

AGENDA



Thursday, April 8, 2010

**Police
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 14**

Subject: Approve a resolution authorizing the application of \$58,200 in grant funds from the State of Texas, Governor's Office, Criminal Justice Division to provide victims with transportation following criminal incidents and to provide Victim Services Counselors and Investigators with equipment upgrades. The project is entitled "APD Recovery VAWA - Assistance to Female Victims of Domestic Violence."

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding is available from the State of Texas, Governor's Office, Criminal Justice Division for the grant period April 1, 2010 to March 31, 2011. A match is not required.

Fiscal Note: A fiscal note is not required.

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To properly accept the \$58,200 in grant funding, the grantor requires a resolution that addresses the following:

1) Authorization that clearly identifies the name of the project for which funding is requested; 2) a commitment to provide all applicable matching funds; 3) a designation of the name and/or title of an authorized official who is given the authority to apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate a grant; and 4) a written assurance that, in the event of loss or misuse of grant funds, the governing body will return all funds to CJD.

This grant addresses the Department goal of assisting victims of violent crime.