



## ***City Council Memorandum***

**To:** Mayor Fasbender & City Council Members

**From:** David D. Wilske, Chief of Police

**Date:** February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024

**Item:** Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant

**Council Action Requested:**

Accept a UASI Grant of \$107,339.00 for the purchase of portable Pitagone Barriers.

**Background Information:**

The UASI program grant funds unique risk driven projects, capabilities-based planning, organization, equipment, training, and exercise needs of high-threat, high-density Urban Areas based on vulnerable targets identified through a risk-assessment process. These funds assist in building an enhanced and sustainable capacity to prevent, protect against, mitigate, respond to, and recover from acts of terrorism. Pitagone Barriers are portable and can be erected by a single individual and will be utilized to assist in securing city events that contain larger crowds. Examples of these events include River Town Days, River Town Live, Gobblegait and other events when crowds congregate on city streets. In addition, the barriers will be made available to other jurisdictions if not in use by the City of Hastings. Lastly, it is a significant addition to our Emergency Management System and securing events is a top priority for the Hastings Police Department. This is **100%** funded, no match, however upon approval by City Council, the City will order the unit, pay for it with city funds and be reimbursed by the grant. We expect to receive the barriers in the first quarter of 2024.

**Financial Impact:**

Budget Neutral

**Advisory Commission Discussion:**

None

**Council Committee Discussion:**

None

**Attachments:**

- Grant Application



**Urban Area Security Initiative**  
 FFY2023 UASI Project Application  
**\*Competitive Pool Application\***

Project Name Fiscal Agent/Jurisdiction

Contact Name Phone Email

Project can start within 90 days of award date: Yes No

Core capability most strongly supported by this project:

Investment justification most strongly supported by this project:

Project align with 1 of 6 Priority Investments :

**Project Description and Outcomes** — Describe the project, its outcomes, and how it addresses vulnerabilities and identified gaps highlighted in your THIRA:

**Capabilities** — Describe how this project sustains or maintains your current capabilities:

**Project Budget** — Break down your project cost by category:

Category	Amount	Description
Planning		
Organization		
Equipment		
Training		
Exercises		
M&A		
<b>Total</b>		<span style="color: red;">LETPA amount:</span> <span style="float: right; color: red;">Priority Investment amount:</span>

**Equipment Request** — Provide a detailed list of the equipment purchases proposed for this project:

<u>AEI Number</u>	Title	Authorized for SHSP		Cost per unit	VIII-17 Qty.
		Yes	No		
		Yes	No		
		Yes	No		
		Yes	No		
		Yes	No		
		Yes	No		

**Equipment Maintenance** — Describe jurisdiction(s) maintenance and sustainment plans for requested equipment:

**Project Timeline** — provide a timeline of project tasks with milestones, start dates and end dates for each task

Task (for example, hire, equip and train a planner; conduct training; purchase software)	Milestone	Start Date	End Date

Proposed Start Date

Proposed End Date

Fiscal Agent Address

SAM/UEI Number

SWIFT Vendor ID

Please save file as: "2023 UASI [jurisdiction]-Competitive" and submit completed form to [Richard.Robinson@state.mn.us](mailto:Richard.Robinson@state.mn.us)

For questions regarding this application or the SHSP, contact HSGP Grants Program Administrator Richard Robinson at (651) 201-7451



Barrier Trailer Kits







Pitagone F18 Barriers

