

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
2017 STATE HOMELAND SECURITY PROGRAM
DESIGNATION OF THE STATE AS THE AGENT FOR THE LOCAL
SHARE OF GRANT FUNDING**

Generally, DHS guidelines require 80% of Homeland Security funds to be awarded to local units of government. However, if requested by a local jurisdiction, the State may retain a portion of "Local" grant funds for equipment used by the State and/or for planning, exercises and training activities that are coordinated by the State for the benefit of local units of government.

I, as the duly authorized official of the City of Norman, Oklahoma (City) have read and understood the Federal FY 2017 Homeland Security Grant Program (the 2017 Grant) Guidance and Application Kit, which can be found at the following web address:

https://www.fema.gov/media-library-data/1496691855715-4d78d65ebb300900ce6c945931eff2c6/FY_2017_HSGP_NOFO_20170601v2014_605.pdf

On behalf of the City, I hereby accept \$680,873.00 of 2017 Grant local funding and assign this funding to the State of Oklahoma, specifically the Oklahoma Office of Homeland Security (OKOHS), to fund (1) continuing maintenance, expansion and support of information sharing initiatives, including but not limited to the OASIS and OKLeX programs; (2) planning and operational oversight costs of the Oklahoma Information Fusion Center (OIFC), which may include funding for the fusion center analysts, Critical Infrastructure Key Resource analyst, and program management (salary/benefits); and (3) the School Security Critical Infrastructure Program, which supports the Critical Infrastructure Protection program as well as to fund a Critical Infrastructure Coordinator and program management (salary/benefits).

Program(s) Title: Oklahoma Automated Secure Information Sharing Systems (OASIS/OKLeX)
Oklahoma Information Fusion Center (OIFC)
Critical Infrastructure Protection Program

Description(s): OASIS is an information-sharing database/network and set of analytical tools currently deployed by OSBI in cooperation with the various state and local law enforcement agencies for the purpose of combating terrorism and other major crimes. OKLeX is an information sharing program designed to help law enforcement officials do their job more effectively and efficiently.

The 911 Commission recommended that each state establish a Fusion Center as a central point for sharing and analysis of information. Funds will be utilized to fund salary/benefits, training costs for analysts, operational oversight costs and program management costs for the benefit of all law enforcement agencies and other first responders in the state.

The Critical Infrastructure Protection Program funding is used for hardening various schools or other identified critical assets, paying the costs associated with vulnerability assessments, strategy development and emergency planning associated with respect to schools and critical infrastructure within the State, equipment, training, planning and operational oversight costs of the critical infrastructure program manager, including but not limited to salary/benefits of the program management.

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