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MEMORANDUM

To: Nicole Elliott, Director of Government Affairs
From: Amiee Alden, DEM
Date: December 29, 2014
Re: Accept and Expend Resolution to Increase the FY 2014 UASI Grant

The Department of Emergency Management (DEM) respectfully requests that the attached legislation be introduced at the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors, to Accept and Expend an increase of \$122,688 to the FY 2014 Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI) grant previously awarded to the Bay Area. As you know, UASI is a regional grant, for which the City and County of San Francisco acts as Fiscal Agent. The region annually receives this grant from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS), which funds planning, operations, equipment, training, and exercises for agencies throughout the Bay Area.

In September 2014, DHS awarded the Bay Area \$22,742,00 in FY 2014 UASI grant funds. This amount is slightly higher than the anticipated amount of \$22,619,312 that was included in DEM's FY 14-15 budget, based on the prior year's grant award. The Board of Supervisors must approve the difference of \$122,688 in order to comply with the City's Administrative Code requirement that Board of Supervisors approve any increase of over \$100,000 to previously awarded grants.

Specifically, \$116,553 of the additionally awarded funds will be allocated to the Northern California Regional Intelligence Center to continue funding a cyber-security analyst. The balance of \$6,135 will be allocated to office supplies, equipment maintenance, and leases.

This resolution creates no new positions, and no matching funds are required from the City.

Thank you for your assistance with this legislation. If you require additional information, please contact me at: (415) 558-3803 or amiee.alden@sfgov.org.