

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

 CITY OF DES MOINES OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER	Number:	24-508	Meeting:	December 23, 2024
	Agenda Item:	37	Roll Call:	[]
	Submitted by:	Mike McTaggart, Chief of Police		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approval to accept the 2024 Edward Byrne Memorial, Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) award in the amount of \$173,109.

SYNOPSIS:

The Des Moines Police Department recommends the acceptance of the 2024 Edward Byrne Memorial JAG award in the amount of \$173,109.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$173,109 Revenue

City of Des Moines Police Department	\$164,369
Polk County Sheriff's Office	\$ 8,740

Funding Source: Adopted Operating Budget for Fiscal Year (FY) 2024, Page 218 – Police, Special Revenues

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- This award is the result of a joint application submitted by the Police Department and Polk County to purchase law enforcement equipment. The City of Des Moines will serve as the financial agent for this grant with a portion of the funds to be sub-awarded to Polk County per the signed Memorandum of Understanding authorized by the City Council during the meeting on October 7, 2024.
- The Police Department is allocated \$164,369 to be used to purchase cellular evidence collection equipment and officer personal safety equipment. The Polk County Sheriff's Office is allocated \$8,740 and will purchase upgraded mobile computers for marked vehicles.
- This grant is a formula grant with performance period of October 1, 2023, through September 30, 2027. No matching funds are required.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: October 23, 2023

Roll Call Number: [23-1446](#)

Action: [Acceptance](#) of the 2023 Edward Byrne Memorial JAG Award in the amount of \$213,158. ([Council Communication No. 23-481](#)) Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Voss. Motion Carried 6-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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