## PALM BEACH COUNTY **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: Ap	oril 20, 2021	[X] []	Consent Ordinance	[ ] [ ]	Regular Public Hearing	
Department: Submitted By: Submitted For:	Department of	Department of Public Safety Department of Public Safety Division of Emergency Management				
		EXECI	JTIVE BRIEF			

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to: receive and file an extension to Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with the City of Miami (R2020-1123) for the Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) FY 2019 agreement # R0075 in the amount of \$396,465 extending the grant period through September 30, 2021 for four (4) incomplete projects totaling \$264,027.

Palm Beach County along with all political subdivisions are currently responding to COVID-19 to ensure the safety of its citizens. Because of this response, we have requested an extension on the original MOA, which expires June 30, 2021 so more time is allowed to spend the funds efficiently. The original MOA (CFDA # 97.067) provides a means of funding various domestic security activities within the County using Federal UASI funds through the City of Miami as the UASI's fiscal agent. The incomplete projects include an award of \$64,007 to Palm Beach County to purchase computer equipment to enhance the Emergency Operations Center (EOC); an award of \$60,020 to Palm Beach County to purchase a First Defender RMX; an award of \$55,000 for a variety of equipment for the Regional All Hazards Incident Management Team (AHIMT); and an award of \$85,000 for a Regional AHIMT truck and mobile generator. R2013-0622 gave the authority to the County Administrator, or designee, to execute these agreements on behalf of the Board of County Commission. No County matching funds are required. **Countywide** (LDC)

**Background and Justification:** In 2006, the State of Florida and the Federal Department of Homeland Security established a new UASI. This new UASI was created using the cities of Fort Lauderdale, Miramar, Miami Gardens, Hollywood, and Coral Springs as the core cities. At the first organizational meeting of the UASI, the core cities invited the Counties of Broward and Palm Beach to participate as equal partners. Subsequently, the City of Coral Springs and the Sheriff's Office of Broward and Palm Beach Counties were also invited to participate as equal partners. In May of 2011, the Miami UASI and the Fort Lauderdale UASI were combined by the Department of Homeland Security into the Fort Lauderdale/Miami UASI. The City of Miami has accepted the duties and responsibilities of representing the UASI to the State and Federal governments as the UASI's fiscal agent and point of contact.

Attachments 1) Palm Beach	County Extension	on Letter – UASI 2019G	Y from the City o	f Miami
Recommended By:	Departmen	h gy Sphlalu 1. Director	Sernong	3/18/2/
Approved By:		unty Administrator	3/23/2 Date	/

## II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

## A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact Fiscal Years 2021 2022 <u>2023</u> 2024 2025 **Capital Expenditures Operating Costs External Revenues Program Income (County)** In-Kind Match (County) **Net Fiscal Impact** # ADDITIONAL FTE **POSITIONS (Cumulative)** Is Item Included in Current Budget? No \_ Yes Yes X Does this item include the use of federal funds? **Budget Account Exp No: Fund Department Unit Object** Rev No: Fund Department Unit\_Source B. Recommended Sources of Funds/Summary of Fiscal Impact: **Grant:** Fund: Unit: **Major Program: Program Period:** \*No additional fiscal impact, time extension only. Departmental Fiscal Review: III. REVIEW COMMENTS A. OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Dev. and Control Comments: **OFMB** Legal Sufficiency: B. ounty Attorney C. Other Department Review:

This summary is not to be used as a basis for payment.

**Department Director** 

## City of Miami

ARTHUR NORIEGA City Manager JOSEPH F. ZAHRALBAN Fire Chief



February 19, 2021

Mary Blakeney, Director Division of Emergency Management Palm Beach County 20 South Military Trail West Palm Beach, FL 33415

Re: Palm Beach County Extension Letter - UASI 2019GY

Dear Ms. Blakeney:

This letter serves as official notification that Palm Beach County has been awarded an extension for the following projects:

<b>Grant Year</b>	Discipline	Line Item	Project	Allocation
2019	PBC DEM	2019-02K	EOC Enhancement to include Computers for EOC staff (66 @\$969.80 each)	\$64,007.00
2019	Regional	2019-12A	First Defender RMX	\$60,020.00
2019	Regional	2019-02J	All Hazards IMT Operational Coordination Project to include tablets with cases and a pelicon case with wheels for transport, uniforms and an inflatable shelter	\$55,000.00
2019	Regional	2019-15B	AHIMT Critical Transportation - Truck and mobile generator w/trailer	\$85,000.00

Please refer to the Funding Year of 2019 Miami UASI MOA (Agreement #R0075) between the City of Miami and Palm Beach County for more information and stipulations.

The period of performance for the UASI 2019 projects expire September 30, 2021, and the reimbursement packages are to be submitted no later than October 15, 2021.

Project timelines and benchmarks shall be clearly communicated to the administrating agency (City of Miami) upon request. Failure to comply with timelines and benchmarks will result in the de-obligation of funds for these projects.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact UASI Program Manager, Andrea Becraft at (305) 416-5454 or via email at <a href="mailto:abecraft@miamigov.com">abecraft@miamigov.com</a>.

Sincerely,

Robert Hevia, DNP, MBA Assistant Fire Chief Emergency Manager /UASI Administrator Division of Emergency Management Department of Fire-Rescue

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