

Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street Chicago, IL

Legislation Details

File #: 21-4370 Version: 1 Name: FEMA Public Assistance

Type: Grant Award Amendment Status: Approved

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Title: PROPOSED GRANT AWARD AMENDMENT

Department: Emergency Management and Regional Security

Grantee: Emergency Management and Regional Security

Grantor: FEMA Public Assistance

Request: Authorization to increase

Purpose: To increase the County's FEMA Public Assistance grant award to accommodate additional

funding for the coverage of vaccine distribution and administrative costs.

Supplemental Grant Amount: N/A

Grant Period: 3/13/2020 (beginning of the national emergency) through the end of the federal

emergency declaration.

Extension Period: N/A

Fiscal Impact: \$16,500,500.00 (Award will be increased from \$136,763,546.18 to \$153,264,046.18)

Accounts: 11900.1265.53990.50000. No cash match required. FEMA is currently funding COVID-19

related eligible costs at 100%.

Date of Previous Board Authorization for Grant: Previous grant award approved by the Budget

Director pursuant to Resolution 20-2373

Previous Grant Amount: \$136,763,546.18

Concurrences:

The Budget Department has received all requisite documents and determined the fiscal impact on

Cook County, if any.

Summary: The FEMA Public Assistance grant is a reimbursement grant that allows the County to recover costs associated with responding to the COVID-19 pandemic. Eligible costs are paid for by the County and submitted to FEMA for reimbursement. FEMA has issued additional guidance allowing for local governments to recoup mass vaccination costs in addition to reopening costs. This

amendment will allow the County to receive these additional funds in advance to assist in the payment

of costs related to our continued vaccination distribution and administrative effort as well as our

ongoing reopening effort related to COVID-19.

Sponsors:

Indexes: (Inactive) WILLIAM BARNES, Executive Director, Department of Emergency Management and

Regional Security

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Attachments:

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
9/23/2021	1	Board of Commissioners	approve	Pass
9/22/2021	1	Finance Committee	recommend for approval	Pass
7/29/2021	1	Board of Commissioners	refer	Pass