

Legislation Text

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Fiscal Year 2018 Law Enforcement-Based Direct Victim Services Grant

Action:

Authorize the City Manager to accept a three-year, Law Enforcement-Based Direct Victim Services Grant in the amount of \$236,695 from the U.S. Department of Justice.

Staff Resource(s):

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Explanation

- The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department (CMPD) often applies for grants to fund programs and expenses that support their approved operating budget.
- The City has applied for and received the Law Enforcement-Based Direct Victim Services Grant. CMPD has been awarded funding for Fiscal Year 2018.
- The grant will fund a new Youth Victim Advocate position and grief counseling services to support the Victim Support Group.
- The grant is for a three-year term October 1, 2018, through September 30, 2021.
- According to grant parameters, the City must accept this award by November 10, 2018, in order to receive the funds.
- The total amount of this grant award is \$236,695. This grant does not require the City to provide matching funds.
- At the conclusion of the grant, CMPD will evaluate the need for the grant-funded position.

Fiscal Note

Funding: General Grant Fund