

Program #10012 - Office of Emergency Management

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Program Offer Type: Existing Operating Program Program Offer Stage: As Adopted

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics:

Executive Summary

Multnomah County Emergency Management (MCEM) coordinates disaster preparedness activities in Multnomah County. This includes planning, training, exercise and equipment procurement for staff and departments and coordination with cities, special districts and nongovernmental organizations. During events, MCEM will activate the emergency operations center to facilitate the appropriate response using people and resources throughout the county.

Program Summary

The MCEM program focus includes: 1) County preparedness, 2) Intergovernmental and regional preparedness, 3) Community preparedness and resilience and 4) the County's ability to continue critical operations in an emergency situation. MCEM regularly collaborates with local jurisdictions, districts and agencies engaged in emergency planning. MCEM understands that a resilient community can potentially reduce the burden on limited emergency response capacity in a severe emergency. For that reason, MCEM works with businesses, non-governmental organizations, faith-based groups, volunteer organizations and directly with community members to encourage disaster resilience and create a coordinated response to disasters. MCEM fosters preparedness and community resilience through working relationships with a diverse group of community partner organizations.

Program activity is informed by the Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) work agreement, which includes staff training plans, a rigorous disaster exercise schedule, disaster plan management and coordination with volunteer, State and Federal partners. During an emergency, MCEM activates and manages the County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) which is staffed by employees from various County departments to provide a single location where strategic direction, response coordination and resource support for incident response is carried out. In a disaster, Emergency Management functions as the state-mandated conduit for obtaining State and Federal resources to support local emergency response for the County, cities and districts, and it coordinates emergency and disaster declarations. After a disaster, Emergency Management coordinates with State and Federal agencies that provide post-disaster assistance and also guides the community recovery process. Annual exercise of Emergency Coordination Center and evaluation of performance of established objectives in an After Action Report (AAR).

MCEM can respond to requests from county and city public safety partners and can quickly set up an operations center to respond to county emergencies. MCEM also authors and updates several plans including the County Mitigation Plan and County Emergency Operations.

Performance Measures								
Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY21 Actual	FY22 Budgeted	FY22 Estimate	FY23 Offer			
Output	Percentage of resource requests supporting underserved communities.	N/A	N/A	N/A	90%			
Outcome	Percentage of approved resource orders fulfilled within 3 business days.	N/A	N/A	N/A	90%			

Performance Measures Descriptions

Performance measures have changed for FY 2021 and FY 2022 due to the COVID-19 response.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds
Program Expenses	2022	2022	2023	2023
Personnel	\$1,353,598	\$396,041	\$1,432,671	\$870,835
Contractual Services	\$141,600	\$585,150	\$147,270	\$966,579
Materials & Supplies	\$127,042	\$656,400	\$131,030	\$291,283
Internal Services	\$510,180	\$12,709	\$531,683	\$31,263
Total GF/non-GF	\$2,132,420	\$1,650,300	\$2,242,654	\$2,159,960
Program Total:	\$3,782,720		\$4,402,614	
Program FTE	8.00	2.00	8.00	2.00

Program Revenues							
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$1,650,300	\$0	\$2,159,960			
Total Revenue	\$0	\$1,650,300	\$0	\$2,159,960			

Explanation of Revenues

This program generates \$31,263 in indirect revenues. Emergency Management Performance Grant - \$408,470 Urban Areas Security Initiative Grants - \$674,979 State Homeland Security Program - \$1,076,511

Due to the COVID-19 response some of this grant funding is carry over from FY 2022 for normal operations.

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2022: 10012 Office of Emergency Management

The Office of Emergency Management began to respond to COVID-19 in January 2020 and this response continues today. While the office hopes to return to a more normal operation in FY 2023, it is likely to be focusing on COVID-19 response and coordination activities at the beginning of the year. While in a response mode, many of the everyday activities including planning, training, exercises, mitigation, etc. will have limited support. The office also anticipates COVID-19 After Action Report activities to pick up in FY 2023 as response operations diminish, which will also reduce our capability to support more year "typical" activities.