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Subject: RE: BOS File Nos. 210680 & 210681 - Accept and Expend Grants - United States Homeland Security
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Hi Linda,

In response to your question, the reason for the “retroactive” term used in the legislation is the Grant Performance Period had begun in both grants and the funds requested are increases to the original award. Therefore, we included the term. None of these grant funds have been expended and no grant activities using these funds have occurred.

I can still join the meeting tomorrow just in case I’m needed.

Thanks,

Mary

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Hello Mary,

As you are aware, your following items were heard in Budget & Finance Committee on July 21, 2021, and forwarded to the full Board on July 27, 2021:

- **File No. 210680** - Accept and Expend Grant - Retroactive - United States Homeland Security - California Office of Emergency Services - Bay Area Urban Areas Security Initiative - \$33,012,500
- **File No. 210681** - Accept and Expend Grant - Retroactive - United States Homeland Security - Securing the Cities Program - FY2020 - \$3,065,800

These legislation authorize “retroactive” approvals. Due to the full Board’s concerns regarding “retroactive” approvals, please make sure you - or a department representative - will be in

attendance to answer any questions or concerns when the full Board considers this matter.

If you would like to include additional written explanation regarding the “retroactive” approvals, please forward to me and I will disseminate to the Members and include in the legislative file.

Thank you for your continued collaboration on the legislative process.

Best,

Linda Wong

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