

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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FROM: Riverside County Fire Department
Office of Emergency Services

SUBMITTAL DATE: May 27, 2003

SUBJECT FY03 State Homeland Security Grant Program Part II Supplemental Appropriation

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board authorize the Fire Department to submit a grant application on behalf of the County of Riverside Operational Area to the State of California Office of Homeland Security requesting up to **\$3,873,364** for First Responder Preparedness grant funding to address equipment, training, planning, exercise, and administrative needs of local first responders.

BACKGROUND Through the United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Office of Domestic Preparedness (ODP) FY 2003 State Homeland Security Program - Part II (SHSGP 03 Part II), additional financial assistance is being provided to address equipment, training, planning, exercise and administrative needs of state and local first responders. The California Office of Homeland Security is administering the grant program for the County Operational Areas. Riverside County has been identified as an eligible applicant and may apply for up to **\$3,873,364**. The Operational Area Planning Committee Grant Review and Approval Authority will determine the distribution of the funding to the jurisdictions within Riverside County based on the needs identified and prioritized by the Operational Area. The Riverside County Fire Department Office of Emergency Services is submitting this grant on behalf of the Riverside County Operational Area.

TOM TISDALE
County Fire Chief

FINANCIAL DATA N/A

CURRENT YEAR COST \$0

NET COUNTY COST \$0

SOURCE OF FUNDS: State of California Office of Homeland Security

ANNUAL COST N/A

IN CURRENT BUDGET No

BUDGET ADJUSTMENT No

CEO RECOMMENDATIONS:

APPROVE

County Executive Officer Signature:

Policy
 Policy

Consent
 Consent

Department Recommendation:
Per Executive Office: