



Memphis City Council Summary Sheet

Resolution seeking acceptance of federal grant funds in the amount of \$323,083.00 specifically for the Operation Safe Community (OSC): Data Driven Strategies to Reduce Violent and Gang Crime funded through the FY2009 Congressionally Selected funds. Project objectives include: 1) expanding investigative surveillance and tracking capacity to target serious repeat offenders and organized crime, especially gang organizations; 2) enhancing officer safety during police operations involving serious repeat offenders and organized crime, especially gang organizations; 3) providing advanced training for investigators on surveillance and tracking equipment; 4) deploying additional cars equipped with Automatic License Plate Readers in areas with concentrations of repeat offenders and gang organizations.

- This item is a resolution to accept federal grant funds from the U.S. Department of Justice sub awarded through the University of Memphis in the amount of \$323,083.00 specifically for the FY 2009 Congressionally Selected OSC: Data Driven Strategies to Reduce Violent and Gang Crime program.
- The University of Memphis was the partner applicant for the 2009 Congressionally Selected program and serves as the fiscal agent for the total project. The resolution references the City of Memphis, Division of Police Services sub award for the project.
- This is a new grant award pending Council acceptance.
- Acceptance and appropriation of the federal funds will require a contract with the University of Memphis for the sub award.
- Acceptance will require an amendment to the 2011 Operating Budget to appropriate the funds.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of Memphis Division of Police Services has been awarded grant funds in the amount of Three Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand, Eighty-Three Dollars (\$323,083.00) from the University of Memphis for the FY 2009 Byrne Congressionally Selected Award – Operation Safe Community (OSC): Data Driven Strategies to Reduce Violent and Gang Crime; and

WHEREAS, these funds will be used to support the Memphis Police Department in providing law enforcement collaboration for the Operation Safe Community (OSC): Data Driven Strategies to Reduce Violent and Gang Crime; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to accept the grant funding and amend the Fiscal Year 2010 Operating Budget to establish funds for the FY 2009 Byrne Congressionally Selected Award - Operation Safe Community (OSC): Data Driven Strategies to Reduce Violent and Gang Crime; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to appropriate the FY 2010 grant funds in the amount of Three Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand, Eighty-Three Dollars (\$323,083.00) for the FY 2009 Byrne Congressionally Selected Award - Operation Safe Community (OSC): Data Driven Strategies to Reduce Violent and Gang Crime.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Memphis that the FY 2009 Byrne Congressionally Selected Award - Operation Safe Community (OSC): Data Driven Strategies to Reduce Violent and Gang Crime funds in the amount of Three Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand, Eighty-Three Dollars (\$323,083.00) be accepted by the City of Memphis.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Fiscal Year 2010 Operating Budget be and is hereby amended by appropriating the Expenditures and Revenues for the FY 2009 Byrne Congressionally Selected Award - Operation Safe Community (OSC): Data Driven Strategies to Reduce Violent and Gang Crime in the amount of Three Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand, Eighty-Three Dollars (\$323,083.00) as follows:

REVENUES	
University of Memphis – Bureau of Justice Assistance	<u>\$323,083.00</u>
Total	\$323,083.00
EXPENDITURES	
Equipment	\$ 297,083.00
Miscellaneous Professional Services	<u>26,000.00</u>
Total	\$323,083.00