



St Louis Urban Area Strategy Update

Process and Time Frame

Background

- Homeland Security requires Investment Justifications link to a regional strategy
- St Louis Urban Area Strategy must also link to State Preparedness Report
- Current Strategy, dated April 2006 no longer reflects the needs of the region.

Process

- STARRS Committees review applicable Target Capability Lists to identify gaps and proposed solutions
- Proposed solutions categorized into an activity type

Activity Category

- Planning: all components of planning
- Prevention Preparedness: equipment and materials
- Response Preparedness: equipment and materials
- Recovery Preparedness: equipment and materials
- Specialized Training for technical teams
- Training and Exercise: interdisciplinary training and exercises

Emerging Themes to Date

- HSEEP-Compliant T&E Program
- Recognition and inclusion of non traditional responders such as citizens, public health
- Comprehensive Resource Management
- Comprehensive Emergency Plan Review
- Joint Information Center
- Enhanced Information Sharing
- Measurement of Progress towards our Goals
- Special Needs Populations
- Robust Citizen Preparedness

Using the Information

- Database generates reports by
 - Target Capability List
 - STARRS Committee
 - Activity Category
- Committees will review reports
- STARRS staff will use themes, proposed solutions and tasks in revising the Strategic Plan

Time Frame

Gap Analysis Completed Dec. 18, 2008

Revisions Submitted for the
State Preparedness Report Jan. 5, 2009*

Revised Regional Strategy
submitted to Advisory Council Jan. 8, 2009

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submitted to STARRS Board Jan. 15, 2009

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UASI 2009 GRANT APPLICATION



2009 UASI Grant Summary

Total UASI Funding in FY 2009:

\$798.6 Million, up \$17M

- Tier 1: \$439 M, up \$9.2M**
- Tier 2: \$359.7M, up \$7.6M**

Mandated Focus Areas

- *Measuring Progress* in Achieving the National Preparedness Guidelines
- Strengthening *Regional Approaches* Preparedness Planning
- Strengthening *IED* Attack Deterrence, Prevention, and Protection Capabilities
- Strengthen *Preventive Radiological/Nuclear Detection* Capabilities
- Maximizing *Information Sharing* via the National Network of Fusion Centers
- Developing and Enhancing *Health and Medical Readiness and Preparedness* Capabilities

Mandated Allocations

- 25% of SHSP & UASI award must go to law enforcement
- 25% of entire UASI and MMRS award must be collectively allocated to Strengthening Preparedness Planning

62 Eligible Urban Areas

Seven Tier One Cities

Fifty-Five Tier Two Cities

Two added in FY09: Oxnard, CA and Tulsa, OK

St Louis Target Award ranks 13th among the 55 Tier Two cities

Target Awards

- UASI Area received Target Award based on risk score
- Application amount limited to 110% of targeted award or \$9,386,190
- Award may be 10% higher or lower based on Effectiveness Score of grant application

– St. Louis Target \$8,532,900

Award range \$7,679,610 to \$9,386,190

2009 Administrative Changes

- Grant application Due Date
90 business days - March 20, 2009
- Grant award announcement date
90 business days – on or before September 30, 2009

Optional Cost Sharing

- No match required
- Up to 5% bonus points up to Effectiveness Score for optional cash and /or in-kind cost sharing funds
- Details on allowable in-kind costs to follow

Multi Area Investment Justifications

- Up to a 5% bonus points towards effectiveness scores for multi area investment justifications

Mandated IJ Linkages

- Linkage to State Preparedness Report
 - Currently under revision; UASIs will participate again
- Linkage to Regional Strategy
 - Currently under revision based on Target Capability List review

FY 2009 Application Process Steps

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Proposed projects due from Committees	Jan. 16, 2009
Ad Hoc Budget Committee defines application	Jan. 19-23, 2008
IJ due from STARRS Committees	Feb. 13, 2009
First Draft of application completed	Feb. 27, 2009
Final grant application submitted to SEMA	Mar. 5, 2009

** We expect his deadline to be extended by Homeland Security*

Non-Profit Security Grant Program

- Funded at \$15 million for FY 2009; \$75,000 cap per site; same as FY 2009
- Urban Area is involved in process but SAA administers the awards and M&A
- Funding Criteria
 - **High Risk of Terrorist Attack** identified through police reports, insurance claims, prior threats
 - based on risk analysis, effectiveness and integration with broader state and local preparedness efforts.

MMRS

- No application required
- Set award of \$321,221
- Mandated for 25% to strengthen preparedness planning
- Support integration of local emergency management, health and medical systems into a coordinated and sustained local response capability to mass casualty incident.

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Questions and Comments

