



City Attorney's Office

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR OR DESIGNEE TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE GRANT FUNDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED SIX HUNDRED NINETY FIVE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED NINETY-SEVEN DOLLARS (\$695,997) FROM THE OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS (OJP), UNDER THE FUNDING OPPORTUNITY FROM THE BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE (BJA) ENTITLED “2022 BJA FY22 LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT CRIME GUN INTELLIGENCE CENTER (CGIC) INTEGRATION INITIATIVE”, DURING THE GRANT PERIOD OF FEDERAL FISCAL YEARS 2022 TO 2025, TO SUPPORT THE OAKLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT (OPD) CRIME LABORATORY OPERATIONS AND CGIC

WHEREAS, The FY22 Local Law Enforcement CGIC Integration Initiative is a limited competition grant program that will provide funding to address illegal firearm-related crime and forensics; and

WHEREAS, This initiative furthers the City of Oakland’s mission to make violent gun crime a top priority by responding to violent gun crime, and working with the granting agency to improve intelligence, technology, and community engagement to swiftly identify crime guns, their sources, and effectively prosecute perpetrators; and

WHEREAS, grant funds totaling six hundred ninety-five thousand nine hundred ninety-seven dollars (\$695,997) have been awarded by OJP to OPD to improve its CGIC; and

WHEREAS, the 2022 BJA FY22 local law enforcement crime gun intelligence center (CGIC) integration initiative grant award period is Federal Fiscal years 2022 through 2025; and

WHEREAS, OPD intends to use a portion of the grant funds to improve Crime Laboratory space; purchase materials, supplies such as ammunition for firearms test fires, and other necessary lab equipment such as a comparison microscope; and

WHEREAS, OPD intends to use another portion of the grant funds to attend a required CGIC grantee conference; and

WHEREAS, OPD intends to use the remaining grant funds to hire personnel mission critical to success in addressing analytical throughput issues and intelligence dissemination; and

WHEREAS, the City Council previously authorized acceptance of other Federal and State grant funds for the Crime Laboratory; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council does hereby authorize the City Administrator or designee to accept and appropriate a grant award in the amount of six hundred ninety-five thousand nine hundred ninety-seven dollars (\$695,997) from OJP; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Administrator or designee is authorized to extend the active grant period beyond Federal Fiscal Year 2025 if allowed by the grantor without returning to Council; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the grant funds shall be maintained by Criminalistics in a Fund to be determined, Crime Lab (102610), in a Project to be determined; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Council hereby authorizes the City Administrator or designee to act as an agent to conduct all negotiations, certifications, assurances, documentation and related actions and to sign all applications and agreements that may be necessary for the completion of the aforementioned grant; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the success of the program, from the metrics developed to show improved processes, will be considered for sustainability of the grant funded positions.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES -

NOES -

ABSENT -

ABSTENTION -

ATTEST: _____
ASHA REED
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California