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Chief Michael Troendle  
Toledo Police Department  
525 N. Erie St.  
Toledo, OH 43604

Dear Chief Troendle:

Thank you for taking the time to meet with us to discuss our various roles in providing quality services to victims of crime in Toledo. We look forward to working with you as we continue to strengthen the relationship between our agencies in an effort to ensure the safety of our community.

The Toledo Police Department's ongoing financial support of the Toledo/Lucas County Victim-Witness Assistance Program has been a critical component in sustaining our various programs. Your contributions have provided required cash matches for grants as well as voluntary cash matches which support costs of grant employees not covered by the grants.

We are requesting your assistance regarding the match funding for 2023 in the amount of \$50,000.00. This is an increase over last year as a result of recent grant cuts as well as rising personnel expenses.

Without your generous contribution, we would not be able to provide the highest level of comprehensive services to our victims. Thank you again for your continued interest in our program. Your support truly makes a difference in the lives of victims of crime in Toledo.

Sincerely,

Julia R. Bates  
Lucas County Prosecutor

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