



TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES MEMORANDUM

To: Honorable Mayor and Honorable Councilmembers

From: Edward Pidermann, Town Manager

Subject: FY2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) Program

Date: May 19, 2020

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Town Council authorize the Town Manager to apply for the FY2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) Program to provide funding for the prevention, preparation and response to the coronavirus, in an amount not to exceed \$122,700, and if funded, to authorize the Town Manager to accept grant funds, execute the grant agreement, take all necessary steps to implement the terms and conditions of the agreement, expend budgeted funds in connection with this Program, and to submit requests for reimbursements in connection with this Program.

Background

The U.S. Department of Justice (USDOJ), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA), released the Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) Program on March 30, 2020. The Program provides nationwide funding in the amount of \$850 million. Florida's portion is approximately \$50.2 million as follows:

- Approximately \$18.5 million was allocated directly to select local jurisdictions.
- Approximately \$31.7 million was allocated for the state award. This allocation will provide pass-through funding (subawards) to Florida's state agencies and to eligible local jurisdictions not receiving a direct award from USDOJ.

The FDLE, Office of Criminal Justice Grants (OCJG), is seeking applications for the FY2020 CESF Program. This Notice of Funding Opportunity seeks subrecipient applications for activities as they relate to the prevention of, preparation for, and response to the coronavirus. The Town of Miami Lakes FY2020 CESF Program Local Allocation is \$122,700. Matching funds are not required for the Program.

The FY2020 CESF Program funds may not be used to supplant state or local funds. Funds must only be used to increase the amount of funds that would, in the absence of federal funds, be made available for the given activities. The FY2020 CESF Program Local Allocations list is enclosed as Exhibit A.

Benefits

If awarded, the FY2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) Program will provide the Town with a maximum allocation of \$122,700 to fund essential personal protective equipment, supplies, materials, overtime, and other measures used for the prevention of, preparation for, and response to the coronavirus.

Attachments:

Resolution

Exhibit A FY2020-CEFS Local Allocations