

City of Columbia 701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Police To: City Council From: City Manager & Staff Council Meeting Date: August 17, 2020 Re: FY 2020 DOJ Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Grant

Executive Summary

Staff has prepared for Council consideration an ordinance authorizing the acceptance and appropriation of the FY2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) Grant in the amount of \$131,888 from U.S. Department of Justice; and authorizing City Manager to sign the contract.

Discussion

In late May 2020, the Columbia Police Department applied for the FY2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) grant from the United States Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Justice Programs (OJP), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) to provide funding for both the Columbia Police Department and the Columbia Fire Department to help in preventing, preparing for, and responding to the coronavirus pandemic.

The grant application has been approved by the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance and the City of Columbia has been awarded the full allocation amount available of \$131,888, to be used by both the Columbia Police Department (\$89,512) and the Columbia Fire Department (\$42,376). This funding will be for the purchase of personal protective equipment (PPE), uniform cleaning and uniform replacements.

The contract period for this grant is January 20, 2020 – January 31, 2022.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: \$89,512.00 will be the Columbia Police Department's share of this grants funding; \$42,376.00 will be the Columbia Fire Department's share of this grant funding. There will be no additional costs to the City for the next two years. Long-Term Impact: No anticipated costs for the City for years beyond 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
N/A	N/A

Suggested Council Action

Shall Council agree, staff recommends passage of ordinance accepting and appropriating the FY2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding grant from U.S. Department of Justice.