

- D7.** Consideration to Accept the Emergency Management Performance Grant Revenue in the Amount of \$28,018, Awarded by the California Office of Emergency Services and Administered by the San Bernardino County Fire Department, Office of Emergency Services, Fiscal Year 2021. (CITY/FIRE)



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TO: Mayor and Members of the City Council
President and Members of the Boards of Directors

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SUBJECT: Consideration to Accept the Emergency Management Performance Grant Revenue in the Amount of \$28,018, Awarded by the California Office of Emergency Services and Administered by the San Bernardino County Fire Department, Office of Emergency Services, Fiscal Year 2021. (CITY/FIRE)

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the City Council / Fire Board accept grant revenue in the amount of \$28,018 awarded by the California's Governor's Office of Emergency Services and administered by the San Bernardino County Fire Department, Office of Emergency Services under Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG). The grant funding will be used for personnel costs within the Emergency Management Division.

BACKGROUND:

The EMPG FY 2021 funding is a non-competitive grant designated for each of the twenty-four cities and towns within the County as members of the Operation Area (OA). Each jurisdiction is allocated a \$10,000 base, with the remainder of the grant distributed on a per capita basis to each eligible jurisdiction. Funds must be used to support local emergency management program activities that contribute to the State's Goals and Objectives, and the County's OA's capability to prevent, prepare for, mitigate against, respond to, and recover from emergencies and disasters, whether natural or man-made. Although the allocation may vary each year, the City receives this funding annually.

ANALYSIS:

The City of Rancho Cucamonga will continue to use these funds to assist with the implementation and execution of the Fire District's overall Emergency Management programs. This includes the coordination and development of the Auxiliary Communication Services (ACS) for ham radio operators and Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) programs. Also included are staff training programs such as the Accountability Officer, Emergency Operations Center, and WebEOC training. These programs fall in line with the goals and objectives of the State and County to increase the disaster resiliency in the City through education and awareness of natural and man-made disasters in our community.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Grant revenue will be received into account number 1383000-4740 (Emergency Management Performance Grant Income). Up to \$28,018 of grant revenue will be utilized to offset personnel costs within the Fire District's Emergency Management Division in account number 3281503-5000 (Regular Salaries).

COUNCIL MISSION / VISION / GOAL(S) ADDRESSED:

This item brings together portions of the Council's vision and core value by providing a sustainable City and promoting a safe and healthy community for all. This is accomplished by ensuring our Emergency Management Division has the resources and tools necessary to provide City and Fire District staff, as well as community members, with the skill set needed to manage a disaster of any size.

ATTACHMENTS:

N/A