

Introduced by Presiding Officer, on request of the County Executive

RESOLUTION NO. 875 -2016, ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING 50% FEDERAL PASS-THROUGH GRANT FUNDS FROM THE NYS DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$564,390 FOR THE "LOCAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (LEMPG) FY2016" ADMINISTERED BY THE SUFFOLK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF FIRE, RESCUE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

WHEREAS, the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) has awarded Suffolk County federal funds under the LEMPG FY2016 to be implemented by the Suffolk County Department of Fire, Rescue and Emergency Services; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 611-2016 to authorize the County Executive to execute grant related agreements for the State Homeland Security Program (SHSP) FY2016, Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) FY2016, and Local Emergency Management Performance Grant (LEMPG) FY2016 was adopted on June 21, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the LEMPG FY2016 will provide funds to the Department of Fire, Rescue & Emergency Services to support planning, training, exercise, and equipment needs associated with preparedness and prevention activities for all hazards; and

WHEREAS, this grant is for a twenty-four (24) month period from 10/1/2015 through 9/30/2017 in which the County will receive 50% grant funding in the amount of \$564,390 for the LEMPG FY2016; and

WHEREAS, \$564,390 of said funds have not been included in the 2016 Operating Budget; and

WHEREAS, the LEMPG FY2016 grant includes partial funding for the Department of Fire, Rescue and Emergency Services to continue the employment of twelve (12) positions total: one (1) Commissioner (full-time), one (1) Deputy Commissioner (full-time); one (1) Director of Emergency Preparedness (full-time); one (1) Community Emergency Evacuation Coordinator (full-time); one (1) Chief County Fire Marshal; one (1) Emergency Services Dispatcher III; one (1) Ambulance Services Consultant; one (1) Fire Marshal II; two (2) Fire Marshal I; one (1) EMS Coordinator; and one (1) Senior Grants Analyst; and

WHEREAS, these positions already exist funded in the 2016 Operating Budget in 001-FRE-3400 and 001-FRE-3405 as Position Numbers 3400-0100-0010 (Commissioner), 3400-0100-0012 (Deputy Commissioner), 3400-0100-0015 (Chief County Fire Marshal), 3400-0600-0005 (Director of EP), 3400-0600-0021 (CEEC), 3400-0200-0045 (ESD III), 3400-0400-0303 (Fire Marshall II), 3400-0400-0302 and 3405-0200-0002 (Fire Marshal I), 3400-0600-0040 (Ambulance Services Consultant), 3400-0300-0202 (Coordinator of EMS), and 3400-0100-0031 (Senior Grants Analyst); and

WHEREAS, the LEMPG FY2016 grant includes funding for the purchase of one (1) high capacity towing vehicle and one (1) Emergency Management trailer for the Department of Fire, Rescue and Emergency Service; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of these vehicles will temporarily increase the fleet of the Department of Fire, Rescue and Emergency Service by two; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 255 of the Suffolk County Code requires that no vehicle shall be purchased or leased unless explicit approval for the acquisition of such vehicle, via lease or purchase has been granted via duly enacted Resolution of the Suffolk County Legislature; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, the County Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to accept \$564,390, and appropriate said grant funds as follows:

LEMPG FY2016 - \$564,390

<u>REVENUES:</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
001-FRE-4234 – LEMPG 2016	\$ 564,390

ORGANIZATIONS:

Suffolk County Dept of Fire, Rescue & Emergency Services
LEMPG FY2016

001-FRE-3440 - \$439,266

<u>1000 – Personnel Services</u>	<u>\$ 267,455</u>
1110 – Interim Salaries	\$ 267,455

<u>2000 – Equipment</u>	<u>\$ 171,811</u>
2040 – Trucks, Trailers, Jeeps	\$ 171,811

Employee Benefits
Social Security
001-EMP - 9030 - \$20,356

<u>8000 – Employee Benefits</u>	<u>\$ 20,356</u>
8330 – Social Security	\$ 20,356

Employee Benefits
Retirement
001-EMP-9010 – \$44,571

<u>Employee Benefits</u>	<u>\$ 44,571</u>
8280 – Retirement	\$ 44,571

Employee Benefits
Welfare Fund
001-EMP-9080 - \$4,338

<u>Employee Benefits</u>	<u>\$ 4,338</u>
8380 – Welfare Fund Contribution	\$ 4,338

Interfund Transfer
Transfer to Employee Medical Health Plan
 001-IFT-E039 - \$55,859

<u>Employee Benefits</u>	\$ 55,859
9600 - Transfer of Funds	\$ 55,859

Employee Benefits
Major Medical Claims
 039-EMP-9060 - \$55,859

<u>Employee Benefits</u>	\$ 55,859
8360 – Health Insurance	\$ 55,859

and be it further

2nd **RESOLVED**, that the following interfund revenues for Employee Medical Health Plan be accepted as follows:

REVENUES:

039-IFT-R001 Transfer from General Fund	\$ 55,859
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and be it further

3rd **RESOLVED**, that the following positions be and they hereby are continued in the Department of Fire, Rescue and Emergency Services and partially funded by the LEMPG 2016 grant:

Department of Fire, Rescue and Emergency Services

<u>Position No.</u>	<u>Spec No.</u>	<u>Position Title</u>	<u>JC</u>	<u>Gr</u>	<u>No.</u>
3400-0100-0010	9344	Commissioner	UNC	34	1
3400-0100-0012	9345	Deputy Commissioner	E	30	1
3400-0100-0015	5124	Chief County Fire Marshal	C	29	1
3400-0600-0005	9317	Director of EP	C	27	1
3400-0600-0021	5803	CEEC	C	23	1
3400-0200-0045	0175	ESD III	C	20	1
3400-0400-0303	5126	Fire Marshall II	C	20	1
3400-0400-0302	5125	Fire Marshal I	C	18	1
3400-0600-0040	2638	Amb Svcs Consultant	C	24	1
3400-0300-0202	2639	Coordinator of EMS	C	28	1
3400-0100-0031	0718	Senior Grants Analyst	C	24	1
3405-0200-0002	5125	Fire Marshal I	C	18	1

and be it further

4th **RESOLVED**, that the County Legislature hereby authorizes the fleet of the Department of Fire, Rescue and Emergency Services to be temporarily increased by two (2); and be it further

5th **RESOLVED**, the purchase of (1) high capacity towing vehicle and one (1) Emergency Management trailer for the Department of Fire, Rescue and Emergency Service is hereby approved pursuant to Chapter 255-2 (b)(6) of the SUFFOLK COUNTY CODE, and in accordance with or exceeding the County Vehicle Standard; and be it further

6th **RESOLVED**, that this Legislature, being the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA) lead agency, hereby finds and determines that this resolution constitutes a Type II action pursuant to Section 617.5(c)(20), (21) and (27) of the Title 6 of the New York Code of Rules and Regulations (6 NYCRR) and within the meaning of Section 8-0109(2) of the New York Environmental Conservation Law as a promulgation of regulations, rules, policies, procedures, and legislative decisions in connection with continuing agency administration, management and information collection, and the Suffolk County Council of Environmental Quality (CEQ) is hereby directed to circulate any appropriate SEQRA notices of determination of non-applicability or non-significance in accordance with this resolution.

DATED: October 5, 2016

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: October 20, 2016