

# City of Cleveland Memorandum

Frank G. Jackson, Mayor

**TO:** Blaine A. Griffin, Chair

Safety Committee

**FROM:** Karrie D. Howard, Director

Department of Public Safety

**DATE:** January 13, 2021

**SUBJECT:** Ordinance 946-2020 authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and

accept a grant from the Ohio Department of Public Safety for the FY 2021 Impaired Driving Enforcement Program and the Selective Traffic Enforcement

Program (IDEP/STEP) Program

## **Purpose:**

Ordinance Number 946-20, if passed by Council, would authorize the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a \$60,882.54 grant from the Ohio Department of Public Safety for the FY21 Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) and Impaired Driving Enforcement Program (IDEP) Grant. This legislation will provide funding for speed-related and DUI-related traffic enforcement.

#### **Purpose of Grant:**

The goal of the Impaired Driving Enforcement Program (IDEP) and Strategic Traffic Enforcement (STEP) Grant is to provide funding for OVI-related and speed-related traffic enforcement. The City will receive reimbursement for Police Officer overtime while conducting targeted enforcement.

The following are the results of IDEP and STEP activities for the FY 2020 grant:

35 - Driving Under Suspension Arrests

117 - Speed Citations

104 - Adult Restraint Citations

32 - No Operators License Arrests

276 - Other Citations

## **Expenses to be reimbursed:**

Personnel: \$ 58,604.01 (Police Officer Overtime)

Fuel: \$ 2,278.56 Total: \$ 55,546.86

# **Grant Information:**

- The grant period is 10/01/20 9/30/21
  We have received this grant annually since 2008
  There is no local match