



Legislation Text

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U.S. Department of Justice Fiscal Year 2022 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant

Action:

- A. Authorize the City Manager to accept a grant in the amount of \$643,254 from the U.S. Department of Justice for neighborhood patrols and crime lab staff overtime, and the Police Cadet Program, and**
- B. Adopt a resolution authorizing the City Manager, or his designee, to enter into a memorandum of understanding with Mecklenburg County as a law enforcement partner.**

Staff Resource(s):

Johnny Jennings, Police
Steven Brochu, Police
Morgan Parks, Police

Explanation

- The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department (CMPD) often applies for grants to fund programs and expenses that support the approved operating budget.
- Each year, the city applies for and receives the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant.
- According to grant parameters, the city must accept the grant award by November 11, 2022, to receive the funding.
- The grant project period lasts from October 1, 2021, until September 30, 2025.
- The grant will fund overtime for neighborhood patrols and crime lab staff, and the Police Cadet Program.
- The grant requires that Mecklenburg County receive 25 percent of the total award as a law enforcement partner.
- The city's share of the funding will be \$484,690; Mecklenburg County will receive \$158,564.
- No matching contribution from the city is required.

Fiscal Note

Funding: General Grants Fund

Attachment(s)

Resolution