

RESOLUTION NO. 13-224

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$90,000 FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT THROUGH THE 2013 EDWARD BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE REQUISITE CONTRACTS, AGREEMENTS AND MEMORANDUMS OF UNDERSTANDING TO IMPLEMENT SUCH GRANT AWARD.

WHEREAS, the purpose of the grant program is to fund state and local initiatives that improve or enhance law enforcement, court, prevention and education, corrections, and drug treatment and enforcement programs; and

WHEREAS, on September 3, 2013, the City Commission authorized the Fort Lauderdale Police Department through the proper City officials to apply for the 2013 Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Countywide Solicitation Grant (Byrne/JAG) from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement; and

WHEREAS, under the 2013 Byrne/JAG grant, the Police Department will serve as Law Enforcement partner for the Urban League of Broward County's Substance Abuse Prevention Program; and

WHEREAS the grant does not require a local cash match; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Law Enforcement has approved the City's application for grant funds in the amount of \$90,000.00, thereby requiring the City to enter various agreements with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, the Urban League of Broward County and a Memorandum of Understanding with the Urban League of Broward County and the United Way of Broward County Commission on Substance Abuse; and


WHEREAS, it has been determined by the City Commission that the City Manager may enter into the necessary agreements with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, the Urban League of Broward County and the United Way of Broward County Commission on Substance Abuse for the purpose of implementing the 2013 Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Countywide Solicitation Grant (Byrne/JAG);

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That the City is hereby authorized to accept grant funds in the amount of \$90,000 from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement through the 2013 Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Countywide Solicitation Grant (Byrne/JAG) Program and the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute the required agreements with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, the Urban League of Broward County and the United Way of Broward County Commission on Substance Abuse for the purpose of implementing the 2013 Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Countywide Solicitation Grant (Byrne/JAG)..


SECTION 2. This this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon final passage.

ADOPTED this the 3rd day of December, 2013.



Mayor
JOHN P. "JACK" SEILER

ATTEST:



City Clerk
JONDA K. JOSEPH

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