

AGENDA



Thursday, November 18, 2010

**Police
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 32**

Subject: Approve an ordinance authorizing the acceptance of \$32,286 in grant funds from the State of Texas, Governor's Office, Criminal Justice Division and amending the Fiscal Year 2010-2011 Police Department Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund of Ordinance No. 20100913-002 to appropriate \$32,286 to provide juvenile casework to support the APD Gang Intervention Team.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding in the amount of \$32,836 is available from the State of Texas, Criminal Justice Division, Juvenile Accountability Block Grant (JABG) Program for the project period of September 1, 2010 to August 31, 2011.

Fiscal Note: A fiscal note is attached.

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Prior Council Action: April 8, 2010 - The Austin Police Department was authorized to submit an application.

This action will authorize the acceptance of \$32,836 in grant funding from the State of Texas, Criminal Justice Division, Juvenile Accountability Block Grant Program, and amend the Austin Police Department's (APD) Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund to provide casework in support of the APD Gang Intervention Team. The grant period is September 1, 2010 – August 31, 2011. This funding continues the grant-funded salary of the APD Gang Intervention Coordinator, and will allow the caseworker (licensed master degree, social work) to work on a full-time basis with gang-involved adjudicated youth.