

Legislation Text

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VAWA Grant 2020-WF-VA3-8841 \$29,190.67 Toledo Police Department Lt. James Brown (x3203) Revised

Authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council and to accept and deposit an OCJS Violence Against Women Act Grant in the amount of \$29,190.67 for the Toledo Police Department Domestic Violence Unit; authorizing the appropriation and expenditure of funds from the Operation Grants fund; and declaring an emergency.

SUMMARY & BACKGROUND:

The Criminal Justice Coordinating Council has recommended to the Office of Criminal Justice Services an award to the City of Toledo of \$29,190.67 from grant funds under the 2020-WF-VA3-8841 Violence Against Women Act Program (VAWA) to continue the Toledo Police Domestic Violence Unit. The grant funds will be used to fund a part time civilian position to review incoming cases, provide information to victims, and maintain a database of victims.

There is no cash match. There is an in-kind match of \$9,730.22, which is a portion of the assigned officers' salary. The department has been awarded under this grant funding every year since FY 1999.

The fiscal impact of this ordinance is as follows:

- The amount of funds requested: \$29,190.67.
- The expenditure budget line item: 2016-52000-3G07341STDSTD.
- New revenue generated (operational revenue, grants, if any): \$29,190.67.
- Revenue budget line item (if any): 2016-52000-3G07341STDSTD.
- Are funds budgeted in the current fiscal year (yes/no)? No.
- Is this a capital project (yes/no)? No.
- If yes, is it new or existing (new/existing)? No.
 - What section of the City's Strategic Plan does this support?
 - Excellence in Basic Services (yes/no) Yes.
 - Quality Community Investment (Livable City, Development) (yes/no) Yes.
 - Workplace Culture & Customer Service (yes/no) Yes.
 - Environment (yes/no) No.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Toledo:

SECTION 1. That the Mayor is authorized to enter into an agreement with the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council and to accept and deposit Violence Against Women Act Grant proceeds in the amount of \$29,190.67 into the Operation Grants Fund Account Code 2016-52000-3G07341STDSTD for the Toledo Police Department Domestic Violence Unit.

SECTION 2. That the appropriation of \$29,190.67 from the unappropriated grant proceeds of the Operation Grants Fund is authorized to Account Code 2016-52000-3G07341STDSTD; and the expenditure of same is authorized for the Toledo Police Department Domestic Violence Unit.

SECTION 3. That the Finance Director is authorized to draw her warrant or warrants against the above mentioned Account Code in an amount not to exceed \$29,190.67 in payment of the obligations authorized above by the terms of the grant upon presentation of the proper voucher or vouchers.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and shall be in force and effect from and after its passage. The reason for the emergency lies in the fact that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and property, and for the further reason that this ordinance must be immediately effective in order to operate and continue the program through the grant period.

Vote on emergency clause: yeas _____, nays _____.

Passed: ______, as an emergency measure: yeas _____, nays _____.

Attest:

Clerk of Council

President of Council

Approved:

Mayor

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance passed by Council

Attest: _____ Clerk of Council