

Blount County, Tennessee Grant (Contract) Worksheet

(adopted February 21, 2013)

Please provide the information below for any Grant being applied for or recently awarded.

Once completed, return the worksheet via e-mail to the Grant Accountant at accounting@blounttn.org.

Requesting Department: Emergency Management

Contact Person's Name, email, phone # (person applying for grant): Lance Coleman

Financial Reporting Person's information (if different than contact): Brian Baldwin

Project/Program Director's Name, email, phone # Lance Coleman, lcoleman@blounttn.org, 865-548-1997

Name of Granting Agency: Tennessee Emergency Management Agency

Grant Name: 2024 State Homeland Security Program Grant

Is a grant application required? x

Is this a one-time grant? Recurring

Grant Funds Requested:

Are County Funds Required (Match)? If so when approved, a budget amendment for match will need to be included with this form

No

Total Amount of Grant:

\$ 51,250

Brief Description for Use of Grant Funds:
(Equipment, Gear, Personnel, etc.)

If the grant is in the application processes, what is the submission deadline?

November 25th, 2024

Worksheet reviewed by -

Grant Accountant and/or Finance Director:

Date of Commission approval:

Please provide the remaining information once the Grant is approved.

Grant CFDA# (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance):

Date of Grant Award:

Grant Period: (such as: Oct 1 - Sept 30)

Expiration Date of Grant, as established by the Granting Agency:

Anticipated Closing Date of Grant Project:

How will we receive the Grant Funds? (direct deposit, check, other)

How often will the Grant Funds be sent? (monthly, quarterly, one payment, other)

**** Attach Budget Amendment(s) to this form when grant approved ****

FY24 HSGP District 2 Project Request Form

Project Request Number:	1	
Project Title:	2024 SHSP EOC Upgrade Project	
National Priority Area:	Enhancing Information and Intelligence Sharing	
Description of the Project:		
Describe how the project will support the NPA and any core capabilities associated with the NPA, as well as support the District's ability to prevent, prepare for, mitigate, respond to, or recover from an act of terrorism.		
<p>Blount County is requesting \$34,000.00 for upgrades to our Emergency Operations Center at the Blount County E-911 Emergency Communications Center. This technology upgrade would enable the EMA and Blount County Sheriff's personnel to utilize the room as a Real Time Crime Operations Center, a fusion center using 2,900 surveillance cameras at county and Maryville/Alcoa city facilities/intersections. These capabilities would enable EMA to coordinate response to a terror attack as as routine crime incidents. This initiative is in its infancy, but when completed, it will enable law enforcement to respond to terror attacks or routine crime incidents as they are happening with actionable intelligence to better respond to the incidents and prevent them as well. Similar Real Time Crime Operations Centers are located in Naples, Fla., and Chattanooga, TN. This project plays well into fulfilling the core capabilities for operational coordination as well as intelligence and information sharing.</p>		

Requested Project Expenses	AEL	Total Expense Cost	LETPA-related Cost
Technology Upgrade	21GN-00-OCEQ	\$ 34,000.00	\$ 34,000.00
		Total Project Cost	\$ 34,000.00

FY24 HSGP District 2 Project Request Form

Project Request Number:	2	
Project Title:	2024 SHSP Level A Suit Upgrade	
National Priority Area:	Enhancing the Protection of Soft Targets and Crowded Spaces	
Description of the Project:		
Describe how the project will support the NPA and any core capabilities associated with the NPA, as well as support the District's ability to prevent, prepare for, mitigate, respond to, or recover from an act of terrorism.		
<p>Blount County is requesting \$12,000.00 to purchase nine to 12 new Level A hazmat suits to be assigned to the City of Alcoa Fire Department, City of Maryville Fire Department and the Blount County Fire Protection District. These suits would supplement the Level A suits each department has and are needed because these suits do have to be taken out of service when they no longer work as they should.</p> <p>Blount County has several festivals and outdoor events throughout the year in downtown Maryville, in Alcoa's Springbrook Park and at Townsend's Visitor Center. If domestic terrorists strike one or multiple locations with a "dirty bomb" that has unknown hazmat material, fire department personnel would don these suits to protect themselves while determining the bomb contents and sharing that with other agencies dealing with the same situation. These suits would help fulfill the core capabilities of screening, search and detection as well as intelligence and information sharing.</p>		

Requested Project Expenses	AEL	Total Expense Cost	LETPA-related Cost
2024 SHSP Level A Suit Upgrade	DISP-01-ENSE	17,250.00	
		Total Project Cost	\$17,250.00