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Fiesta

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FRONTIER FIESTA ASSOCIATION SFAC FY2026

Frontier Fiesta Association

FY 2026 Base Augmentation Requests

FY 2026 Base Augmentation Request #2 – Safety & Security

Fiesta is requesting \$92,447.65 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. 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. Should the Frontier Fiesta Association's FY 2026 request be approved, the amount of time overnight security is needed, along with the total area needing to be monitored will be reduced, lowering the cost to provide adequate safety and security throughout build week and the event. 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	\$53,949.76
Ambulance	\$5,900.00
Fire Marshals	\$3,660.00
Security	\$24,000.00
Subtotal	\$87,509.76
Admin Fee	\$5,250.59
Total	\$92,760.34

The Frontier Fiesta Association would like to thank the Student Fees Advisory Committee for its consideration of this request.