



ANTONIO R. VILLARAIGOSA
MAYOR

October 17, 2012

Honorable Members of the City Council
c/o City Clerk
Room 395, City Hall

RE: Fiscal Year 2010 State Homeland Security Grant Program Funds Supplemental Grant Application and Request for Adoption of the Governing Body Resolution

Dear Honorable Members:

Transmitted herewith, for consideration by City Council, is a request to apply for the supplemental grant funds from the California Emergency Management Agency (CalEMA) FY 2010 State Homeland Security Grant Program (FY10 SHSGP). On March 12, 2012, CalEMA notified the City of Los Angeles of identified funding in an amount of \$55,000 to be utilized by the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) for the Protective Security Center (PSC) (Attachment 1).

The State Homeland Security Grant Program provides funding for planning, equipment, training, exercises and grant administration for emergency prevention, preparedness and response. This grant is funded by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security and distributed to the California Emergency Management Agency (CalEMA). Allocations are provided to states, which in turn provide program funding to Operational Areas within the state based on population and designated for the benefit of all first responders in the area. The County of Los Angeles subsequently administers the grant funding and distributes it among the regional recipients, including the City of Los Angeles. However, for this grant, CalEMA mandated that the supplemental FY10 SHSGP funds be obligated to the City of Los Angeles making the City the direct funding recipient rather than the County of Los Angeles. The Mayor's Office will manage the FY10 SHSGP PSC grant and LAPD will serve as the subrecipient of the grant funds. There is no match requirement associated with this grant.

PROTECTIVE SECURITY CENTER

The FY10 SHSGP supplemental grant will be utilized for management and administration monies to fund LAPD's Protective Security Center (PSC). The PSC provides office space and equipment for LAPD officers assigned to facilitate the work of Operation Archangel, a program designed to identify and analyze critical infrastructure in the City of Los Angeles that may be vulnerable to a terrorist attack. The program also collects vital information about the critical assets which is stored in a secure, web-enabled database that is easily accessible to first responders should an incident occur. Furthermore, the program develops protective measures and response plans for the critical sites. The PSC serves as a liaison point between local, state, federal, and private sector organizations. In an effort to continue the operation of the PSC and further the development of programs which aid agencies in addressing in the prevention, deterrence, mitigation and response to terrorism, with regard to Critical Infrastructure/Key Resources, the City of Los Angeles and the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) are committed to our partnership with the California Emergency Management Agency (CalEMA). CalEMA will assign staff to the PSC, as well as other partner agencies.

The FY10 SHSGP supplemental award will fund the annual expenses for the PSC as follows:

Telephone and T-1 Line	\$16,000
Utilities	\$29,800
Janitorial	<u>\$ 9,200</u>
Total	\$55,000

Governing Body Resolution

CalEMA requires the submission of the attached Governing Body Resolution as a part of the application package that is due to the California Emergency Management Agency. The Governing Body Resolution authorizes specified LA City Officials to execute for and on behalf of the City of Los Angeles any actions necessary for the purpose of obtaining federal financial assistance under the FY10 SHSGP.

The Mayor's Office will return to City Council and request authority to accept its grant award share once the supplemental grant is awarded by CalEMA.

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RECOMMENDATIONS

IT IS THEREFORE REQUESTED that the City Council:

1. **AUTHORIZE** the Mayor, or his designee, to submit the Fiscal Year 2010 State Homeland Security Grant Program (FY10 SHSGP) supplemental grant application to the California Emergency Management Agency (CalEMA) on behalf of the City of Los Angeles for \$55,000 to be utilized for annual expenses at the Protective Security Center (PSC); and
2. **ADOPT** the attached Governing Body Resolution to designate the City entities that will apply for and Federal Department of Homeland Security and sub-granted through the State of California.

Very truly yours,



ANTONIO R. VILLARAIGOSA
Mayor

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Attachments

- 1 Identification of Funding Letter
- 2 Governing Body Resolution



Attachment 1

March 12, 2012

Charles DeCuir,
City of Los Angeles
200 N. Spring Street, M-175-C
Los Angeles, CA 90012

SUBJECT: IDENTIFICATION FOR FUNDING
FY2010 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP)
Cal EMA ID# 037-95050, Grant #2010-0085

Dear Mr. DeCuir:

The California Emergency Management Agency (Cal EMA) has identified the project named below to receive an allocation of **\$55,000** in FY2010 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) grant funds. In order to accomplish this transfer of funds, Cal EMA will need to receive and approve the application documents and a final budget for the project. The project identified below, PCA 54908, is the only project to be considered for funding. Alternate projects will not be considered.

<u>UASI Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Project A – Protective Security Center LAPD	\$55,000

Funds awarded under this allocation will be subject to the requirements set forth in the FY 10 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) Grant 2010-SS-T0-0085. More specifically, the requirements of the Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) are described in the Federal Guidance provided in the FY 2010 HSGP Program Guidance and Application Kits.

Please submit an application on a financial management forms workbook to Cal EMA Program Representative Leo LaMattina at Leo.LaMattina@calema.ca.gov or the Grant Management Division at (916) 845-8450.

Thank you for your work in protecting California. We look forward to working with you and appreciate your cooperation and support.

Sincerely,

BRENDAN A. MURPHY
Assistant Secretary

GOVERNING BODY RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES THAT:

**Deputy Mayor, Mayor's Office of Homeland Security and Public Safety, OR
Grants Director, Mayor's Office of Homeland Security and Public Safety, OR
Finance Director, Mayor's Office of Homeland Security and Public Safety;
Chief Legislative Analyst, Office of the Chief Legislative Analyst, OR His/Her
Designee**

AND

**City Administrative Officer, Office of the City Administrative Officer, OR
His/Her Designee,**

are hereby authorized to execute for and on behalf of the City of Los Angeles, a public entity as established under the laws of the State of California, any actions necessary for the purpose of obtaining federal financial assistance under the State Homeland Security Grant Program (SHSGP) FY 2010, provided by the Federal Department of Homeland Security and sub-granted through the State of California.

Passed and approved this _____ day of _____, 2012.

Certification

I, June Lagmay, duly appointed and City Clerk of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Los Angeles on the _____ day of _____, 2012.

CITY CLERK

June Lagmay

Date: _____