



**Office of Medical Examiner and Trauma Services**

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To: Mayor and Members  
Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Ralph A. Marrinson, Chair  
Broward Regional EMS Council

Dr. Frederick Keroff, Chair  
EMS Grants Committee  
Broward Regional EMS Council

SUBJECT: EMS Grants Committee's Project recommendations for EMS Trust Fund  
Monies FY 2018

**BACKGROUND**

Following the award notice of the FY2018 EMS County Grant Funds to Broward County from the State of Florida Department of Health (DOH), Bureau of Emergency Medical Services, and prior to submission of the FY 2018 EMS County Grant Application, a competitive selection process was conducted by the Broward Regional EMS Council's Grants Committee ("Grants Committee") to rank each application.

For the FY2018 EMS County Grant program, available grant funds are \$141,083.00. The Grants Committee reviewed five (5) EMS County Grant projects ("Projects"), but based upon grant funds available, the Grants Committee is recommending full funding of one (1) and partial funding of two (2) projects. The projects recommended for funding on Attachment 1 met the criteria of improving and expanding pre-hospital emergency medical services in Broward County.

In accordance with the Broward Regional EMS Council's objectives set forth in Broward County code of Ordinances, Chapter 15, Health, Article V., Broward Regional Emergency Medical Services Council, the Broward Regional EMS Council met on October 26, 2017, and accepted the Grants Committee's recommendations.

**SUMMARY**

The Broward Regional EMS Council, through the Office of Medical Examiner and Trauma Services, recommends approval of the following actions: (1) recommendation for full funding of one (1) project and partial funding of two (2) projects; and (2) adoption of the Resolution included with the agenda item providing for County EMS

Grant Fund monies to be used to improve and expand pre-hospital emergency medical services in Broward County.

Attachment

C: Bertha Henry, County Administrator  
Craig Mallak, MD, Director/Chief Medical Examiner, OMETS  
Adam Katzman, Assistant County Attorney  
Alison Zerbe, Manager, OMETS

FY2018 EMS Grant Funding Requests

<u>Project No.</u>	<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Total Score</u>	<u>Funding Requested</u>	<u>Recommended Funding</u>	<u>Column1</u>
18-01	22nd Annual 1st There 1st Care	55.50	\$ 50,000.00	40000.00	
18-05	Stop The Bleed	52.00	\$ 141,000.00	73083.00	
18-04	PulsePoint Broward	51.00	\$ 28,000.00	28000.00	
18-02	Prehospital Trauma Life Support	32.50	\$ 17,580.00	0.00	
18-03	Power Load, Power XPS Stretcher	31.50	\$ 39,000.00	0.00	
	FY 2018 Grant Funds Available	0.00	\$141,083.00	141083.00	
	Total Funding Requested	0.00	\$ 275,580.00	0.00	
	Total Funded	0.00		\$ 141,083.00	
	<b>Total Unfunded</b>		<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 134,497.00</b>	