

# AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: August 24, 2022

**<u>SUBJECT</u>**: Emergency Management Performance Grant

### **RECOMMENDED MOTION:**

Approval, with suggested motion: "I move to authorize the Deschutes County Sheriff's Office to submit an Emergency Management Performance Grant application to support Deschutes County's comprehensive emergency management program."

#### **BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:**

The Sheriff's Office will utilize the Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) to fund the county's emergency management program.

The Deschutes County Sheriff's Office will be allocated funds pursuant to a successful grant application to the Oregon Military Department, Office of Emergency Management. Deschutes County has not received final allocations, but has developed a budget based on expected allocations. The funds will be used to pay up to half of the program. The rest of the program (no less than 50%) will come from Sheriff's Office funds and other local, state and federal funds.

The Deschutes County Sheriff's Office Emergency Services Manager is delegated day-to-day operations of the Deschutes County Emergency Management Program and is responsible for all planning, coordination and oversight for the Emergency Services functions. These functions are mandated by Oregon Revised Statute and Deschutes County Code. An Emergency Services Coordinator assists in the implementation of the program, primarily assisting in planning and public education.

Emergency management includes preparedness, mitigation, response and recovery. The Emergency Services Manager addresses five specific areas: Emergency Operations, Exercises, Plans, Training and Public Education. Some of the activities required of the Emergency Services Manager include either creating or updating the county-wide Emergency Operations Plan (EOP), the Threats and Hazards Identification and Risk Assessment, and a Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan. Additionally, the Emergency Services Manager must participate in certain training requirements, such as participating in an annual EMPG workshop and in a state level multi-year training and exercise plan workshop.

#### **BUDGET IMPACTS:**

# Funding Agency:Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) through the OregonOffice of Emergency Management (OEM).

Due Date:	Application: September 4, 2022
Amount:	Approximately \$112,151 (based on estimate for OEM)
Matching Funds:	No less than the grant award.
Duration:	July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023

## ATTENDANCE:

Nathan Garibay