

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



ITEM: 3.20  
(ID # 19275)

**MEETING DATE:**

Tuesday, June 28, 2022


**FROM :** EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT:

**SUBJECT:** EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT: FY22/23 Authorization to Apply for the Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG), and Adoption of Resolution No. 2022-135 Authorizing the Emergency Management Department to Apply for FY22 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 FY22 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) on behalf of the Riverside County Operational Area (OA); and
2. Adopt Resolution Number 2022-135, authorizing the Emergency Management Department to apply for the FY22 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) and for the Director and Deputy Director of EMD to sign on behalf of the County.

**ACTION:**

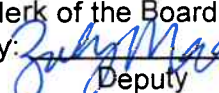
  
Bruce Barton, EMD Director 6/14/2022

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**MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

On motion of Supervisor Spiegel, seconded by Supervisor Perez 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: June 28, 2022  
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:</b>	22/23

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

**BACKGROUND:**

**Summary**

The purpose of the Emergency Management Performance Grant (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 hazard 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 FY22/23 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. 2022-135

*Rebecca S Cortez*  
Rebecca S Cortez, Principal Management Analyst

6/20/2022

*Kelly Moran*  
Kelly Moran, Deputy County Counsel

6/20/2022

1 Board of Supervisors

County of Riverside

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3 RESOLUTION NO. 2022-135

4 RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE,  
5 AUTHORIZING THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT TO APPLY FOR THE  
6 FY22 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (EMPG)  
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8 WHEREAS, the County of Riverside (the "County") annually applies for and has received grant  
9 funding in past fiscal years through the Emergency Management Performance Grant ("EMPG"), as made  
10 available through and administered by the California Governor's Office of Emergency Services  
11 (hereinafter referred to as "Cal OES"); and

12 WHEREAS, the County desires to continue to apply for the EMPG for fiscal year 2022.

13 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, DETERMINED AND ORDERED by the Board of  
14 Supervisors of the County of Riverside, State of California, in regular session assembled on June 28,  
15 2022, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside, located on the first floor of the County  
16 Administrative Center, 4080 Lemon Street, Riverside, California, hereby authorizes the individuals  
17 identified below to execute for and on behalf of the County of Riverside, a public entity established under  
18 the laws of the State of California, any document, including agreements, amendments, extensions, and  
19 grant award documents with the Cal OES, as approved-as-to-form by County Counsel and provided that  
20 the County's contribution share has been budgeted for and approved by the Board of Supervisors, for the  
21 purpose of obtaining federal financial assistance provided by the Federal Emergency Management  
22 Agency and sub-granted through the Governor's Office of Emergency Services for the FY22 Emergency  
23 Management Performance Grant.

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FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL  
BY:  MELISSA R. CUSHMAN  
DATE: 6/20/2022

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall be in effect for the duration of the grant  
2 period, as stipulated in the award letter and including any extensions thereof.

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4 Director of Emergency Management Department , OR  
5 (Title of Authorized Agent)

6 Deputy Director of Emergency Management Department  
7 (Title of Authorized Agent)

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11 ROLL CALL:

12 Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt  
13 Nays: None  
14 Absent: None

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

17 Kecia R. Harper, Clerk of said Board

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19 By   
Deputy