



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING

#22-1117

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Greg Chavarria, City Manager

DATE: December 20, 2022

TITLE: Motion Approving Execution of a Subgrant Agreement with the Broward State Attorney's Office for Work Performed Under the Local Law Enforcement Crime Gun Intelligence Center Integration Program Grant - **(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission approve the execution of a Subgrant Agreement with the Broward State Attorney's Office (Broward SAO) for work performed under the Local Law Enforcement Crime Gun Intelligence Center Integration Program Grant (CGIC).

Background

In June 2021, the City submitted an application to the United States Department of Justice (DOJ) in response to a solicitation for proposals from law enforcement agencies to address the incidents of serious violent crimes involving the use of illegal firearms. The City Commission accepted an award of \$466,263 in funding to institute a collaborative project with the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, the Department of Corrections, Probation and Parole and the Broward State Attorney's Office to counter a precipitous increase in gun-related violent crime in identified hot spots. The proposed project will expand ShotSpotter program coverage, provide overtime and training for detectives and crime analysts, and facilitate the acquisition of forensic equipment. A condition of the grant requires that 20% of the grant award be allocated to our local prosecutorial partner. The Fort Lauderdale Police Department (FLPD) desires to execute a subgrant agreement with the Broward SAO to compensate their office for work performed by their personnel related to the prosecution of criminal cases that result from FLPD's CGIC investigations.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact to the City. Reimbursement of eligible Broward SAO personnel expenses will be funded by the FY21 CGIC grant, in accordance with applicable federal guidelines.

Strategic Connections

This item is a *2022 Commission* Priority, advancing the Community Response and Safety initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Public Safety Focus Area
- Goal 6: Build a safe and well-prepared community.
- Objective: Prevent and solve crime in all neighborhoods.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035* Vision Plan: We Are Community.

This item supports the Advance Fort Lauderdale 2040 Comprehensive Plan specifically advancing:

- The Public Safety Focus Area
- The Coastal Management, Community Health and Safety Element
- Goal 4: Coordinate with related partners and agencies (at city, local, county, regional, state, and federal levels) to plan for disaster and emergency management, further the resiliency of coastal areas, and ensure city-wide community health and safety.

Attachment

Exhibit 1 - Subgrant Participation Agreement Between the City of Fort Lauderdale and the State Attorney of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit in and for Broward County for Participation in the Local Law Enforcement Crime Gun Intelligence Center Integration Initiative

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