

- TO: Michael D. Polensek, Chair Safety Committee
- **FROM:** Karrie D. Howard, Director Department of Public Safety
- **DATE:** February 2, 2022
- **SUBJECT:** Ordinance No. 1142-2021 Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant from Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services for the 2022 Body Worn Camera Grant Program; and authorizing the Director to enter into one or more contracts with Axon Enterprises, Inc. for services necessary to implement the grant

If passed by Council, Ordinance No. 1142-2021 would authorize the Director of Public Safety to accept grant funding from the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services for the FY22 Body Worn Camera Program; and authorize the Director to enter into a contract with Axon Enterprise for equipment and services necessary to implement the grant.

Purpose of Grant:

The goal of the Body Worn Camera Program is to fund body worn cameras and camera footage storage. If awarded, Cleveland will receive \$106,935.61 to purchase body worn camera equipment, supplies, licensing and storage.

Expenses to be reimbursed:

Personnel:\$ 8,735.51 (Overtime for reviewing and processing camera footage)Equipment:\$ 49,900.00 (Axom body worn cameras for new recruits)Supplies:\$ 1,500.00 (Supplies and accessories for the cameras)Other:\$ 46,800.00 (Licensing and storage fees)Total:\$ 106,935.61

Grant Information:

- Grant Period is 02/01/22 thru 01/31/23
- There is no local match
- This a new grant