

Grant Award Summary

2020 Homeland Security-WEM/HS ALERT EOD Bomb Suit Grant

Grant Type: New Grant

Grantor: State of Wisconsin Department of Military Affairs, Wisconsin Emergency Management (WEM) Homeland Security

Grant Period: October 1, 2020—August 31, 2021

Award Amount: \$36,000

Match Required: No match is required. However, the Milwaukee Police Department (MPD) will fund any additional cost over \$36,000 that is necessary to complete the purchase.

Fiscal Agent: Milwaukee Police Department (MPD)

MPD Sub-Awardee: N/A

Allocation Purpose: Funding may be used for equipment. All expenses must be new and cannot replace existing state or local government funding.

Partners: N/A

Research & Evaluation: Progress reports must be submitted quarterly. Equipment grants will require an inventory report in addition to program and financial reports. An inventory report must be submitted prior to grant closeout and final reimbursement. Financial reports must be submitted as a final only.

Program Goals

This grant will fund a new bomb suit for the Milwaukee Police Department Bomb Squad. This grant will allow the Milwaukee Police Department the opportunity to purchase a current specifications bomb suit for personnel to respond to high risk situations with the threat of explosives.

Programmatic Summary

WEM will provide grant funds for a bomb suit that meets the current safety standards for the Milwaukee Police Department to assist in managing and handling high risk explosive ordinance situations. The bomb suit will assist the regional Bomb Squad in their response of area of responsibility for ALERT (Aligned Law Enforcement Response Team). More specifically this grant will support the Bomb Squad to enhance the capabilities and safe responses for regional ALERT initiatives.