recovery, including housing assistance for displaced residents, short and longer term housing solutions, and residential reconstruction. The CAO recommends approval of the Mayor's request.

At the Public Safety Committee meeting held June 28, 2013, the Committee Chair and Member recommended that Council authorize the Mayor to execute the proposed contract with 3Di, as recommended by the CAO.

Respectfully Submitted,

<b><u>MEMBER</u></b>	<b><u>VOTE</u></b>
ENGLANDER:	YES
PERRY:	ABSENT
BUSCAINO:	ABSENT
KREKORIAN:	ABSENT
ZINE:	YES

**-NOT OFFICIAL UNTIL COUNCIL ACTS-**