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CITY OF OAKLAND
MEMORANDUM

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TO: Rules & Legislation Committee
ATTN: Assistant to the City Manager
FROM: Name Helen Fairley
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Address/Agency/ Dept Fire Department
DATE: April 5, 2004
SUBJECT: REQUEST TO SCHEDULE AGENDA ITEM

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TITLE: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE A GRANT FROM THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA), DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FOR THE PERIOD SEPTEMBER 10, 2003 TO FEBRUARY 9, 2005 IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,100,000.00) TO MEET THE ONGOING EXPENSES OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S URBAN SEARCH AND RESCUE (USAR) TEAM AS THEY EQUIP AND TRAIN TO RESPOND TO NATURAL DISASTERS AND/OR WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION INCIDENTS; AND AUTHORIZING PURCHASES AS REQUIRED BY FEMA, WITHOUT COMPETITIVE BID, IN SUPPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT USAR TEAM'S READINESS.

SCHEDULING RECOMMENDATION:

- A. Committee Public Safety
(Please specify Committee. Committees meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays)
- City Council _____ Redevelopment Agency
(Council/Agency meets on 1st, 3rd, and 5th Tuesdays)
- B. Meeting Date: April 27, 2004

Is there a statutory, regulatory, financial or grant deadline? Specify: Yes

Is a staff report required/requested? Yes

What is the fiscal impact on the City/Agency? We are receiving a grant in the amount of \$1,100,000

If the ten-day (Sunshine Ordinance) agenda deadline cannot be met, please indicate reason:

- Item constitutes an "emergency" (Crippling disaster, work stoppage or other activity which severely impacts public health and/or safety)
- It was not reasonably possible to place the proposed item on the two-week agenda AND any of the following exist:
- Item requires immediate action to avoid a substantial adverse impact if action is deferred to a subsequent special or regular meeting;
 - Item requires immediate action relating to federal or state legislation;
 - Item requires immediate action relating to eligibility for a grant or gift; OR
 - Item is ceremonial.

Explain why item could not have been placed on the 10-day agenda:

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