



AGENDA REPORT

Department: Police Department
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Meeting Date: Tuesday, August 15, 2023
Approved by: Ben Martinez, Interim City Manager

SUBJECT:

Acceptance of the 2020 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) and Appropriation of Funds to Purchase Portable Radios for the Radio Communication System.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution entitled, "Resolution of the City Council of the City of National City, California, Authorizing the Acceptance of the National City Police Department's Grant award in the Amount of \$18,650.00 from the 2020 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program to Purchase Portable Radios for the Radio Communication System, and Authorizing the Establishment of an Appropriation and Corresponding Revenue Budget."

BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE PRIOR ACTION:

Not Applicable.

EXPLANATION:

The Office of Justice Programs' (OJP) Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) and the U.S. Department of Justice announced that the City of National City is eligible for a grant award of \$18,650 from the Fiscal Year 2020 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program – Local Solicitation, for the purchase of Portable Radios for the Radio Communication System, subject to the withholding of 3% of the awarded grant for the National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS) compliance requirements.

The JAG Program provides States and local governments with critical funding necessary to support a range of program areas, including, but not limited to, law enforcement, prosecution, court programs, prevention, and education programs. Applicants are required to complete an on-line application, and submit a budget and various narratives justifying the use of the funds.

The 2020 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program is a direct grant allocation program, and does not require the City to allocate any upfront costs or matching funds.

The City is required to make the grant application available for review and public comment for no less than 30 days and a formal award will not be made until the 30-day review requirement has been met.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

Revenue:	290-11680-3498	Other Federal Grants - \$18,090
Expense:	290-411-682-515-0000	Communications Equipment - \$18,090

RELATED CITY COUNCIL 2020-2025 STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL:

Public Safety

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW:

This is not a project under CEQA and is therefore not subject to environmental review.CCR15378;
PRC 21065.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION:

Agenda Report posted within 72 hours of meeting date and time in accordance with Brown Act.

ORDINANCE:

Not Applicable

EXHIBITS:

- Exhibit A – 2020 JAG NCPD Agency Information
- Exhibit B – 2020 JAG Disclosure of Lobbying Activity
- Exhibit C – 2020 JAG Disclosure of High Risk Status
- Exhibit D – 2020 JAG budget Worksheet
- Exhibit E – 2020 JAG Narrative
- Exhibit F – 2020 JAG Extension Request Signed
- Exhibit G – 2020 JAG Award Letter-Project Info-Budget Summary
- Exhibit H – 2020 JAG Resolution