

City of Cleveland Memorandum

Frank G. Jackson, Mayor

TO: Matthew Zone, Chair

Public Safety Committee

FROM:

Michael McGrath, Director

Department of Public Safety

DATE:

November 21, 2018

SUBJECT:

Ordinance No. 1350-18 Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to Apply for

and Accept a grant from the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice

Assistance for the FY18 Community-Based Crime Reduction Grant

Ordinance No. 1350-18 would authorize the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant in the amount of \$979,100 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 Central 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
- CMHA Police
- Sisters of Charity
- Cleveland Peacemakers Alliance

Budget:

- \$ 979,100 Contracts (Case Western Reserve Univ, Partnership for a Safer Cleveland) \$ 979,100 – TOTAL
- This is a new grant
- No local match is required
- Grant period 10/01/18 09/30/21

Ordinance No. 1350-18

Council Members Zone and Kelley (by departmental request)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

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 18 Community-Based Crime Reduction Grant; and authorizing the director to enter into one or more contracts with various agencies, entities, or individuals to implement the grant.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Safety is authorized to apply for and accept a grant in the approximate amount of \$979,100, and any other funds that may become available during the grant term from the United States Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance to conduct the FY 18 Community-Based Crime Reduction Grant; that the Director is authorized to file all papers and execute all documents necessary to receive the funds under the grant; and that the funds are appropriated for the purposes described in the abstract for the grant contained in the file described below.

- Section 2. That the abstract for the grant, File No. 1350-18, made a part of this ordinance as if fully rewritten, is approved in all respects and shall not be changed without additional legislative authority.
- Section 3. That the Director of Public Safety is authorized to extend the term of the grant during the grant term.

Section 4. That, unless expressly prohibited by the grant agreement, under Section 108(B) of the Charter, purchases made under the grant agreement may be made through cooperative arrangements with other governmental agencies. The Director of Public Safety may sign all documents and do all things that are necessary to make the purchases, and may enter into one or more contracts with the vendors selected through that cooperative process.

<u>Section 5.</u> That the Director of Public Safety is authorized to enter into one or more contracts with or make payments to Case Western Reserve University, Partnership for a Safer Cleveland, and various other agencies, entities, or individuals, as needed, to implement the grant as described in the file.

Section 6. That the costs of the contract or contracts authorized by this ordinance shall be paid from the fund or funds to which are credited the grant proceeds accepted under this ordinance.

Section 7. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

WM:nl 11-12-18

FOR: Director McGrath