



City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Police

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: March 19, 2018

Re: Department of Public Safety Grant – 2018-2019 STOP VAWA (Domestic Violence Unit Grant)

Executive Summary

Staff has prepared for Council consideration an ordinance authorizing acceptance of the 2018-2019 STOP VAWA grant in the amount of \$161,061.69 from the Missouri Department of Public Safety and authorizing the City Manager to sign the contract.

Discussion

This grant renewal will continue funding a portion of the DOVE (Domestic Violence) Unit officer's salaries/benefits and provides 51% funding for a temporary part-time employee to assist with the administrative duties of the Unit, allowing the DOVE officer's more time for contact with Domestic Violence victims.

The contract period is January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2019.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: The 2018-2019 STOP VAWA Grant will offset the cost budgeted for two existing officer positions and a part time temporary civilian position in FY18 and FY19 (\$161,061.69).

Long-Term Impact: No anticipated cost beyond year two.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Public Safety, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable



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Legislative History

Date	Action
03/07/2016	Ord#022754(B43-16): Acceptance of 2016-2017 STOP VAWA (DOVE) Grant.
02/03/2014	Ord#021977(B27-14): Acceptance of 2014-2015 STOP VAWA (DOVE) Grant.

Suggested Council Action

Shall Council agree, staff recommends passage of ordinance authorizing acceptance of the 2018-2019 STOP VAWA (DOVE) Grant from MO Department of Public Safety.