

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF OF THE CHATTANOOGA POLICE DEPARTMENT (CPD) TO ACCEPT A GRANT FROM THE OFFICE OF VICTIMS OF CRIME (OVC), U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO ENHANCE LAW ENFORCEMENT RESPONSE TO VICTIMS (ELERV), WHEREIN THE OVC WILL REIMBURSE THE CPD UP TO ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000.00) EACH YEAR, FOR THE NEXT THREE (3) YEARS, FOR AN AMOUNT UP TO THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$300,000.00).

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That the Chief of the Chattanooga Police Department (CPD) is hereby authorized to accept a grant from the Office of Victims of Crime (OVC), U.S. Department of Justice to Enhance Law Enforcement Response to Victims (ELERV), wherein the OVC will reimburse the CPD up to \$100,000.00 each year, for the next three (3) years, for an amount up to \$300,000.00.

ADOPTED: _____, 2015

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City of Chattanooga



Resolution/Ordinance Request Form

Date Prepared: 11/09/2015

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Department: Police

Brief Description of Purpose for Resolution/Ordinance: Res./Ord. # _____ Council District # _____

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Name of Vendor/Contractor/Grant, etc.	<u>ELERV GRANT</u>	New Contract/Project? (Yes or No)	<u>Yes</u>
Total project cost	\$ <u>300,000</u>	Funds Budgeted? (YES or NO)	<u>NO</u>
Total City of Chattanooga Portion	\$ _____	Provide Fund	_____
City Amount Funded	\$ _____	Provide Cost Center	_____
New City Funding Required	\$ _____	Proposed Funding Source if not budgeted	_____
City's Match Percentage	% _____	Grant Period (if applicable)	_____

List all other funding sources and amount for each contributor.

Amount(s)	Grantor(s)
\$ _____	_____
\$ _____	_____
\$ _____	_____

Agency Grant Number _____

CFDA Number if known _____

Other comments: (Include contingency amount, contractor, and other information useful in preparing resolution)

Approved by: _____

Reviewed by: FINANCE OFFICE

DESIGNATED OFFICIAL/ADMINISTRATOR

Please submit completed form to @budget, City Attorney and City Finance Officer

Revised: October, 2011



IACP NEWS

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IACP Announces Grant Recipients

Alexandria, VA – The International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) is pleased to announce that it will be working with three agencies for the *Service, Support & Justice: A Strategy to Enhance Law Enforcement Response to Victims Initiative*, a multi-year demonstration project funded by the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC), U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ). The **City of Chattanooga Police Department (TN)**, Saginaw Police Department (MI), and Casper Police Department (WY) were selected following a rigorous peer review process and further vetting by OVC, the National Institute of Justice (NIJ), and IACP.

In 2009, the IACP released a national strategy and resource toolkit to enhance law enforcement's response to victims. Under the Enhancing Law Enforcement Response to Victims (ELERV) initiative, funded by OVC, the national Strategy and accompanying resources were developed, pilot-tested, and validated over the course of several years. While the ELERV initiative provided a strong direction to law enforcement agencies, the Strategy was never formally evaluated.

In this next phase of the project, the overarching goal is to evaluate the ELERV Strategy and to determine whether it is evidence-based. The selected sites will implement the ELERV Strategy with training and technical assistance from the IACP. At the same time, the implementation of the ELERV Strategy will be evaluated to determine its effectiveness in creating a cultural transformation within the selected law enforcement communities in their response to victims of crime.

Demonstration sites will be reimbursed by OVC for up to \$100,000 each year for the next three years to support their agency's participation in the initiative.

For more information, please contact Christina Horst at horstc@theiacp.org or 703-647-6837.

About the International Association of Chiefs of Police

The International Association of Chiefs of Police is the world's largest association of law enforcement executives. With over 23,000 members in more than 98 countries, the IACP serves as the professional voice of law enforcement. Building on their past success, the IACP addresses cutting edge issues confronting law enforcement through advocacy, programs and research, as well as training and other professional services. IACP is a comprehensive professional organization that supports the law enforcement leaders of today and develops the leaders of tomorrow.

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