



To: Bay Area UASI Approval Authority
From: Ethan Baker, Emergency Services Coordinator
Date: October 8, 2015
Re: Item 9: Bay Area UASI Website Enhancement Update

Staff Recommendation:

None – for discussion only

Action or Discussion Item:

Discussion

Discussion:

This item is an update on the Bay Area UASI's website enhancement project. In June 2014, the Bay Area UASI management team initiated an RFP process to select a vendor to update and develop the design and structure of the website. In February 2015, the Bay Area UASI contracted with Trinity Technology and Viaspire, Inc. to customize the site to meet the unique needs of the Bay Area UASI. The new site map, structure, and design have been completed. The remaining work includes finalizing content creation and other refinements following the beta launch and testing period. The new website includes full integration with our grants management system that allows sub-recipients to apply for, and manage their projects online. The new website design is anticipated to be launched before the end of 2015.

New website highlights include:

- Cleaner, more intuitive design
- Enhanced search abilities
- Optimized for viewing on PC, tablet, or mobile
- New areas to highlight featured projects & accomplishments
- Integration with new grants management system
- Enhanced data and analytics reports