

CITY OF HIGH POINT

AGENDA ITEM



Title: Budget Amendment for National Network for Safe Communities Grant

From: Eric Olmedo, Budget Director

Meeting Date: October 2, 2017

Public Hearing: N/A

Advertising Date: N/A

Advertised By: N/A

Attachments: Budget ordinance

PURPOSE:

A Budget Amendment is needed to appropriate funds for a grant received from the National Network for Safe Communities.

BACKGROUND:

In partnership with the Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, the National Network for Safe Communities (NNSC) is launching the National Intimate Partner Violence Intervention Initiative (NIPVII) to reduce intimate partner violence. Three pilot sites have been chosen and NNSC is collaborating with High Point Police Department and UNCG as principals in NIPVII.

BUDGET IMPACT:

The United States Department of Justice, National Network for Safe Communities will allocate \$39,654 to the City of High Point. There is no city match for this grant. Payment for subcontracted work will be paid upon completion of all deliverables unless invoices are submitted by HPPD as individual deliverables are completed.

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

The Budget Department recommends and asks the Council to approve the budget amendment.

"AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2017-2018 BUDGET ORDINANCE
OF THE CITY OF HIGH POINT, NORTH CAROLINA
TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NATIONAL INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INITIATIVE
GRANT

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of High Point, North Carolina, as follows:

Section 1. The City of High Point has received a National Network for Safe Communities grant in the amount of \$39,654 to pay for the National Intimate Partner Violence Initiative pilot program.

Section 2. The 2017-2018 Budget Ordinance of the City of High Point, should be amended as follows:

(A) That the Grant Fund of the City of High Point, is hereby amended as follows:

Federal Grant Revenues	\$ 39,654
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(B) That the Grant Fund expenditures be amended as follows:

Police Grant Expenditures	\$ 39,654
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Section 3. That all ordinances, or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage."

Adopted October 2, 2017



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of New York
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August 23, 2017

High Point Police Department
1009 Leonard Avenue
High Point, NC 27260

Attention: Major Larry Casterline

Re: Subaward #: 49296-A
Project Title: The National Network for Safe Communities: An Approach to
Reducing Serious Domestic Violence

Dear Major Casterline,

Enclosed for your files, please one (1) fully executed Subaward Agreement.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at (212) 417-8367,
or by email at Gregory_Cicciari@rfcuny.org.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Gregory Cicciari'.

Gregory Cicciari
Senior Contract Paralegal
Office of Legal Affairs
Enclosure

RESEARCH FOUNDATION OF CUNY
230 WEST 41ST STREET, 7TH FL., NY, NY 10036

SUBAWARD NUMBER: 49296-A

1. PASS-THROUGH ENTITY: RESEARCH FOUNDATION OF CUNY ON BEHALF OF:

COLLEGE: John Jay College of Criminal Justice
ADDRESS FOR INVOICES: 524 West 59th Street, Suite 1140, New York, NY 10019

2. SUBRECIPIENT:

NAME: City of High Point on behalf of the High Point Police Department
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 230, 211 S. Hamilton Street, High Point, NC 27261-0230

3. PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office on Violence Against Women (OVW)
TITLE: The National Network for Safe Communities: An Approach to Reducing Serious Domestic Violence
SPONSOR ID: 2015-SI-AX-K006 CFDA #: 16.526

4. KEY PERSONNEL/PROJECT DIRECTOR:

RFCUNY: David Kennedy
SUBRECIPIENT: Kenneth J. Shultz

5. KEY PERSONNEL/PROJECT DIRECTOR

TELEPHONE #/EMAIL:
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SUBRECIPIENT: 336-887-7922,
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6. BUDGET:

TOTAL SUBAWARD AMOUNT NOT TO
EXCEED \$39,653.69*

*See Appendix B for Budget Detail

7. ATTACHMENTS:

APPENDIX A-SCOPE OF WORK
APPENDIX B-BUDGET
APPENDIX C-GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS
APPENDIX D-INVOICE

CONDITION PRECEDENT: Payment to RFCUNY from the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) for performance of this Subaward is a condition precedent to Subrecipient's right to payment, hereunder. The Subrecipient relies on the credit of the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), not RFCUNY, for payment of this work. The Subrecipient agrees that its right to payment extends to only those funds made available by the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) pursuant to this Subaward cover sheet.

8. SUBAWARD TERM: October 1, 2015 - September 30, 2017

9. COMMENTS: None

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

RESEARCH FOUNDATION OF CUNY
ON BEHALF OF JOHN JAY COLLEGE

BY: 

(Signature)

NAME: JERRY STEELE

CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

(Printed Name)

TITLE: _____

(Printed Title)

DATE: 8/23/17

HIGH POINT POLICE DEPARTMENT

BY: 

(Signature)

NAME: Kenneth J. Shultz

(Printed Name)

TITLE: CHIEF OF POLICE

(Printed Title)

DATE: 10 Aug 2017

CITY OF HIGH POINT

BY: 

(Signature)

NAME: Gregory Demko

(Printed Name)

TITLE: City Manager

(Printed Title)

DATE: 8/11/17

APPENDIX A

SCOPE OF WORK

In partnership with the Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), the National Network for Safe Communities (NNSC) is launching the National Intimate Partner Violence Intervention Initiative (NIPVII), to reduce intimate partner violence in three pilot sites over a 24-month period. The NNSC is collaborating with the High Point Police Department (HPPD) and the University of North Carolina at Greensboro (UNCG) as principals in NIPVII.

As principals in NIPVII, the offender-focused DVI team from HPPD is charged with carrying out a number of functions that will provide necessary strategic support to each selected site throughout the project period. These functions have been accounted for in the NNSC's project budget as subcontract personnel expenses and can be broken down into the following categories: IPVI University, operational convenings, working sessions, remote technical assistance, peer exchanges, site visits and publications.

HPPD has extensive experience with and insight into the implementation of the IPVI model. In early 2009, HPPD formed a partnership with the NNSC, researchers, practitioners, prosecutors and community to develop, implement and evaluate a focused deterrence initiative targeted at the chronic IPV offender. HPPD is the first and only entity that has implemented this model, and the city of High Point, NC, has reported tremendously promising results, including dramatically reduced domestic homicides, reduced victim injuries, fewer calls for service, and over positive responses from the victims involved. Prior to implementation (2004-2008), the city reported that 17 of 52 homicides was a domestic violence homicide, compared to that of only 1 of 16 homicides over the five year implementation period (2009-2013). Due to High Point, NC's successful implementation of a Domestic Violence Intervention strategy since 2009 and their subject matter expertise, the expansion of NNSC's partnership with HPPD is crucial for the success and sustenance of the NIPVII pilot.

NIPVII will be implemented in three sites over 24-months. It will employ the evidence-based focused deterrence approach to the problem of intimate partner violence. The intervention strategy will identify and deter the most serious IPV offenders, reduce IPV-related homicides and repeat calls for service, lower recidivism rates, reduce harm to victims and build police legitimacy.

This project, with the help from subcontracted agencies, will work to strengthen relationships and collaboration between law enforcement and community while holding offenders accountable in each selected site. The strategy is designed to intervene early with offenders appropriately by making them aware of the community's intolerance for intimate partner violence. Offenders will be notified that future any future violence will be met with immediate legal consequences.