

To: Budget Committee/Blount County Commission

From: Angelie Shankle, Finance Manager Sheriff's Office

CC: Fin. Dir. Brian Baldwin, Mayor Ed Mitchell

Date: 3/24/2023

Re: ELC grant award ("Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity" Confinement Facilities)

Budget Committee Members and Commissioners,

The Sheriff's Office has been awarded the ELC grant. This grant is meant to address the Covid-19 pandemic in confinement facilities, and for the prevention and control of emerging infectious diseases.

We came to you in March, requesting permission to apply for the grant. There is no match required.

We will be using the grant funds to purchase inmate jumpsuits and mattresses.

Thank you,

Angelie Shankle