



City of Cleveland Memorandum

Justin M. Bibb, Mayor

TO: Michael D. Polensek, Chair
Safety Committee

FROM: Dornat A. Drummond, Director
Department of Public Safety

DATE: January 15, 2025

SUBJECT: Ordinance No. 1350-2024 Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant from the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance for the FY 2024 Byrne Justice Assistance Grant: Local Solicitation; and authorizing one or more contracts with Cuyahoga County and the cities of Euclid, Parma, Cleveland Heights, East Cleveland and Garfield Heights needed to implement the grant

Ordinance No. 1350-2024, if passed by Council, would authorize the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a \$630,689 grant from the US Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance for the FY24 Byrne Justice Assistance Grant.

Purpose of Grant:

The goal of the Justice Assistance Grant is to provide funding for equipment, services and personnel to advance basic law enforcement efforts. The City of Cleveland was selected by the grant recipients, Cuyahoga County and the cities of Euclid, Parma, Cleveland Hts., and Garfield Heights to be the fiscal agent on behalf of the cities and the County. The funding will be divided as follows:

City of Cleveland:	\$465,500
Cuyahoga County:	100,000
Cleveland Hts:	10,213
East Cleveland:	10,511
Euclid:	18,336
Parma:	11,228
Garfield Hts.:	<u>14,901</u>
TOTAL:	<u>\$630,689</u>

The funding provided to the City of Cleveland will be used to maintain personnel and for training.

Expenses to be reimbursed (Cleveland's Portion):

Personnel:	\$447,460 (4 fingerprint examiners, 2 intelligence analysts)
Travel:	\$ <u>18,040</u> (Training)
Total:	<u>\$465,500</u>



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- There is no local match
- The grant ends 9/30/27
- This is an annual grant we have received since 2005