IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION authorizing the County Executive to execute an Agreement for Services with the Mid-America Local Emergency Planning Committee and the Mid-America Regional Council, at no cost to the County.

RESOLUTION NO. 18173, May 20, 2013

INTRODUCED BY Theresa Garza Ruiz, County Legislator

WHEREAS, Jackson County, together with Cass, Clay, Platte, and Ray Counties, have cooperatively formed a local emergency planning committee (LEPC) under the provisions of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986; and,

WHEREAS, each county receives grants from the Missouri Emergency Response Commission in accordance with Missouri's Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (Sections 292.600 to 292.625, RSMo); and,

WHEREAS, these funds are paid directly by the State directly to LEPC, to be used for programs which support the LEPC's hazardous materials planning and training and related activities; and,

WHEREAS, each of the five counties, as a member of the LEPC, has entered into an agreement with the Mid-America Regional Council (MARC) approving the scope of work by MARC and the LEPC on its behalf; and,

WHEREAS, MARC is a public not-for-profit organization, formed in 1972 by area cities

and counties, including the counties that have formed the LEPC, to address issues and problems of mutual concern; and,

WHEREAS, MARC can provide administrative and technical assistance to carry out the scope of work developed for the aforementioned grants; and,

WHEREAS, the attached Agreement for Services adequately sets out the rights and obligations of LEPC and MARC in this regard; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the attached Agreement for Services with the Mid-America Local Emergency Planning Committee and the Mid-America Regional Council be and hereby is approved; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Executive be and hereby is authorized to execute the Agreement between Mid-America and Local Emergency Planning Committee and the Mid-America Regional Council to be approved by the County Counselor.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Shief Deputy County Counselor Certificate of Passage	County Courselor
I hereby certify that the attache 2013, was duly passed onCounty Legislature. The votes thereon	
Yeas	Nays
Abstaining	Absent Excused
5/22/13 Date	Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Completed by County Counselor's Office:

Res/Ord No.: 18173

Sponsor(s): Theresa Garza Ruiz

Date: May 20, 2013

SUBJECT	Action Requested Resolution Ordinance							
	Project/Title: Authorizing the County Executive to executive Local Emergency Planning Committee and the Mid-Am							
BUDGET								
INFORMATION	Amount authorized by this legislation this fiscal year:	\$						
To be completed By Requesting	Amount previously authorized this fiscal year:	\$						
Department and	Total amount authorized after this legislative action: Amount budgeted for this item * (including	\$ \$						
Finance	transfers):	Ψ						
	Source of funding (name of fund) and account code number; FROM / TO	FROM ACCT						
		TO ACCT						
	* If account includes additional funds for other expenses, total budgete	ed in the account is: \$						
	OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION:							
	X No budget impact (no fiscal note required) Term and Supply Contract (funds approved in the annual budget); estimated value and use of contract: Department: Estimated Use: \$							
	Prior Year Budget (if applicable): Prior Year Actual Amount Spent (if applicable):							
PRIOR LEGISLATION	Prior ordinances and (date):							
	Prior resolutions and (date): Res. # 17904, Dated June 4, 2013.							
CONTACT INFORMATION	RLA drafted by (name, title, & phone): Sandy Aguirre Mayer, Special Projects Coordinator, Executive Office							
REQUEST SUMMARY	Jackson County, with Cass, Clay, Platte and Ray Counties, has formed a local emergency planning committee (LEPC) under the provisions of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986.							
	Each county receives grants from the Missouri Emergency Response Commission in accordance with Missouri's Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (RSMo Sections 292.600 to 292.625) to be used for programs which support the LEPC's hazardous materials planning, training and related activities.							
	As a member of the LEPC, the County has entered into an agreement with the Mid-America Regional Council (MARC) to provide administrative and technical assistance to carry out the scope of work developed for the aforementioned grants.							
	The attached Agreement for Services adequately sets out the rights and obligations of LEPC and MARC.							

		It is recommended that the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri approve the attached Agreement for Services with the Mid-America Local Emergency Planning Committee and the Mid-America Regional Council.							
CLEA	ARANCE	☐ Tax Clearance Completed (Purchasing & Department) ☐ Business License Verified (Purchasing & Department) ☐ Chapter 6 Compliance - Affirmative Action/Prevailing Wage (County Auditor's Office)							
ATTA	Cover Letter form MARC to Mike Sanders Agreement for Services 2012 – 2013 Previous Resolution 17596								
REVIEW		Department Director:			Date:				
		Finance (Budget Approval): If applicable			Date:				
		Division Manager:				Date: 5/14/13			
County Counselor's Office:			ice:			Date:			
Fisca	ıl Informatio	on (to be verified by E	Budget Office in Finar	ice Departr	nent)				
	This expend	s expenditure was included in the annual budget.							
	Funds for the	for this were encumbered from the Fund in							
	There is a balance otherwise unencumbered to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is chargeable and there is a cash balance otherwise unencumbered in the treasury to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made each sufficient to provide for the obligation herein authorized.								
	Funds suffi	Funds sufficient for this expenditure will be/were appropriated by Ordinance #							
	Funds sufficient for this appropriation are available from the source indicated below.								
	Account N	lumber:	Account Title:	: Amount Not to Exceed:		1:			
	This award is made on a need basis and does not obligate Jackson County to pay any specific amount. The availability of funds for specific purchases will, of necessity, be determined as each using agency places its order.								
	This legisla	This legislative action does not impact the County financially and does not require Finance/Budget approval.							

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May 10, 2013

Mr. Mike Sanders Jackson County Executive 415 E. 12th Street, 2nd Floor Kansas City, MO 64106

Dear Mr. Sanders,

As you may know, each year the Mid-America Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) applies to the Missouri Emergency Response Commission (MERC) for funding to support the operation of the LEPC. As part of the application package, all agreements with participating counties must be updated and County Commissioners must sign the application form.

Please sign both copies of the enclosed agreements, compliance certification forms, and membership rosters and return to MARC by June 14, 2013. Address these documents to the Mid-America Regional Council, 600 Broadway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO 64105, Attention: Cynthia Allen. We will forward you an original once all of the signatures are obtained. The LEPC Chair will sign off on final applications submitted to the state.

LEPC funding is from two sources in Missouri: the State's Chemical Emergency Preparedness Fund (CEPF) and the Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) grant. In FY 2013-2014, the Mid-America LEPC is eligible to receive an estimated \$58,142.27 in CEPF funds. Jackson County's portion of this allocation is approximately \$31,754.93. The LEPC has also applied for a small separate planning grant. If these additional funds are awarded, they will be used for planning and exercise as prioritized by the LEPC.

In closing, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have questions by phoning 816-701-8390 or by emailing elynch@marc.org. Thank you very much for your assistance with this application. We appreciate your support of the Mid-America LEPC and look forward to working with your jurisdictions and emergency services agencies.

Sincerely,

Erin E.S. Lvnch

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Emergency Services & Homeland Security Director

Cc: Mike Curry

Enclosures: Agreement for services with MARC and the Mid-America LEPC

Certifications Budget

Goals and Objectives Membership List