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Legislation Text

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Sheriff's Department recommending the Board adopt Resolution **096-2012** designating the County Authorized Agents to apply for the Fiscal Year 2012 Homeland Security Grant.

BUDGET SUMMARY:	
Anticipated Grant Allocation.....	\$188,682
Funding.....	
Budgeted.....	
New Funding.....	\$188,682
Savings.....	
Other.....	
Total Funding Available.....	\$188,682
Change To Net County Cost.....	0

Fiscal Impact/Change to Net County Cost: None

This grant is providing 100% funding and there is no County match requirement.

Background

The Federal government recently awarded the Fiscal Year 2012 Homeland Security Grant program funds to the States for the State Homeland Security Grant Program. The County's allocation from the State is \$188,682. The grant application is due on August 17, 2012.

The County is the subgrantee, and provides funding for equipment, training, planning and exercise costs to the Cities of South Lake Tahoe and Placerville, Sheriff's Department, Public Health, Environmental Management, Fire Districts, and other eligible local agencies to prevent, respond and recover from terrorist events, and other local disasters and emergencies.

Reason for Recommendation

El Dorado County applies for this grant annually. The FY 2012 grant was released and the application due date has been set for August 17, 2012. The Sheriff's Department is requesting approval of the Resolution to be submitted with the application.

As required by the Homeland Security Grant, the County Board of Supervisors created an Approval Authority, representing the Cities of Placerville and South Lake Tahoe, Sheriff, Fire Districts, Public Health and Environmental Management on April 8, 2003, to approve the distribution of the grant funds at the local level. The Approval Authority will meet and approve a plan for allocating the grant funds to needed projects.

With regard to grant purchased equipment, the County, as the Operational Area lead agency, will purchase and loan equipment to other participating agencies, or subgrant funds to the agencies to purchase equipment, and eventually transfer ownership of the equipment to participating agencies after grant audits are completed. In the event the County, as the Operational Agency, has to reimburse an agency for purchases made with grant funds, a reimbursement agreement will be prepared to authorize the Auditor's Office to reimburse the agency.

Action(s) to be taken following Board approval

After Board approval, the Sheriff's Department will submit the signed Resolution along with the completed application to Cal EMA.

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