

Resolution No. 2023-_____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO (I) ACCEPT A GRANT FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (“DOJ”), OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS (“OJP”) IN THE MAXIMUM REIMBURSABLE AMOUNT OF \$580,581 TO FUND INVESTIGATIONS TO REDUCE FIREARM VIOLENCE AND (II) TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THIS TRANSACTION; APPROVING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$580,581 FROM THE INCREASE IN THE UNAPPROPRIATED BALANCE OF THE GENERAL FUND (0001), RESULTING FROM THESE ADDITIONAL GRANT REVENUES, TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT, FISCAL SUPPORT DIVISION (140-1389), CRIME GUN INTELLIGENCE CENTER PROJECT (19951); AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of St. Petersburg (“City”) applied for and has been awarded an OJP grant (“Grant”) for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026, in the maximum reimbursable amount of \$580,581 to fund the Crime Gun Intelligence Center (CGIC) Project to reduce firearm violence; and

WHEREAS, the City will submit expenditure documentation to the U.S Department of Justice for reimbursement of eligible costs; and

WHEREAS, the Grant requires no local matching funds; and

WHEREAS, a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$580,581 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these grant funds is required.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida, that the Mayor or his designee is authorized to (i) accept a grant from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, in the maximum reimbursable amount of \$580,581 to fund investigations to reduce firearm violence and (ii) to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this transaction; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that there is hereby approved from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these additional grant revenues, the following supplemental appropriation for FY24:

General Fund (0001)

Police Department, Fiscal Support Division (140-1389),
Crime Gun Intelligence Center Program Project (19951)

\$580,581

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Approvals:

Legal:  Administration: *Megan McGee*
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Budget: 

St. Petersburg City Council
Consent Agenda
Meeting of October 5, 2023

TO: The Honorable Brandi Gabbard, Chair, and Members of City Council

SUBJECT: A resolution authorizing the Mayor or his designee to (I) accept a grant from the U.S. Department of Justice (“DOJ”), Office of Justice Programs (“OJP”) in the maximum reimbursable amount of \$580,581 to fund investigations to reduce firearm violence and (II) to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this transaction; approving a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$580,581 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these additional grant revenues, to the Police Department, Fiscal Support Division (140-1389), Crime Gun Intelligence Center Project (19951); and providing an effective date.

EXPLANATION: The City of St. Petersburg (“CITY”) applied for a grant in the amount of \$580,581. The City will serve as the representative to this grant and will be responsible for the grant over its three-year life cycle. The City will submit expenditure documentation to DOJ for reimbursement of eligible costs. The grant requires no local matching funds. St. Petersburg Police Department will use the funding for investigative overtime, equipment, and a required subaward to a prosecution partner. The grant will fund immediate collection and analysis of crime gun evidence effective October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026.

RECOMMENDATION: The administration recommends that City Council adopt the attached resolution authorizing the Mayor or his designee to accept \$580,581 from the U.S. DOJ OJP to reduce firearm violence and to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this transaction; approving a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$580,581 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these additional grant revenues, to the Police Department, Fiscal Support Division (140-1389), Crime Gun Intelligence Center Project (19951) and providing an effective date.

COST/FUNDING INFORMATION: Revenues of up to \$580,581 are to be received from the DOJ OJP and deposited into the General Fund (0001). Funds will be available after a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$580,581 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these additional grant revenues, to the Police Department, Fiscal Support Division (140-1389), Crime Gun Intelligence Center Project (19951).

Approvals:

Administration: *Megan McGee*

Budget: 

The following page(s) contain the backup material for Agenda Item: Accepting a Statement of Qualifications from Archer Western Construction, LLC. for Construction Manager at Risk (CMAR), Pasadena 36 Inch Force Main Replacement - Phase III project (ECID Project No. 18055-111; Oracle Project No. 16368), for the Engineering and Capital Improvements Department, for pre-construction services in the amount of \$149,320.

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