

Meeting Date: 10/18/2012 Department: Austin Police Department

Subject

Authorize negotiation and execution of an Interlocal Agreement with Travis County to administer the 2012 Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) on behalf of the City of Austin and the Travis County Sheriff's Office.

Amount and Source of Funding

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$332,707 is available from the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Justice Assistance Grant Program. No match is required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
For More Information:	David Carter, Chief of Staff / 974-5030
Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

This action will authorize the negotiation and execution of an Interlocal Agreement with Travis County, through which the City will administer the 2012 Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) on behalf of the City of Austin and Travis County Sheriff's Office. Funding in the amount of \$332,707 is available from the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance for the JAG program. The Interlocal Agreement will remain in effect for the period of October 1, 2012 through September 30, 2015. From the total grant allotment, the City of Austin will receive \$246,707 and Travis County Sheriff's Office will receive \$86,000. The City of Austin and Travis County will enter into this Interlocal Agreement so that the City may serve as the fiscal agent for the JAG grant funding. The City of Austin will use its portion of the grant funding for equipment, supplies and training for Austin Police Department personnel.