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Mr. Ernest G. Petrin Captain - Communications Concord Fire Department 24 Horseshoe Pond Lane Concord, NH 03301

Re: 2015 Homeland Security Grant Program Award - Fire Dispatch/Emergency Services - CI/KR

Dear Captain Petrin:

It is my pleasure to inform you that upon review of your 2015 Homeland Security Grant Application, the Concord Fire Department has a revised award amount of \$45,505.00. These funds are awarded under the 2015 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) for the purchase of Security Surveillance and Building Access Equipment as detailed in your application. The original award of \$25,000 was awarded on December 3, 2015, the new amount of \$45,505 is the new total award amount. Please refer to the attached "Approved Items Checklist" when submitting reimbursement requests and identify the items you have purchased. This project will require an NEPA/EHP review and approval BEFORE purchasing begins.

These grant awards are subject to federal program requirements and special conditions. Enclosed are your updated special conditions requirements. All other forms that were signed for the original award are still applicable. All signature forms must be returned to the Grants Management Unit within thirty (30) days of the date of this letter. Special conditions requirements must be responded to within forty-five (45) days of the date of this letter. In addition, this project must be implemented within 60 days following the grant award effective date or be subject to automatic cancellation of the grant. Failure to meet these requirements may result in a delay in reimbursement or cancellation of your grant award. This grant expires on August 31, 2018. If you feel there is any chance all work cannot be completed by that date, please decline this grant at this time. DHS has indicated that no grant extensions will be granted to the State or local subgrantees for these awards.

Additional information is also available at http://www.nh.gov/safety/homeland/index.html. We, at the Department of Safety, look forward to this opportunity to work diligently with local first responders, public safety officials, and other local and state officials and agencies to prepare and protect our citizens. It is our hope that we will never have to apply these skills, or use this equipment; however, we will work together to ensure that our ability to do so will be keen.

Sincerely,

John J. Barthelmes
Commissioner