Office of Homeland Security Emergency Management

PHOENIX (UASI) URBAN AREA SECURITY INITIATIVE



AZDOHS Grant Information Seminar – Central Region January 10, 2018

STRUCTURE

Phoenix UASI Executive Committee Phoenix UASI Working Group (UAWG) Phoenix Subcommittees



- Executive Committee Members:
 - Arizona Department of Homeland Security (AZDOHS)

Gilbert Orrantia, Director

- Maricopa County Department of Emergency Management (MCDEM)
 Robert Rowley, Director
- Urban Area Administrator Phoenix Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (OHSEM) Lisa Jones, Director

Responsibilities:

- Overall governance of UASI
- Approval body for UAWG
- Provide direction and oversight for UAWG
- Review all recommendations from UAWG



Urban Area Working Group (UAWG)

Members: 26 voting and 3 non-voting

- Chair Lisa Jones
- Vice Chair Robert Rowley

Responsibilities:

- Approval body for subcommittees
- Provide recommendations to Executive Committee
- Review and implement goals and objectives in approved Strategic Plan
- Approve grant applications submitted to SAA
- Approve the standards for equipment purchases for jurisdictions using UASI funds
- Recommend funding distribution amounts for UASI grant awards
- Provide oversight to ensure compliance with UASI grant funds.



Phoenix UASI Voting Members



Subcommittees

□ Members: Members of any agency within Phoenix UASI

- Led by two appointed Co-Chairs
- Co-Chairs of subcommittees shall serve staggered two year terms
- Executive Committee appoints Co-Chairs for each subcommittee

Responsibilities:

- Carry out initiatives of approved Strategic Plan
- Develop grant project descriptions
- Review grant modifications and reallocations for recommendations to UAWG
- Provide guidance to UAWG risk reduction measures, core capabilities sustainment and enhancement



Phoenix UASI Reporting Structure



"Presenting Your Project"

Due Diligence

- Does the project have a Terrorism Nexus?
- Does it fit the regional needs and core capabilities?
- Requested funding amount should be based on need

• Process

- Project Summary Presentation to subcommittee
- Co-Chairs provide brief presentation on project summaries at UAWG to the voting members
- Jurisdictions submit workbook through AZDOHS portal
- Subcommittees Prioritize Projects
- Subcommittee Co-Chairs make funding recommendations
- Voting Members will vote on the recommendations at UAWG
- AZDOHS Grant Application and Investment Justifications



Project Summary Sample

Phoenix Urban Area Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant Program Project Summary

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Agency Name:

Point of Contact:

Point of Contact Phone Number:

Point of Contact Email:

PROJECT TITLE:

PROJECT SUMMARY DESCRIPTION:

Project description must include:

- The NIMS Typed Resource being supported, if applicable
- · What this project intends to do or accomplish
- · How this project would benefit the agency, region or state
- Any additional information that you see fit that would provide greater clarity as to what the project is trying to accomplish and/or the added benefit it would provide, can and should be included.

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Name the Phoenix UASI Subcommittee(s) the project falls under:

BUDGET:

Estimated Amount Requested:

FFY 2018 UASI Grant Timeline

January 9-11, 2018	AZDOHS Grant Information Seminars (Flagstaff, Mesa, Tucson)
January 11, 2018	Application Submission Period opens
February 1-9, 2018	UASI Subcommittee Meetings - Project Summary Presentations
February 1-15, 2018	Jurisdictional Approval to Apply for Grant
February 2, 2018	Project Summaries Due to OHSEM PHOENIX
February 16, 2018	Stakeholders Electronically Submit Grant Applications to AZDOHS, NLT 5:00 pm Friday, February 16, 2018
February 19- March 13, 2018	 AZDOHS Programmatic and Financial Review of Grant Applications Working Groups Review/Comment on Grant Applications (SHSGP)
February 27, 2018	Urban Area Working Group Meeting - Subcommittee Co-Chairs to Present Project Summaries

FFY 2018 UASI Grant Timeline

March 1-21, 2018	UASI Subcommittee Meetings - Project Presentations and Prioritization
March 13-March 31, 2018	RAC Funding Recommendation Meetings (SHSGP)
March 23, 2018*	UASI Co-Chair Meeting to Discuss and Recommend Projects to UAWG SECURITIE SECURITIE SECURITIE
March 27, 2018*	Urban Area Working Group Meeting - Voting
April 1-May 30, 2018*	 OHSEM Complies and Finalizes UASI Project Data for Investment Justifications AZDOHS Writes State Application AZDOHS Reviews and Submits Final Federal Application to USDHS
August-September 2018*	 USDHS Announces Awards Final Funding Meetings with RACs Senior Advisor Committee (SAC) Review Final Awards to Stakeholders (NLT 45 days after official Grant Award Notice)
September 1-30, 2018	Jurisdiction Approval to Accept Grant Funds
October 1, 2018*	Period of Performance Start Date



Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management

Lisa Jones Director



QUESTIONS





