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Frontier Fiesta Association

FY 2027 One Time Requests

FY 2027 One Time Request #2 – Safety & Security

FFA is requesting \$75,138.36 for security and safety expenses, which will provide comprehensive protection to all Fiesta attendees throughout the event. Providing a safe and secure space for students, faculty, staff, and community members to enjoy themselves is essential to an event as large as Fiesta. Frontier Fiesta promotes community, inclusion, and involvement, while giving students a platform to gain real-world experience, connect with campus support resources, and contribute to a vibrant and diverse campus culture. Moreover, Fiesta's efforts directly supports the Division of Student Affairs' values by fostering student engagement, leadership development, and holistic well-being. In 2025, Frontier Fiesta welcomed 18,512 attendees, highlighting its continued growth and impact within the UH community. With assistance from SFAC, FFA will contract all the necessary safety & security measures for a 20.000+person event to maintain order and ensure all University of Houston policies and procedures are followed These funds specifically cover police, fire marshal, ambulance, and security services to ensure quick response times to any potential emergency situations that may emerge during the event. Aside from the necessary safety and security measures that will be present during the three days of Fiesta, FFA is requesting funds for security to monitor and protect the site, fronts, equipment, university property, contractors, participating organizations, FFA board members, and volunteers during the build week leading up to the event. This security will be responsible for watching over materials, which include power tools, generators, A/V equipment, vehicles, and other various building materials. The breakdown for Safety & Security is as follows:

Item	Cost
UHPD	\$40,647.25
Ambulance	\$6,195.00
Fire Marshals	\$3,843.00
Security	\$20,200.00
Subtotal	\$70,885.25
Admin Fee	\$4,253.11
Total	\$75,138.36