

**LRB-RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS SECTION**

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

**ITEM 18, FILE 080079**

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File 080079 is a resolution relating to the application, acceptance and expenditure of the 2007 Metropolitan Medical Response System grant.

**Background and Discussion**

1. The purpose of this resolution is to authorize the Milwaukee Fire Department to apply for, accept and expend the 2007 Metropolitan Medical Response System grant (MMRS) awarded by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.
2. The Milwaukee Fire Department would use the funds to continue one position of MMRS Coordinator, a Battalion Chief, and purchase essential supplies and equipment required to prepare for and manage incidents resulting from domestic terrorism. Costs include the following:

Battalion Chief wages	\$89,286
Battalion Chief fringe benefits	\$60,714
Antibiotics	\$7,000
Tactical EMS equipment	\$8,000
Patient tracking system enhancements	\$15,000
N-95 face pieces	\$10,000
Travel/training costs	\$5,000
Consulting	\$55,501
TOTAL	\$250,501

3. The operation of this grant project from 3/1/08 to 3/1/10 would cost \$250,501, entirely provided by the grantor.

**Fiscal Impact**

The Milwaukee Fire Department is authorized to apply for, accept and expend a grant entitled Metropolitan Medical Response System Fiscal Year 2007 totaling \$250,501.

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