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**MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** May 11, 2007  
**TO:** Pennington County Grant Applicants  
**FROM:** Pam Buck  
**SUBJECT:** 2007 Grant Packages

On May 2, 2007 I was notified that the grant decision making process for FY 2007 needs to be finalized by July 13, 2007. With that being said, here is your grant package.

Please act upon this as soon as possible as all packages must be returned to me no later than June 8, 2007. This is less than 30 days for everyone to determine their projects and complete and return the applications to our office. The final deadline of July 13<sup>th</sup> for the FY 2007 projects was established by the SD Homeland Security Office and has a direct impact on how quickly we must respond.

Included with this package is the application form, radio justification sheet, and the website for viewing the Authorized Equipment List.

The grant process will once again function as follows:

- A. Approximate funds available for the entire seven county region are as follows:

Homeland Security Equipment Grant	\$ 365,187
Law Enforcement TTP Grant	\$ 329,187
TOTAL	\$ 694,374

- B. Grant applications are restricted to the following preliminary areas:
1. Enhance/Sustain Interoperable Communications
  2. Critical Infrastructure Protection
  3. Community Preparedness and Participation
  4. Public Information, Notification and Warning
  5. NIMS & NRP Implementation
  6. Cyber Security
  7. Mobile Data Terminals
  8. Regional Response

Each agency applying for a grant must complete one individual grant application form for each type of project. All information requested on the application form must be completed. Applications failing to provide all requested information will not be allowed.

Any agency that submitted a project in previous years that was not approved and wishes to resubmit their request may do so. A new application and current pricing are required.

At this time, and for planning purposes, jurisdictions and agencies receiving grants must complete all expenditures no later than October 1, 2008 or funding will be forfeited.

Please be aware that future correspondence may come from our administrative assistant for the grant program area, Leah Thibeau.

If you have any questions please call me at 394-2185.

**Authorized Equipment List Website:** <https://www.rkb.mipt.org/ael.cfm>