

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



ITEM: 3.20  
(ID # 13091)

**MEETING DATE:**  
Tuesday, August 04, 2020

**FROM :** EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT:

**SUBJECT:** EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT: FY20 Authorization to Apply for the Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG), and Adoption of Resolution No. 2020-171 Authorizing the Emergency Management Department to Apply for FY20 EMPG. All Districts. Federal Funds, Local Match County and City Partners [up to \$660,000]

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorize the Director of Emergency Management Department (EMD) or his designee to apply to the Governor's Office of Emergency Services (CalOES) for up to \$660,000 in formula-based funding for the FY20 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) on behalf of the Riverside County Operational Area (OA); and
2. Adopt Resolution Number 2020-171, authorizing the Emergency Management Department Director and Deputy Director to execute documents related to the FY20 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) on behalf of the County.

**ACTION:**A-30, Policy

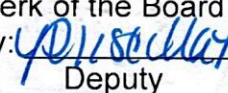
  
Ramon A. Leon, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY MGMT DEPT 7/16/2020

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**MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

On motion of Supervisor Jeffries, seconded by Supervisor Spiegel and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Date: August 4, 2020  
xc: EMD

Kecia R. Harper  
Clerk of the Board  
By:   
Deputy

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<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	<b>Current Fiscal Year:</b>	<b>Next Fiscal Year:</b>	<b>Total Cost:</b>	<b>Ongoing Cost</b>
<b>COST</b>	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
<b>NET COUNTY COST</b>	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A</b>			<b>Budget Adjustment: No</b>	
			<b>For Fiscal Year: 20/21</b>	

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:** Approve

**BACKGROUND:**

**Summary**

The purpose of the EMPG program is to support comprehensive emergency management at the State, Tribal and local levels and to encourage the improvement of mitigation, preparedness, response and recovery capabilities for all hazards incidents. Riverside County, functioning as the Operational Area (OA), applies for the EMPG each year and sub-grants to cities within the County. The amount applied for will be pre-determined by CalOES through a funding formula which considers both a base and the county population. As the lead agency for the OA, EMD is applying for EMPG funding on behalf of the Riverside County Operational Area. These grant funds will be utilized to enhance emergency management and community preparedness. A new Signature Authority Resolution is required with each year's application. EMD will return to the Board of Supervisors for acceptance of the grant once awarded.

**Impact on Residents and Businesses**

EMPG funds are used to sustain capabilities for the county-wide Emergency Management Program. EMD participates in many of the citizen/business groups and provides emergency management training and information. One such training is the CERT program, which teaches residents to be self-sustaining during a catastrophic incident. These trainings are offered on a regular basis and throughout the county.

**Additional Fiscal Information**

The EMPG grant is a federally funded dollar-for-dollar local cash or in-kind match. Each agency that is awarded funding is responsible for providing the dollar-for-dollar cash or in-kind match requirement. The dollar-for-dollar match portion of funding dedicated to the EMD will be derived from Emergency Services Coordinators' regular salaries that come from Net County Cost, as budgeted in the FY20/21 approved budget.

The OA uses the same type of formula as the state in order to pass funding through to participating cities and the OA accordingly. All cities are invited to participate in this grant program. The match for this pass-through amount will come from 100% City funds.

The attached resolution has been reviewed and approved as to form by County Counsel.



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ATTACHMENT – Resolution No. 2020-171

  
Cheryl Williams

7/27/2020

  
Gregory E. Priamos, Director County Counsel

7/23/2020

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3 RESOLUTION NO. 2020-171

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5 RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE,  
6 AUTHORIZING THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT TO APPLY FOR THE  
7 FY20 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (EMPG)

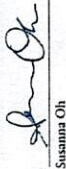
8 WHEREAS, the County of Riverside (the "County") annually applies for and has  
9 received grant funding in past fiscal years through the Emergency Management Performance  
10 Grant (EMPG), as made available through and administered by the California Governor's  
11 Office of Emergency Services (hereinafter referred to as "Cal OES"); and

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13 WHEREAS, the County desires to continue to apply for the EMPG for fiscal year 2020.

14 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, DETERMINED AND ORDERED by the Board of  
15 Supervisors of the County of Riverside, State of California, in regular session assembled on  
16 August 4, 2020, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside hereby authorizes  
17 that the individuals identified below to execute for and on behalf of the County of Riverside, a  
18 public entity established under the laws of the State of California, any document, including  
19 agreements, amendments, extensions, and grant award document with the Cal OES, as  
20 approved to form by County Counsel and provided that the County's contribution share has been  
21 budgeted for and approved by the Board of Supervisors, for the purpose of obtaining federal  
22 financial assistance provided by the Federal Emergency Management Agency and sub-granted  
23 through the Governor's Office of Emergency Services for the FY20 Emergency Management  
24 Performance Grant.  
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26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall be in effect for the duration of the  
27 grant period, as stipulated in the award letter and including any extensions thereof.

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By:  Susanna Oh  
Deputy County Counsel

1 Director of Emergency Management Department , OR

2 (Title of Authorized Agent)

3 Deputy Director of Emergency Management Department

4 (Title of Authorized Agent)

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6 ROLL CALL:

7 Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt

8 Nays: None

9 Absent: None

10 The foregoing is certified to be a true copy of a resolution duly  
11 adopted by said Board of Supervisors on the date therein set forth.

12 Kecia R. Harper, Clerk of said Board

13 By

*Priscilla Passer*  
14 Deputy

