

To: Bay Area UASI Approval Authority From: Craig Dziedzic, General Manager

Date: March 14, 2019

Re: Item 3: General Manager's Report

Recommendation:

No recommendation

Action or Discussion Items:

- (a) UASI FY 2019 Appropriations (Discussion)
- (b) FY 2019 Non-Profit Grant Program (Discussion)
- (c) 2019 Homeland Security Conference (Discussion)
- (d) Management Team Tracking Tool and Future Agenda Items (Discussion)

Discussion/Description:

(a) UASI FY 2019 Appropriations (Discussion)

The fiscal year (FY) 2019 Consolidated Appropriations bill was signed into law on February 15, 2019, and provides discretionary funding for nine federal departments and dozens of agencies including the Departments of Justice and Homeland Security. The bill funds these departments through the end of the fiscal year, September 30, 2019.

Homeland Security Programs				
	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019 WH	FY 2019
Program	Enacted	Enacted	Budget	Enacted
State Homeland Security Grant Program	\$467,000,000	\$507,000,000	\$349,362,000	\$525,000,000
Operation Stonegarden	(\$55,000,000)	(\$85,000,000)		(\$90,000,000)
Nonprofit Security Grants				(\$10,000,000)
Urban Areas Security Initiative	\$605,000,000	\$630,000,000	\$448,844,000	\$640,000,000
Nonprofit Security Grants	(\$25,000,000)	(\$50,000,000)		(\$50,000,000)
Port Security Grants	\$100,000,000	\$100,000,000	\$36,358,000	\$100,000,000
Public Transportation Security/Railroad	\$100,000,000	\$100,000,000	\$36,358,000	\$100,000,000
Competitive Preparedness Grant Program			\$522,000,000	

^{*}Allocation of 25% of a state's combined State Homeland Security Program and UASI funds for Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention activities remains a statutory requirement under the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11

At the meeting of the Coalition of CA UASIs, Cal OES stated they foresee the FY 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) being released in mid-April.

(b) FY 2019 Non-Profit Grant Program

The purpose of this grant program is to integrate preparedness activities of nonprofit organizations that are at high risk of a terrorist attack due to their ideology, beliefs, or mission with broader state and local preparedness efforts.

In FY 2018 NSGP had \$60 million dollars in grant funds available nationwide for those U.S. nonprofit organizations that met the criteria. Of the \$60 million, \$50 million was made available to nonprofits located in designated urban areas (NSGP-UA), and \$10 million was available to nonprofits located outside designated urban areas (NSGP-S).

For FY 19, \$60 million dollars in grant funds will again be made available nationally for nonprofit 501 (c) 3 organizations. Although FEMA has not yet released the specific due dates for the FY19 Non-Profit Security Grant Program (NSGP) applications, Cal OES anticipates applications will be due in late May. Organizations in the Bay Area UASI region may apply through the State Administrative Agency (Cal OES) for awards of up to \$150,000.

(c) 2019 National Homeland Security Conference

As a friendly reminder, the National Homeland Security Conference is June 17th to June 20th. Approval Authority Members/Alternates should submit their UASI Travel Authorization in a timely manner in order to request reimbursement.

(d) Management Team Tracking Tool and Future Agenda Items

Attached as Appendix A is the Management Team Tracking Tool. Members may submit future agenda items to the General Manager.