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Governor Kelly Announces More than \$6.2M for Law Enforcement Safety and Security Equipment

TOPEKA – Governor Laura Kelly announced today that more than \$6.2 million from the Local Safety and Security Equipment (LSSE) grant program was awarded to 72 Kansas law enforcement, fire, emergency medical services, and 911 communications agencies. The grant funds are received through the Strengthening People Revitalizing Kansas (SPARK) program funded by the federal American Rescue Plan (ARPA).

"It is critical that our first responders have the equipment necessary to protect and serve Kansans when an emergency arises," **Governor Laura Kelly said**. "This funding will ensure agencies across the state have the resources needed to quickly and successfully deliver aid."

The purpose of the LSSE Grant Program is to improve the accessibility and efficiency of emergency services to Kansans. The funding provides equipment upgrades critical to emergency response; supports updated interoperability communications systems; and updates and replaces unsafe, damaged wildland firefighting equipment that meets national standards.

A total of \$6,208,299 was awarded to the agencies.

LSSE Grant Awards				
County	Organization Name	Grant Award		
Anderson	Garnett Police Department	\$85,139		
Atchison	Atchison Fire Department	\$9,360		
Brown	Hiawatha Police Department	\$55,001		
Butler	Andover Fire and Rescue	\$31,050		
Butler	Whitewater River Consolidated Fire District	\$58,950		
Chase	Chase County Fire Department	\$28,800		
Cherokee	Baxter Springs Police Department	\$90,000		
Cherokee	Cherokee County Sheriff's Office	\$163,345		
Cowley	Burden Police Department	\$29,700		
Cowley	Cowley County Fire District 3	\$42,664		
Cowley	Cowley County Fire District 4	\$40,500		
Cowley	Winfield Fire/ Emergency Medical Services	\$89,100		
Douglas	Consolidated Fire District 1	\$53,505		
Douglas	Lawrence Douglas County Fire Medical	\$119,430		
Ellis	Ellis County	\$100,000		
Ellis	Victoria Volunteer Fire Department	\$22,675		
Ellsworth	Wilson Fire Department	\$19,750		
Geary	Grandview Plaza Fire Department	\$17,988		
Gray	Gray County Sheriff's Office	\$72,000		

Harvey	City of North Newton	\$30,044
Jackson	Jackson County Sheriff's Office	\$309,044
Jackson	Netawaka Rural Fire District 6	\$63,450
Jefferson	City of Valley Falls	\$26,550
Jefferson	Jefferson County Ambulance Service	\$75,432
Jefferson	Jefferson County Fire District 5	\$51,975
Jewell	Jewell County Sheriff's Office	\$61,345
Kiowa	Kiowa County	\$76,400
Labette	Labette County	\$212,500
Labette	Oswego Fire Department	\$42,876
Leavenworth	Fairmount Township Fire Department	\$43,177
Leavenworth	Tonganoxie Police Department	\$29,808
Leavenworth	Tonganoxie Fire Department	\$29,808
Lincoln	Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	\$86,507
Lyon	Lyon County Fire District 5	\$14,713
Lyon	Olpe Fire District 1	\$14,558
Marion	Marion County Sheriff's Office	\$108,000
Marshall	Marysville Police Department	\$62,640
Miami	Miami County	\$24,504
Mitchell	Hunter Rural Fire District	\$23,400
Montgomery	Coffeyville Police Department	\$72,530
Montgomery	Independence Fire/ Emergency Medical Services	\$43,599

Morris	Council Grove Fire Department	\$18,083
Nemaha	Nemaha County Sheriff's Office	\$350,000
Ness	Ness County	\$21,567
Ness	Ness County Sheriff's Office	\$36,000
Ottawa	City of Minneapolis	\$87,273
Pawnee	Larned 911 Communications	\$46,824
Pawnee	Pawnee County Sheriff's Office	\$72,000
Pottawatom	iePottawatomie County Sheriff's Office	\$103,025
Pottawatom	ieWestmoreland Fire Department	\$134,550
Reno	City of Pretty Prairie	\$40,415
Reno	Hutchinson Community College Fire Science	\$18,810
Reno	Hutchinson Fire Department	\$52,110
Reno	South Hutchinson Fire Department	\$59,362
Riley	Riley County Fire District 1	\$15,660
Russell	Lucas Rural Fire District 2	\$28,788
Russell	Russell Fire Department	\$27,000
Saline	Saline County Rural Fire District 1	\$22,194
Scott	Scott City Police Department	\$72,450
Scott	Scott County Emergency Medical Services	\$134,098
Sedgwick	City of Andale	\$30,150
Sedgwick	Clearwater Police Department	\$52,095
Sedgwick	Sedgwick County	\$1,625,110

Sedgwick	Wichita Fire Department	\$98,484
Shawnee	Shawnee Heights Fire Department	\$24,800
Sheridan	Sheridan County Rural Fire Department 1	\$90,000
Stafford	Stafford County	\$37,620
Stanton	Stanton County Sheriff's Office/Emergency Medical Services	\$121,950
Sumner	Mulvane Department of Public Safety	\$80,474
Sumner	Wellington Fire/EMS	\$17,640
Thomas	Colby Fire Department	\$26,347
Thomas	Thomas County Emergency Medical Services	\$31,603
	TOTAL	\$6,208,299

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