



National Capital Region (NCR) Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI)

Homeland Security Grant Program: What's New in FY2009

****Revised following SPG/CAO Meeting of 21 Nov 2008 ****

I. UASI Award Targets

A. Risk-based award amounts are announced up-front. Applicants may receive between 90%-110% of that "target amount" depending on the application's effectiveness score.

- **NCR UASI FY2009 Target Amount: \$58,006,500**
- **Potential Range of Award: \$52.2M - \$63.8M**

B. \$15.2 Million must be allocated to Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention (LETP) activities

C. 25% (approximately \$14.5M) must be allocated to strengthening Preparedness Planning (planning, training, exercises)

II. Milestones and Deadlines

» » FY09 NCR UASI Application Due to DHS on 20 March 2009 « «

Proposed Timeline

- *2 December 2008: Submission of concept papers for maintenance and continuation projects to NCR SAA*
- *19 December 2008: Four UASI FY09 Working Groups submit initial list of new-project ideas to NCR SAA **** Please see page two for working-group POCS *****
- *14 January 2009: Four UASI FY09 Working Groups submit new-project concept papers to NCR SAA **** Please see page two for working-group POCS *****
- *20 February 2009: Dissemination of draft NCR UASI FY09 Application to SPG/CAO members*
- *13 March 2009: Completion of final draft of NCR UASI FY09 Application*
- *20 March 2009: Deadline for submission of NCR UASI FY09 Application to U.S. Department of Homeland Security*

III. UASI FY09 Working Groups

Following the Joint SPG/CAOs HSEC meeting on 21 November 2008, the UASI FY09 Working Groups were established to collaborate on potential project ideas and concepts. The following details the four working groups created by the Senior Leadership.

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- I. Critical Infrastructure Protection (CIP)**
 - a. SPG Lead(s):** Robert Crouch, Yi-Ru Chen
 - b. CAO Lead(s):** Ron Carlee

- II. Information Sharing, Interoperability, and Messaging** *(note: Regional Defense Network/Info Sharing priority has been merged with Regional Information/Messaging to Public)*
 - a. SPG Lead:** Andy Lauland
 - b. CAO Lead:** Jim Hartmann, Jackie Brown

- III. Mass Casualty, Hospital Surge, and Personal Decontamination**
 - a. SPG Lead:** Janet Clements, Darrell Darnell, Richard Muth
 - b. CAO Lead:** Craig Gerhart, Chris Voss

- IV. Evacuation and Shelter**
 - a. SPG Lead:** Chris Geldart
 - b. CAO Lead:** Tony Griffin, Dan Tangherlini