



City of Cleveland Memorandum

Justin M. Bibb, Mayor

TO: Blaine A. Griffin, Chair
Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee

FROM: Karrie D. Howard, Director
Department of Public Safety

DATE: July 13, 2022

SUBJECT: Ordinance 570-2022 authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept funds from the Bureau of Justice Assistance for the FY21 Byrne Criminal Justice Initiative; and to enter into one or more contracts with the Task Force on Violent Crime Charitable Fund dba Partnership for a Safer Cleveland and Case Western Reserve University to implement the grant

Purpose:

Ordinance No. 570-2022, if approved by City Council, would authorize the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant in the amount of \$986,293 from the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance for the FY18 Community-Based Crime Reduction (CBCR) Grant.

This grant will provide funding to develop and implement a crime reduction program in the Buckeye-Woodhill neighborhood. Surveys and meetings will be conducted with community members and other key stakeholders before the final crime reduction plan is implemented.

Partners include:

- The U.S. Attorney's Office
- Case Western Reserve University
- Partnership for a Safer Cleveland
- Burten, Bell, Carr Development, Inc.
- The May Dugan Center

Budget:

\$ 24,583 – Personnel

\$ 961,710 – Contracts (Case Western Reserve Univ, Partnership for a Safer Cleveland)

\$ 986,293 – TOTAL

- This is a new grant
- No local match is required
- Grant period – 10/01/21 – 09/30/24