

 <p style="text-align: center;">Council Communication Office of the City Manager</p>	Date: September 8, 2014
	Agenda Item No. 21 Roll Call No. <u>14-1373</u> Communication No. <u>14-429</u> Submitted by: Judy A. Bradshaw, Chief of Police

AGENDA HEADING:

Approval of State of Iowa Governor’s Office of Drug Control Policy from the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Project Safe Neighborhoods 2011 Anti-Gang Initiative Grant Award increase and extension.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of the increased funding and grant extension for the State of Iowa Governor’s Office of Drug Control Policy from the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Project Safe Neighborhoods 2011 Anti-Gang Initiative Grant Award. The Police Department was originally awarded \$21,134, which was expended by or before September 30, 2013.

The Police Department was recently notified by the Iowa Office of Drug Control Policy (IODCP) that additional funds were available. The Police Department was offered an increase of \$6,000 or a total award of \$27,134 and extending the closing date of the grant to December 31, 2014. This grant does not have a match contingency.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: Additional \$6,000 to increase total award to \$27,134.

Funding Source: All revenue will go to 2011 Project Safe Neighborhood (GNG00011) on page 225 Recommended Budget Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2015.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The IODCP contacted the Police Department regarding available funding for activities associated with “anti-gang initiative” within the city limits of Des Moines. The Police Department originally applied for the funding in July of 2011, and Council approved the acceptance of the original award in the amount of \$21,134 in December 2011. Since accepting the initial award, the Police Department has been offered further funding from IODCP to continue the initiative increasing the total of the awarded amount to \$27,134. The grant originally expired in September 2013; however; the recent increase would extend the grant period to December 2014.

This grant increase will be used to reimburse officers’ overtime spent on “anti-gang” enforcement.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: December 5, 2011

Roll Call Number: [11-2060](#)

Action: [Award](#) from the Governor's Office of Drug Control Policy, for the Project Safe Neighborhoods 2011 Anti-Gang Initiative Grant, \$21,134. ([Council Communication No. 11-740](#)) Moved by Mahaffey to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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