

Meeting Date: 2/23/2016

Report Type: Consent

Report ID: 2016-00201

Title: Grant: Fiscal Year (FY) 2015/16 Frontline Intervention Police (FLIP) Department Grant

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Pass a Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or the City Manager's designee, to: 1) accept \$500,000 in FY2015/16 Frontline Intervention Police (FLIP) Department grant funding from the State of California, Board of State and Community Corrections; 2) establish an operating grant project for the FY2015/16 FLIP Grant (G11014200); 3) adjust the necessary revenue and expense budgets up to \$500,000 in the FY2015/16 FLIP Grant Project (G11014200); and 4) maintain the following Full Time Equivalent (FTE) positions, previously authorized by Resolutions 2013-0140, 2013-0317, and 2015-0080: five Police Officers and two Police Sergeants.

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Presenter: None

Department: Police

Division: Metro Administration

Dept ID: 11001131

Attachments:

1-Description/Analysis

2-Resolution

City Attorney Review

Approved as to Form

Michael Fry

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Approvals/Acknowledgements

Department Director or Designee: Sam Somers - 2/2/2016 2:10:22 PM

Description/Analysis

Issue: In 2011, the State of California enacted the Public Safety Realignment Act, or Assembly Bill 109 (AB 109). This law altered the California criminal justice system by shifting the housing for convicted low-level offenders from state prison to local county jails and resulted in the early release of non-violent, non-serious, non-sex offenders. Along with the release of these types of offenders to local jurisdictions, AB 109 required that these offenders be placed on Post-Release Community Supervision (PRCS) and are supervised by local agencies rather than the state parole system.

To support the local supervision activities, the Board of State Community Corrections (BSCC) has allocated Front-Line Intervention Police (FLIP) grant funding in each of the last three fiscal years for the creation of PRCS regional mini-teams within the County of Sacramento. These PRCS teams focus on identifying, monitoring, and closely supervising those offenders placed on PRCS and having a high probability of recidivism. In Fiscal Year (FY) 2012/13, the City Council authorized the acceptance of \$521,000 in FLIP grant funds and the creation of a PRCS team consisting of four positions (Resolution 2013-0140). In FY2013/14, grant funding was increased to approximately \$670,000 and City Council expanded the team by an additional position, for a total of five positions. In FY2014/15, grant funding was increased to \$1,000,000 and City Council expanded the team by one additional Police Sergeant and one additional Police Officer, for a total of seven positions.

For FY2015/16, the BSCC allocated \$922,500 to Sacramento County in FY2015/16 FLIP Grant funding and again selected the City of Citrus Heights as the fiduciary agent. Based on the collective decision of law enforcement agencies within Sacramento County, the Sacramento Police Department (SPD) was awarded \$500,000 of allocated funds. This funding will allow SPD to continue to meet the mandates of AB 109 by continuing to monitor and supervise offenders placed on PRCS.

Policy Considerations: The recommendations contained in this report are consistent with City Council Resolution 2015-0169, which requires City Council approval to establish an operating grant project in excess of \$100,000.

Economic Impact: None.

Environmental Considerations: Not applicable.

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA): This proposal does not constitute a “project” and is therefore exempt from the CEQA process according to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15061(b)(3) and 15378(a).

Sustainability Considerations: Not applicable.

Commission/Committee Action: Not applicable.

Rationale for Recommendation: The City of Sacramento has the highest number of PRCS offenders in the region. The FY2015/16 FLIP Grant will allow the SPD to continue to monitor PRCS offenders living in Sacramento. Specific activities of the PRCS teams include: intervention and referrals; participation in surveillance; searches; apprehensions of persons with new charges; and the ability to respond to regional crime series.

Increased funding for FY2015/16 will allow SPD to maintain its team of five Police Officers and two Police Sergeants. A sixth Police Officer is assigned to the PRCS Team, however, that position is funded from the 2013 Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Hiring Program (CHP) grant. The FLIP grant funding will also allow for the purchase of necessary specialty equipment.

Financial Considerations: This grant does not require General Fund resources and will not impact the SPD’s operating budget. Should the State not renew or reduce funding for this grant program, the FTE positions will be eliminated or reduced accordingly.

Local Business Enterprise (LBE) Program: Not applicable.

RESOLUTION NO.

Adopted by the Sacramento City

Council [DATE]

**FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2015/16 FRONTLINE INTERVENTION POLICE DEPARTMENT
(FLIP) GRANT**

BACKGROUND

- A. The Board of State Community Corrections (BSCC) has allocated \$500,000 to the Sacramento Police Department (SPD) in FY2015/16 FLIP Grant Funding to continue funding for SPD's Post-Release Community Supervision (PRCS) team. The team will continue to work in collaboration with other regional PRCS teams to identify, monitor, and supervise individuals released from State Prison as a result of the Assembly Bill 109 (AB 109), also known as the 2011 Public Safety Realignment Act.

**BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY
COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

- Section 1. The City Manager, or the City Manager's designee, is authorized to accept \$500,000 in grant funding from the State of California, Board of State and Community Corrections, through the City of Citrus Heights;
- Section 2. The City Manager, or the City Manager's designee, is authorized to establish an operating grant project (G11014200) for the FY2015/16 FLIP grant;
- Section 3. The City Manager, or the City Manger's designee, is authorized to adjust the necessary revenue and expense budgets in the amount of \$500,000 in the operating grant project (G11014200);
- Section 4. The City Manager, or the City Manager's designee, is authorized to maintain the following Full Time Equivalent (FTE) positions, previously authorized by Resolutions 2013-0140, 2013-0317, and 2015-0080: five Police Officers and two Police Sergeants