

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to an application for Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI) grant award funding.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. AUTHORIZE the Mayor's Office of Homeland Security and Public Safety to submit the Fiscal Year 2013 Urban Areas Security Initiative (FY13 UASI) grant application to the California Emergency Management Agency on behalf of the City of Los Angeles and the Los Angeles - Long Beach Urban Area, for the \$65,908,396 allocation.
2. ADOPT the accompanying Governing Body RESOLUTION designating the City entities that will apply for and manage Federal financial assistance provided by the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and sub-granted through the State of California.
3. INSTRUCT the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to report back with the necessary actions to approve and accept the FY13 UASI grant award once applications are evaluated and funding is allocated by the DHS.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The CAO report that this action will not impact the General Fund. City Financial Policies are not applicable to the report recommendations since no funding commitment is being made at this time. Approval of the recommendations above will allow the Mayor's Office of Homeland Security and Public Safety to submit the FY 2013 UASI grant application. No matching funds are required for this grant.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

In a report to the Mayor and Council dated July 17, 2013, the Mayor provides notice of the submission of the FY 2013 UASI grant application and requests authority to adopt the accompanying Governing Body Resolution. The CAO reports that final FY13 UASI allocations are anticipated to be announced in August 2013. As part of the application package, the California Emergency Management Agency requires the submission of the Governing Body Resolution. This Resolution authorizes specified Los Angeles City Officials to execute for, and on behalf of, the City of Los Angeles any actions necessary for the purpose of obtaining federal assistance under FY13 UASI. According to the CAO, the Mayor's Office will return to Council with a request for authority to accept the grant once the award notification is received. The CAO recommends approval of the Mayor's requests.

At the Public Safety Committee meeting held July 26, 2013, the Public Safety Committee recommended that Council authorize the Mayor to submit the application for FY 2013 UASI grant funding and to approve the Governing Body Resolution, as recommended by the CAO.

Respectfully Submitted,

MEMBER VOTE
ENGLANDER: YES

BUSCAINO: YES
BONIN: YES
O'FARRELL: YES

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