



**REQUEST TO EMERGENCY COMMISSION**  
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<p>Requestor Information</p> <p>Department name: Adjutant General</p> <p>Department number: 540</p> <p>Name of contact person: Darin Hanson</p> <p>Telephone number: (701) 328-8256</p>	<p><b>SEC. OF STATE</b></p>				
<p>Purpose of Request</p> <p>Is this request related to a state emergency? No</p> <p>Purpose of request: Increase in line item spending authority</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 70%;">Line Item</th> <th style="width: 30%;">Amount</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Grants (54060) - Federal Funds</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$3,068,505</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Line Item	Amount	Grants (54060) - Federal Funds	\$3,068,505
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<p>Funding Information</p> <p>What is the source of funds for the requested increase? Federal</p> <p>Is the funding source a pass-through from another agency? No</p> <p>Will continued funding be required if Federal funds are no longer available? No</p> <p>Does the request require a general fund match in this bienium? No</p> <p>Will the request require general fund support in the next biennium? No</p>					
<p>Background Information</p> <p>Was any portion of the request presented during the previous legislative session? No</p> <p>Is the request for a new program? Yes</p> <p>Provide explanation:          This request includes \$1,110,000 of federal authority for a new State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program. The grant is to help states, local governments, rural areas, and territories address cybersecurity risks and cybersecurity threats to information systems. The program enables the Department of Homeland Security to make targeted cybersecurity investments in state, local and territorial government agencies, thus improving the security of critical infrastructure and resilience of the services that state, local, and territorial governments provide to their communities.</p> <hr/> <p>Will funding be required in future bienniums? Yes</p> <p>Provide explanation:          Federal authority will be required in future bienniums as the time period covered by the initial grant is 9/1/2022 to 8/31/2026.</p> <hr/> <p>Does the request require an FTE increase? No</p> <p>Does the request conform with legislative intent? Yes</p> <p>Provide explanation:          This request is pursuant to NDCC 54-16-04.1 which authorizes the acceptance and disbursement of federal funds as well as NDCC 37-17.1 indicating the NDDDES role in emergency preparedness and grant management.</p>					
<p>Other Information</p> <p>Statutory provisions that relate to this request:          54-16-04.1, 37-17.1</p>					



Provide an explanation as to how the request supports state priorities, improves state efficiencies, and promotes effective state government:

The grant programs administered by NDDDES increase resiliency throughout the state by repairing and enhancing smart and efficient infrastructure.

Provide any other relevant information:

The Office of the Adjutant General - Emergency Services is requesting increased spending authority of \$3,068,505 to accept federal funds within the Grants (54060) line in order to support projected 2021-2023 local grant spending. NDDDES was asked to be a pass through for the US Dept of Transportation E-911 Grant Program award (\$487,505) after the budget submission for the 2021-2023 biennium took place. The US Dept of Homeland Security Nonprofit Security Grant (\$1,471,000) went from a one time grant to an ongoing annual grant, and a new State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program (\$1,110,000) was made available to help states, local governments, rural areas, and territories address cybersecurity risks and cybersecurity threats to information systems.

Signature

I, the undersigned, have read this Request, know the contents, and believe the statements contained within to be true.

*Jennifer Scheet*

Sign Here

*11/16/2022*

Date