

 <p style="text-align: center;">Council Communication Office of the City Manager</p>	Date: September 27, 2010
	Agenda Item No. 34 Roll Call No. <u>10-1564</u> Communication No. <u>10-594</u> Submitted by: Judy A. Bradshaw, Chief of Police

AGENDA HEADING:

Approval of 2010 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Formula Program: Local Solicitation grant award.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of the Des Moines Police Department’s grant award from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance. The Des Moines Police Department will be using the funds to augment the 2009 JAG grant to assist in the design of electronic police report forms and implement an automated field reporting system as well as the purchase of 13 in-car digital audio/video recording systems to be placed in patrol vehicles. The Polk County Sheriff’s office will be using the funds to purchase three in-car video recording systems for their patrol cars and the remaining funds will be used to purchase laptops and software for field investigators.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$298,857. There is no match requirement for this grant.

Funding Source: United States Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Formula Program. FY2011 Operating Budget, Page 255, Special Revenue Funds, SP751, POL984140.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The total award amount is \$298,857 with Des Moines allocated \$278,844 and the County of Polk allocated \$20,013. The City of Des Moines will act as fiscal agent for this grant award. Allocations are determined on a formula calculation based on a requirement that units of local government must have submitted to the FBI at least three years of Uniform Crime Report (UCR) data during the most-recent ten-year period for which UCR data are available in order to be eligible.

The grant period is from October 1, 2009 to September 30, 2013.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: June 28, 2010

Roll Call Number: 10-1033

Action: Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) application by the Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, and Memorandum of Understanding with Polk County, for joint grant to be used for various law enforcement purposes, for October 1, 2009 through Sept 30, 2013, (City's share is \$278,844 and County's share is \$20,013). ([Council Communication No. 10-373](#)) Moved by Hensley to approve. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: June 22, 2009

Roll Call Number: 09-1089

Action: [2009](#) Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Application and Memorandum of Understanding with Polk County and Cities of Urbandale and West Des Moines. ([Council Communication No. 09-431](#)) Moved by Vlassis to approve. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: July 14, 2008

Roll Call Number: 08-1220

Action: [2008](#) Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program for period of October 1, 2007 to September 30, 2011 and Memorandum of Understanding with Polk County. ([Council Communication No. 08-409](#)) Moved by Mahaffey to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: June 18, 2007

Roll Call Number: 07-1182

Action: 2007 Justice Assistance Grant Application and Memorandum of Understanding with Polk County. ([Council Communication No. 07-355](#)) Moved by Coleman to approve. Motion Carried 6-1.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S):

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Council approval for the purchase of the automated field reporting system and the 13 in-car digital audio/video recording systems.

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