

within County. The recommended action authorizes the Office of Emergency Management to apply for the grant. The Resolution further identifies those persons who are authorized to execute the grant and submit the required quarterly reports. The EMPG Program funding ensures compliance with state and federal emergency management requirements. The funding provides up to one half of the personnel expense for authorized emergency planning staff, indirect costs, and some services and supplies. This Resolution updates Resolution 05-109.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

This Resolution allows County OEM to apply for reimbursement claims under the EMPG sub grant program through CalOES. The EMPG Program provides partial funding (up to one half the salary and benefits, depending on funding from the Federal Emergency Management Agency) for OEM positions. These funds may also be used to provide equipment or supplies to enhance emergency management throughout the Operational Area. The FY 2015-2016 allocation is \$215,779.00. The term of the EMPG is July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016.

Budgeted: Yes. The EMPG funding is included in the department's 2015-2016 proposed budgets.

Special Instructions:

Please provide copies of executed Resolution and the minute order to the Office of Emergency Management; attention Justin Freiler.

Attachments:

Attachment A – A Resolution accepting the FY 2015 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) providing grant funding for emergency management activities in the Santa Barbara Operational Area.

Attachment B – Notice of Exemption

Authored by:

Justin Freiler, Department Business Specialist II