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May 13, 2014

Honorable Eric Garcetti
Mayor, City of Los Angeles
Room 303, City Hall
Los Angeles, CA 90012

The Honorable City Council
C/O City Clerk's Office
Room 395, City Hall

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Attention: Mandy Morales, Legislative Coordinator

**AUTHORITY TO SUBMIT AND ACCEPT FISCAL YEAR 2014-15 CALRECYCLE EA-25
GRANT FUNDS FOR BUILDING AND SAFETY LOCAL ENFORCEMENT AGENCY**

In compliance with the City's Grant Ordinance¹, the Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety (LADBS) respectfully requests authority to submit and accept a Fiscal Year 2014-15 Enforcement Assistance Grant (EA-25) in the amount of approximately \$62,414 from the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) on behalf of its Local Enforcement Agency (LEA).

Background

The LEA will apply for and will subsequently be awarded an annual state landfill entitlement grant in the amount of approximately \$62,414, by the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) to support solid waste enforcement activities for FY 14-15². Therefore, the Department seeks Mayoral and City Council approval for LADBS' General Manager, or designee, to execute all grant-related documents and amendments, accept the grant, and receive and expend funds related to the EA-25 grant. No City General Funds, matching funds, or other commitments of City resources are required for receipt of these funds. However, the Department will need to front fund 10% of the awarded grant, which will be offset by the receipt of grant funds. Acceptance of grant funds will not have a fiscal impact on the City's General Fund or special funds.

The grant will be used to address needs resulting from the inspection and enforcement operations of the LEA Program such as worker health and safety equipment (e.g., instruments, equipment, and supplies), staff training, and technical assistance for maintaining program expertise. Additionally, part of the funds will be used for a consultant contract with E. Tseng and Associates, Incorporated (C-120979), which is primarily utilized for engineering review of Reports of Facility Information, closure plans, and other technical documents.

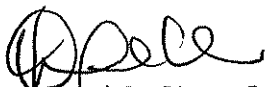
¹Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 14.6 (a), adopted 1-18-02.

²The awarded grant amount is dependent on the number of applicants. If all eligible applicants do not submit an application, LADBS may be awarded additional funds.

Recommendations:

1. Authorize the General Manager of the Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety, or designee, to accept the Local Agency Enforcement Grant (EA-25) in the amount of approximately \$62,414 from the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) for the Grant Performance Period of July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015 (FY 2014-15);
2. Authorize the General Manager of LADBS, or designee, to execute the EA-25 Grant Award Agreement with CalRecycle, and to execute any other necessary documents relative to the grant award;
3. Authorize the Controller to accept and deposit EA-25 grant funds in the Department of Building and Safety Fund entitled "Local Enforcement Agency (LEA) Landfill Fund," Fund No. 527 and to create an account entitled "Enforcement Assistance Grants";
4. Authorize the General Manager of LADBS, or designee, to expend said funds from the account listed above for the purposes set forth in this report and consistent with the grant requirements;
5. Authorize LADBS to prepare Controller's instructions and/or make any technical adjustments that may be required, subject to the approval of the CAO, and authorize the Controller to implement these instructions; and
6. Authorize the General Manager of LADBS, or designee, to negotiate, enter into, execute, administer, expend funds and otherwise manage Contract C-120979 with E. Tseng and Associates, Incorporated, (or subsequent contract replacing C-120979) consistent with the terms of the CalRecycle EA-25 LEA grant, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality.

Please direct any questions regarding the CalRecycle LEA Grant EA-25 to David Thompson, Local Enforcement Agency Program Manager, at (213) 252-3932. Should you need my assistance, please contact me at (213) 482-6800 (office).



Raymond S. Chan, C.E., S.E.
Superintendent of Building
General Manager

c: Kelli Bernard, Deputy Mayor
Jason Killeen, CAO Analyst



Application Certification

Application Information

Applicant: City of Los Angeles
 Cycle Name: Local Enforcement Agency Grants
 Cycle Code: EA25
 Grant ID: 15644
 Grant Funds Requested: \$ 62,414.00
 Matching Funds: - (if applicable)

Application Due Date: 5/22/2014
 Secondary Due Date: 6/19/2014

Contacts

Name	Title	Prime	Second	Auth	Cnsit
Andy Kao	Industrial Hygienist	X			
Frank Bush	Chief of Code Enforcement Bureau		X	X	
Ray Chan	General Manager			X	
Megan Lee	Admin Support		X		

Budget

Category Name	Amount
Analysis/Evaluation/Testing/Demo	-
Compliance/Inspection/Visit/Enforcement	-
Education	\$ 3,414.00
Equipment	\$ 20,000.00
Personnel	\$ 35,000.00
Training	\$ 4,000.00
Transportation	-

No Site Information Provided

Documents

Document Title

Received Date

Required

Application Certification

Required By Secondary Due Date

Resolution - Lead Participant

Other Supporting Document(s)

Draft Resolution	Draft Resolution	05/07/2014
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Letter of Authorization/Resolution

Letter of Designation	Letter of Designation	05/07/2014
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Resolution

Check the following, as applicable. See Application Guidelines and Instructions for more information and examples.

- Applicant acknowledges that its approved Resolution must be uploaded no later than the secondary due date. Applicant further acknowledges that if its Resolution is received after this date, its application will be disqualified.



Application Certification

Conditions and Certification

Condition of Application Submittal: Acceptance of Grant Agreement Provisions

In the event the Applicant is awarded a grant, the submittal of this Application constitutes acceptance of all provisions contained in the Grant Agreement, which consists of the following:

- Executed Grant Agreement Cover Sheet and any approved amendments
- Exhibit A - Terms and Conditions
- Exhibit B - Procedures and Requirements
- Exhibit C - Application with revisions, if any, and any amendments

Environmental Justice:

In the event Applicant is awarded a grant, submittal of this Application constitutes acceptance of the following; that in the performance of the Grant Agreement, Applicant/Grantee shall conduct their programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the State. (see Govt. Code §65040.12(e) and Pub. Resources Code § 71110(a))

Certification:

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that funds have been allocated for the project(s)/activities identified in the grant application and that sufficient funds are available to complete the project(s)/activities identified in the grant application, that I have read the Application Guidelines and Instructions and that all information submitted for CalRecycle's consideration for award of grant funds is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and that on behalf of the Applicant I accept the above conditions of submittal.

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MAY 07, 2014

Signature of Signature Authority (as authorized in Resolution or Letter of Commitment) Date
or Authorized Designee (as authorized in Letter of Designation, submitted with this
Application)

FRANK BUSH

CODE ENFORCEMENT BUREAU CHIEF

Print Name

Print Title

IMPORTANT! Applicant must print out this document, have the Signature Authority sign it, upload signed document to the application system, and retain the original hard copy document in your cycle file.