

CITY OF NORTH LAS VEGAS MEETING

AGENDA ITEM

NUMBER: 6.

SUBJECT:

Authorize Submittal of Application and Acceptance of the Resulting Grant Award from the State of Nevada, Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services for FY2021, Under FY 2021-2022 Victims of Crime Act Program in the Total Amount of \$188,524; Grant Funds in the Amount of \$150,740 and a Local In-Kind Match in the Amount of \$37,784 for the Victim Advocacy Program for the Police Department. (Citywide) (For Possible Action)

REQUESTED BY:

Pamela Ojeda, Chief of Police, Police

WARD:

Citywide

RECOMMENDATION OR RECOMMEND MOTION:

Approve Submission and Accept resulting award of a grant in the amount of not to exceed \$150,740 from the State of Nevada, Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services, under the FFY2022 Victim of Crime Act Program; and Authorize the City Manager or his Designee to Execute the Grant Application and Award Documents.

FISCAL IMPACT:

AMOUNT: \$ 37,784

EXPLANATION:

Grant Provides Funds for Salaries and Benefits and other Related Items for Victim Assistance for Victim Advocates to Serve Victims in the City of North Las Vegas.

Amount: \$ 188,524

Grant funds: \$ 150,740

In-kind match: \$ 37,784

Explanation: A Local In-Kind Match of \$ 37,784 is Required and Funds will be Budgeted in the Police Department FY21-22 Budget

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

200-400214

STAFF COMMENTS AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Police Department Currently Provides Victim Advocacy Services to the North Las Vegas Community. Under the Current VOCA Grant Funding, the Victim Advocacy Program Supports 1.75 Victim Advocates. The Advocates Provide a Wide Range of Services to Victims of Crime Including Providing Information on Victim Rights, Referral to other Support Agencies, General Counseling, Assistance with Filing Protective Orders, and other Requirements Encountered During the Judicial Process.

The Grant Award Will Provide \$150,740 for FY 2021-2022, and Requires a Local Match Amount of \$37,784.

CIP No.		Related Item:	
LIST CITY COUNCIL GOAL(S): Safe and Livable Community			
PREPARED BY:		Respectfully Submitted	MEETING DATE:
Pamela Ojeda		Ryann Juden	3/17/2021
Police Chief		City Manager	