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AGENDA COVER MEMO

Memorandum Date: September 16, 2010

Order Date: October 5, 2010

TO: Board of County Commissioners

DEPARTMENT: Sheriff's Office

PRESENTED BY: Russel E. Burger, Sheriff

AGENDA ITEM TITLE: ORDER _____ /IN THE MATTER OF ACCEPTING A DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (DOJ) AWARD IN THE AMOUNT OF \$500,000, DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN GRANT DOCUMENTS, AND APPROPRIATING \$500,000 IN REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES IN SPECIAL REVENUE FUND 260, PUBLIC SAFETY

I. MOTION

Move to Accept a Department of Justice Award in the Amount of \$500,000 and to Delegate Authority To the County Administrator To Sign Grant Documents and to Appropriate \$500,000 in Revenue and Expenditures in Special Revenue Fund 260, Public Safety.

II. AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

The Board is asked to accept a \$500,000 award from the Department of Justice and to delegate authority to the County Administrator to sign grant documents. In addition, the grant funds need to be appropriated in the Public Safety Special Revenue Fund.

III. BACKGROUND/IMPLICATIONS OF ACTION

A. Board Action and Other History

This grant is the result of the United Front federal advocacy effort for 2009. The Board approved the United Front priorities in January 2009, Board Order 09-1-28-20. Lane County Sheriff's Office requested and was awarded \$500,000 for Public Safety Equipment and Technology improvements. This is a collaborative effort with the City of Eugene. The City will receive funds to help equip a training

simulator at the Regional Training Center.

B. Policy Issues

Departments must seek Board approval of grant awards that exceed \$100,000.

C. Board Goals

This request is in keeping with Board's Strategic Direction to "pursue intergovernmental revenue".

D. Financial and/or Resource Considerations

This grant provides revenue to purchase and install security equipment at the jail. Grant funds will also fund staff training in the use of the new equipment. Radio docking stations will be installed in vehicles used by Probation Officers to improve communication with Dispatch while in the field. Other than the training associated with the new equipment, the grant provides no funding for personnel. The equipment to be purchased with grant funds was not scheduled for purchase or budgeted for. The grant allows the Sheriff's Office the ability to purchase modern technological equipment that would not have been possible without grant funds.

E. Analysis

Public Safety agencies in Lane County have a long history of collaboration in providing efficient and effective services to the public. Examples include a shared criminal justice/public safety database and Dispatch system and a shared, fully interoperable wide-area radio system. This grant request was another example of interagency partnership as it addressed issues that impact all law enforcement agencies in the county – training, security and officer safety.

There are three components to the proposal: 1) expand video surveillance and recording technology and perimeter security to improve safety of staff, inmates, and officers visiting the Lane County Adult Corrections complex, 2) integrate Parole and Probation officers into the regional interoperable radio system to increase the safety of the officers as they work in the community, and 3) further develop a regional command training and simulation center to provide an immersive, hands-on environment for training in incident command, emergency response, and disaster preparedness for regional law enforcement agencies.

The project will replace 75 existing cameras and add at least 35 additional cameras in and around the adult corrections facility complex. These cameras will pan, tilt, and zoom and will significantly increase observation throughout and around the facility. A RAID (Redundant Array of Independent Disks) system will triple the amount of electronic storage and memory capacity and meet state

guidelines to be able to recall information that is at least 30 days old. Staff will be trained in the use of the cameras and in the storage and retrieval of recorded images.

Gaps in the perimeter fence will be eliminated with additional fencing and razor wire and electronic security gates will be added. For increased safety of Probation Officers, radio docking stations will be installed in vehicles. In addition, this project will help equip a learning environment to train public safety responders in a realistic environment. The award provides the City of Eugene \$66,666.68 towards the development of a training simulator.

The following information is required prior to approval of grant applications:

1. What is the match requirement?

There is no match requirement.

2. Will the grant require expenditures for Material & Services or capital not fully paid by the grant?

The grant does not cover M&S. However, only a very small amount of the grant is for training and M&S costs associated with these costs can be covered by existing funds.

3. Will grant funds be fully expended before county funds need to be spent?

No

4. How will the administrative work of the grant be covered if grant funds don't cover it?

Sheriff's Office Fiscal staff will cover the required administrative work. The grant is for one-year only.

5. Have grant stakeholders been informed of the grant sun setting policy?

All participants are aware that this is a one-time, one-year grant award.

6.& 7. What accounting, auditing and evaluation obligations are imposed by the grant? Who will do it?

The grant requires the usual quarterly financial and programmatic reporting. The work will be handled by LCSO staff.

8. Are there restrictions against applying the county full cost indirect charge?

We did not request indirects as grant funds are being used to purchase equipment, not personnel.

9. Are there unique or unusual conditions that trigger additional county work effort or liability such as supplanting or indemnity obligations?

Grant funds must supplement existing local funds, not supplant. County funds cannot be diverted for other uses due to receipt of this award.

10. Grant involving technology issues require Information Services department review and approval prior to submission by the Board.

IS and LCSO staff are working on implementation and installation issues associated with receipt of the grant. It is important to complete acceptance of the grant award in a timely manner while these issues are resolved.

F. Alternatives/Options

1. Accept the DOJ Award in the amount of \$500,000.
2. Do not accept the DOJ Award.

IV. TIMING/IMPLEMENTATION

Upon Board approval, the County Administrator will sign the grant award documents. Once final approval is received, work on the various components of the grant can begin.

V. RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board accept the DOJ grant award in the amount of \$500,000.

VI. ATTACHMENTS

1. Board Order

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, LANE COUNTY, OREGON

RESOLUTION)
AND ORDER:) ORDER _____ / In The Matter Of Accepting A
) Department Of Justice Award In The Amount Of \$500,000,
) Delegating Authority To The County Administrator To Sign Grant
) Documents, And Appropriating \$500,000 In Revenue And
) Expenditures In Special Revenue Fund 260, Public Safety

WHEREAS, Lane County has significant and ongoing financial needs; and

WHEREAS, the Board approved advocating for a set of programs and projects through the United Front effort; and

WHEREAS, Senators Ron Wyden and Jeff Merkley, and Representative Peter DeFazio provided support for the Public Safety requests, and

WHEREAS, Public Safety Equipment and Technology Improvements was one of the approved projects; and;

WHEREAS, the Department of Justice has awarded Lane County \$500,000; and

WHEREAS, the grant application specifies the equipment to be purchased and the cost of installation and training; and

WHEREAS, a Memorandum of Understanding with the City of Eugene specifies the equipment to be purchased with grant funds for a training simulator;

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the Lane County Board of Commissioners approve accepting the Department of Justice award in the amount of \$500,000 and delegate authority to the County Administrator to sign grant documents, and appropriate \$500,000 in revenue and expenditures in Program 260.

Fund 260 Public Safety

Revenue	+\$500,000
Expenditures	+\$500,000

Effective date: _____ day of _____ 2010.

Bill Fleenor, Chair
Lane County Board of County Commissioners



Department of Justice
Office of Justice Programs

Office of the Assistant Attorney General

Washington, D.C. 20531

September 9, 2010

Mr. Jeff Spartz
Lane County
125 E. 8th Avenue
Eugene, OR 97401

Dear Mr. Spartz:

On behalf of Attorney General Eric Holder, it is my pleasure to inform you that the Office of Justice Programs has approved your application for funding under the FY 10 Congressionally Selected in the amount of \$500,000 for Lane County.

Enclosed you will find the Grant Award and Special Conditions documents. This award is subject to all administrative and financial requirements, including the timely submission of all financial and programmatic reports, resolution of all interim audit findings, and the maintenance of a minimum level of cash-on-hand. Should you not adhere to these requirements, you will be in violation of the terms of this agreement and the award will be subject to termination for cause or other administrative action as appropriate.

If you have questions regarding this award, please contact:

- Program Questions, Barry Roberts, Program Manager at (202) 616-1144; and
- Financial Questions, the Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Customer Service Center (CSC) at (800) 458-0786, or you may contact the CSC at ask.ocfo@usdoj.gov.

Congratulations, and we look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Laurie Robinson", is written over a horizontal line.

Laurie Robinson
Assistant Attorney General

Enclosures



Department of Justice
Office of Justice Programs
Office for Civil Rights

Washington, D.C. 20531

September 9, 2010

Mr. Jeff Spartz
Lane County
125 E. 8th Avenue
Eugene, OR 97401

Dear Mr. Spartz:

Congratulations on your recent award. In establishing financial assistance programs, Congress linked the receipt of Federal funding to compliance with Federal civil rights laws. The Office for Civil Rights (OCR), Office of Justice Programs (OJP), U.S. Department of Justice is responsible for ensuring that recipients of financial aid from OJP, its component offices and bureaus, the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), and the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) comply with applicable Federal civil rights statutes and regulations. We at OCR are available to help you and your organization meet the civil rights requirements that come with Justice Department funding.

Ensuring Access to Federally Assisted Programs

As you know, Federal laws prohibit recipients of financial assistance from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, or disability in funded programs or activities, not only in respect to employment practices but also in the delivery of services or benefits. Federal law also prohibits funded programs or activities from discriminating on the basis of age in the delivery of services or benefits.

Providing Services to Limited English Proficiency (LEP) Individuals

In accordance with Department of Justice Guidance pertaining to Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, recipients of Federal financial assistance must take reasonable steps to provide meaningful access to their programs and activities for persons with limited English proficiency (LEP). For more information on the civil rights responsibilities that recipients have in providing language services to LEP individuals, please see the website at <http://www.lep.gov>.

Ensuring Equal Treatment for Faith-Based Organizations

The Department of Justice has published a regulation specifically pertaining to the funding of faith-based organizations. In general, the regulation, *Participation in Justice Department Programs by Religious Organizations; Providing for Equal Treatment of all Justice Department Program Participants*, and known as the *Equal Treatment Regulation* 28 C.F.R. part 38, requires State Administering Agencies to treat these organizations the same as any other applicant or recipient. The regulation prohibits State Administering Agencies from making award or grant administration decisions on the basis of an organization's religious character or affiliation, religious name, or the religious composition of its board of directors.

The regulation also prohibits faith-based organizations from using financial assistance from the Department of Justice to fund inherently religious activities. While faith-based organizations can engage in non-funded inherently religious activities, they must be held separately from the Department of Justice funded programs, and customers or beneficiaries cannot be compelled to participate in them. The *Equal Treatment Regulation* also makes clear that organizations participating in programs funded by the Department of Justice are not permitted to discriminate in the provision of services on the basis of a beneficiary's religion. For more information on the regulation, please see OCR's website at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/etfbo.htm>.

State Administering Agencies and faith-based organizations should also note that the *Safe Streets Act*, as amended; the *Victims of Crime Act*, as amended; and the *Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act*, as amended, contain prohibitions against discrimination on the basis of religion in employment. Despite these nondiscrimination provisions, the Justice Department has concluded that the *Religious Freedom Restoration Act (RFRA)* is reasonably construed, on a case-by-case basis, to require that its funding agencies permit faith-based organizations applying for funding under the applicable program statutes both to receive DOJ funds and to continue considering religion when hiring staff, even if the statute that authorizes the funding program generally forbids considering of religion in employment decisions by grantees.

Questions about the regulation or the application of RFRA to the statutes that prohibit discrimination in employment may be directed to this Office.

Enforcing Civil Rights Laws

All recipients of Federal financial assistance, regardless of the particular funding source, the amount of the grant award, or the number of employees in the workforce, are subject to the prohibitions against unlawful discrimination. Accordingly, OCR investigates recipients that are the subject of discrimination complaints from both individuals and groups. In addition, based on regulatory criteria, OCR selects a number of recipients each year for compliance reviews, audits that require recipients to submit data showing that they are providing services equitably to all segments of their service population and that their employment practices meet equal employment opportunity standards.

Complying with the Safe Streets Act or Program Requirements

In addition to these general prohibitions, an organization which is a recipient of financial assistance subject to the nondiscrimination provisions of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act (Safe Streets Act) of 1968, 42 U.S.C. § 3789d(c), or other Federal grant program requirements, must meet two additional requirements: (1) complying with Federal regulations pertaining to the development of an Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (EEO), 28 C.F.R. § 42.301-.308, and (2) submitting to OCR Findings of Discrimination (see 28 C.F.R. §§ 42.205(5) or 31.202(5)).

1) Meeting the EEO Requirement

In accordance with Federal regulations, Assurance No. 6 in the Standard Assurances, COPS Assurance No. 8.B, or certain Federal grant program requirements, your organization must comply with the following EEO reporting requirements:

If your organization has received an award for \$500,000 or more and has 50 or more employees (counting both full- and part-time employees but excluding political appointees), then it has to prepare an EEO and submit it to OCR for review within 60 days from the date of this letter. For assistance in developing an EEO, please consult OCR's website at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/eeop.htm>. You may also request technical assistance from an EEO specialist at OCR by dialing (202) 616-3208.

If your organization received an award between \$25,000 and \$500,000 and has 50 or more employees, your organization still has to prepare an EEO, but it does not have to submit the EEO to OCR for review. Instead, your organization has to maintain the EEO on file and make it available for review on request. In addition, your organization has to complete Section B of the Certification Form and return it to OCR. The Certification Form can be found at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/eeop.htm>.

If your organization received an award for less than \$25,000; or if your organization has less than 50 employees, regardless of the amount of the award; or if your organization is a medical institution, educational institution, nonprofit organization or Indian tribe, then your organization is exempt from the EEO requirement. However, your organization must complete Section A of the Certification Form and return it to OCR. The Certification Form can be found at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/eeop.htm>.

2) Submitting Findings of Discrimination

In the event a Federal or State court or Federal or State administrative agency makes an adverse finding of discrimination against your organization after a due process hearing, on the ground of race, color, religion, national origin, or sex, your organization must submit a copy of the finding to OCR for review.

Ensuring the Compliance of Subrecipients

If your organization makes subawards to other agencies, you are responsible for assuring that subrecipients also comply with all of the applicable Federal civil rights laws, including the requirements pertaining to developing and submitting an EEO, reporting Findings of Discrimination, and providing language services to LEP persons. State agencies that make subawards must have in place standard grant assurances and review procedures to demonstrate that they are effectively monitoring the civil rights compliance of subrecipients.



If we can assist you in any way in fulfilling your civil rights responsibilities as a recipient of Federal funding, please call OCR at (202) 367-0690 or visit our website at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/>.

Sincerely,



Michael L. Alston
Director

cc: Grant Manager
Financial Analyst

 <p>Department of Justice Office of Justice Programs Bureau of Justice Assistance</p>	<p>Grant</p>	<p>PAGE 1 OF 3</p>																
<p>1. RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS (Including Zip Code)</p> <p>Lane County 125 E. 8th Avenue Eugene, OR 97401</p>	<p>4. AWARD NUMBER: 2010-DD-BX-0621</p> <p>5. PROJECT PERIOD: FROM 10/01/2010 TO 09/30/2013 BUDGET PERIOD: FROM 10/01/2010 TO 09/30/2013</p> <p>6. AWARD DATE 09/09/2010</p> <p>7. ACTION</p>																	
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<p>3. PROJECT TITLE Regional Shared Public Safety Technology Improvements, City of Eugene and Lane County</p>	<p>9. PREVIOUS AWARD AMOUNT \$ 0</p> <p>10. AMOUNT OF THIS AWARD \$ 500,000</p> <p>11. TOTAL AWARD \$ 500,000</p>																	
<p>12. SPECIAL CONDITIONS</p> <p>THE ABOVE GRANT PROJECT IS APPROVED SUBJECT TO SUCH CONDITIONS OR LIMITATIONS AS ARE SET FORTH ON THE ATTACHED PAGE(S).</p>																		
<p>13. STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR GRANT</p> <p>This project is supported under Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 2010 (Pub. L. No. 111-117)</p>																		
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AWARD DATE 09/09/2010

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. The recipient agrees to comply with the financial and administrative requirements set forth in the current edition of the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) Financial Guide.
2. The recipient acknowledges that failure to submit an acceptable Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (if recipient is required to submit one pursuant to 28 C.F.R. Section 42.302), that is approved by the Office for Civil Rights, is a violation of its Certified Assurances and may result in suspension or termination of funding, until such time as the recipient is in compliance.
3. The recipient agrees to comply with the organizational audit requirements of OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, and further understands and agrees that funds may be withheld, or other related requirements may be imposed, if outstanding audit issues (if any) from OMB Circular A-133 audits (and any other audits of OJP grant funds) are not satisfactorily and promptly addressed, as further described in the current edition of the OJP Financial Guide, Chapter 19.
4. Recipient understands and agrees that it cannot use any federal funds, either directly or indirectly, in support of the enactment, repeal, modification or adoption of any law, regulation or policy, at any level of government, without the express prior written approval of OJP.
5. The recipient must promptly refer to the DOJ OIG any credible evidence that a principal, employee, agent, contractor, subgrantee, subcontractor, or other person has either 1) submitted a false claim for grant funds under the False Claims Act; or 2) committed a criminal or civil violation of laws pertaining to fraud, conflict of interest, bribery, gratuity, or similar misconduct involving grant funds. This condition also applies to any subrecipients. Potential fraud, waste, abuse, or misconduct should be reported to the OIG by -

mail:

Office of the Inspector General
U.S. Department of Justice
Investigations Division
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Room 4706
Washington, DC 20530

e-mail: oig.hotline@usdoj.gov

hotline: (contact information in English and Spanish): (800) 869-4499

or hotline fax: (202) 616-9881

Additional information is available from the DOJ OIG website at www.usdoj.gov/oig.

6. Recipient understands and agrees that it cannot use any federal funds, either directly or indirectly, in support of any contract or subaward to either the Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (ACORN) or its subsidiaries, without the express prior written approval of OJP.
7. The recipient agrees to comply with any additional requirements that may be imposed during the grant performance period if the agency determines that the recipient is a high-risk grantee. Cf. 28 C.F.R. parts 66, 70



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SPECIAL CONDITIONS

8. In accordance with applicable law, the recipient shall not use these funds for any of the following purposes:
 1. land acquisition,
 2. construction projects; or
 3. security enhancements or security equipment to non-governmental entities that do not engage in law enforcement, law enforcement support, criminal or juvenile justice, or delinquency prevention.
9. Recipient understands and agrees that it must submit quarterly Federal Financial Reports (SF-425) and semi-annual performance reports through GMS (<https://grants.ojp.usdoj.gov>), and that it must submit quarterly performance metrics reports through BJA's Performance Measurement Tool (PMT) website (www.bjaperformancetools.org). For more detailed information on reporting and other requirements, refer to BJA's website. Failure to submit required reports by established deadlines may result in the freezing of grant funds and High Risk designation.
10. The recipient agrees to cooperate with any assessments, national evaluation efforts, or information or data collection requests, including, but not limited to, the provision of any information required for the assessment or evaluation of any activities within this project.
12. With respect to this award, federal funds may not be used to pay cash compensation (salary plus bonuses) to any employee of the award recipient at a rate that exceeds 110% of the maximum annual salary payable to a member of the federal government's Senior Executive Service (SES) at an agency with a Certified SES Performance Appraisal System for that year. (An award recipient may compensate an employee at a higher rate, provided the amount in excess of this compensation limitation is paid with non-federal funds.)

This limitation on compensation rates allowable under this award may be waived on an individual basis at the discretion of the OJP official indicated in the program announcement under which this award is made.
13. The recipient may not obligate, expend or draw down funds until the Office of the Chief Financial Officer (OCFO) has approved the budget and budget narrative and a Grant Adjustment Notice (GAN) has been issued to remove this special condition.
14. All contracts under this award should be competitively awarded unless circumstances preclude competition. When a contract amount exceeds \$100,000 and there has been no competition for the award, the recipient must comply with rules governing sole source procurement found in the current edition of the OJP Financial Guide.
15. Approval of this award does not indicate approval of any consultant rate in excess of \$450 per day. A detailed justification must be submitted to and approved by the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) program office prior to obligation or expenditure of such funds.
16. Pursuant to Executive Order 13513, "Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging While Driving," 74 Fed. Reg. 51225 (October 1, 2009), the Department encourages recipients and sub-recipients to adopt and enforce policies banning employees from text messaging while driving any vehicle during the course of performing work funded by this grant, and to establish workplace safety policies and conduct education, awareness, and other outreach to decrease crashes caused by distracted drivers.



Department of Justice
Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance

Washington, D.C. 20531

Memorandum To: Official Grant File
From: Orbin Terry, NEPA Coordinator
Subject: Categorical Exclusion for Lane County

The Edward Byrne Memorial Discretionary Grants Program helps local communities improve the capacity of local justice systems and provides for national support efforts. Awards under this program will be used to effectively plan, manage, and allocate resources to encourage information sharing to reduce the incidence of crime and drug abuse, to provide responsive law enforcement services to enhance local courts, and to enhance local corrections and offender reentry.

None of the following activities will be conducted whether under the Office of Justice Programs federal action or a related third party action:

- (1) New construction.
- (2) Renovation or remodeling of a property either (a) listed on or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places or (b) located within a 100-year flood plain.
- (3) A renovation which will change the basic prior use of a facility or significantly change its size.
- (4) Research and technology whose anticipated and future application could be expected to have an effect on the environment.
- (5) Implementation of a program involving the use of chemicals.

Consequently, the subject federal action meets the Office of Justice Programs' criteria for a categorical exclusion as contained in paragraph 4(b) of Appendix D to Part 61 of the Code of Federal Regulations. Additionally, the proposed action is neither a phase nor a segment of a project which when reviewed in its entirety would not meet the criteria for a categorical exclusion.



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**GRANT MANAGER'S MEMORANDUM, PT. I:
PROJECT SUMMARY**

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This project is supported under Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 2010 (Pub. L. No. 111-117)

1. STAFF CONTACT (Name & telephone number)

Barry Roberts
(202) 616-1144

2. PROJECT DIRECTOR (Name, address & telephone number)

Janice Gotchall
Management Analyst
125 E. 8th Avenue
Eugene, OR 97401-2926
(541) 682-3705

3a. TITLE OF THE PROGRAM

BJA FY 10 Congressionally Selected

**3b. POMS CODE (SEE INSTRUCTIONS
ON REVERSE)**

4. TITLE OF PROJECT

Regional Shared Public Safety Technology Improvements, City of Eugene and Lane County

5. NAME & ADDRESS OF GRANTEE

Lane County
125 E. 8th Avenue
Eugene, OR 97401

6. NAME & ADDRESS OF SUBGRANTEE

7. PROGRAM PERIOD

FROM: 10/01/2010 TO: 09/30/2013

8. BUDGET PERIOD

FROM: 10/01/2010 TO: 09/30/2013

9. AMOUNT OF AWARD

\$ 500,000

10. DATE OF AWARD

09/09/2010

11. SECOND YEAR'S BUDGET

12. SECOND YEAR'S BUDGET AMOUNT

13. THIRD YEAR'S BUDGET PERIOD

14. THIRD YEAR'S BUDGET AMOUNT

15. SUMMARY DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT (See instruction on reverse)

The Congressionally Recommended Awards Program, authorized by the Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 2010 (Pub. L. 111-117), helps improve the functioning of the criminal justice system, prevent or combat juvenile delinquency, and/or assist victims of crime (other than compensation). Funds should be used for the projects recommended by Congress, in the amounts specified in the joint explanatory statement incorporated by reference into Pub. L. 111-117, and generally consistent with one or more of the following statutory purposes: improving the functioning of the criminal justice system, preventing or combating juvenile delinquency, or assisting victims of crime (other than compensation). Each of these purposes is framed using language drawn, respectively, from the former Byrne discretionary statute, the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act, the Victims of Crime Act, and the Violence Against Women Act. This project is authorized and funded through a line item in the FY 2010 Congressional Budget and by the joint explanatory statement that is incorporated by reference into the FY2010 Department of Justice Appropriations Act.

Lane County and the City of Eugene will jointly use the FY 2010 Congressionally Recommended Award funds to expand regional training opportunities and increase the security and safety of corrections facilities and probation officers in the field. This project will provide equipment and training. The project has three components: 1) expand video surveillance at Lane County Corrections Complex; 2) integrate probation and parole officers into the regional interoperable radio system; and 3) further develop the training center for training in incident command, emergency response, and disaster preparedness for regional law enforcement agencies. Grant funds will be laid out for training time for trainees for hours spent in training on use of new camera system. Grant funds will also be used for payment to maintenance staff to run the wiring for the new cameras, monitors, and keyboard controls system. Maintenance staff will also be paid to renovate the perimeter fencing. The project will also pay for the training simulator, including two workstations, which will provide realistic scenarios in which emergency responders can learn essential techniques and procedures. Supplies will include cameras, monitors, keyboards, digital video recorders, video manager, backup and storage facility, vehicular adaptors, antennae, speakers, and accessories. Technical contractors will be employed to install the various components of the new security system, including alarms, gates, card readers, video cameras, perimeter security, and to install the computers and portable radios in the probation officers' vehicles.

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IN THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LANE COUNTY, OREGON

ORDER NO. 09-1-28- ~~20~~

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING LANE COUNTY
UNITED FRONT PRIORITIES FOR PURPOSES
OF FEDERAL ADVOCACY AND SECURING
APPROPRIATIONS

WHEREAS, Lane County has significant and ongoing financial needs related to the provision of a wide array of public services and infrastructure development and maintenance; and

WHEREAS, the United States Congress annually appropriates funding for a variety of public improvements and services; and

WHEREAS, Lane County Government employs an independent lobbying firm which specializes in federal advocacy issues located in Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, Lane County partners with a number of other governmental agencies to develop a list of potential projects that benefit the citizens of the region in an effort characterized as the "united front"; and

WHEREAS, a local process is followed to discuss recommended projects that are to be prioritized by each partner; and

WHEREAS, the "united front" annually travels to Washington, DC to mutually promote said projects to federal agencies and policy makers; and

WHEREAS, the "united front" continues to be an effort which results in specific appropriations and grants to the partners of the "united front" which have resulted in improvements to public services delivered to the residents of Lane County.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved, that the Lane County Board of County Commissioners does hereby confirm the following Lane County projects which shall be placed into the document that outlines the projects for purposes of federal advocacy and securing appropriations. Said projects are outlined in Attachment A to this board order.

DATED this ~~2012~~ day of January, 2009.



Pete Sorenson, Chair
Lane County Board of Commissioners

Attachment A
Lane County, Oregon
United Front Projects
January 28, 2009

Primary Policy Priority: Support efforts that seek re-authorization or extension of the "Secure Secure Rural Schools" federal safety net payments beyond FY 2013.

LANE COUNTY- Federal Highway Bill Reauthorization Projects		
<i>Veneta Hwy 126 Corridor Study</i>	Hwy 126 from west Eugene to Veneta has a number of issues related to safety and infrastructure that could be examined simultaneously for recommendation on how to improve this constricted transportation corridor.	\$2 M
<i>Territorial Highway Improvements</i>	Territorial Highway extends for over 40 miles from the Benton to the Douglas County line. The road serves a wide range of freight, tourist, and agricultural traffic uses and is therefore of critical economic importance to Lane County.	\$20 M
LANE COUNTY-FY 10 Appropriations Requests		
Springfield Community Health Center	Expand the physical capacity of three-year-old clinical facility in Springfield, Oregon. Dependent on FY09 Omnibus Appropriations.	\$400,000
Lane Healthy Babies-Healthy Communities Initiative	Lane County Public Health ongoing effort of three collaborative, community-driven fetal-infant mortality task forces working to reduce the fetal-infant mortality rate in Lane County.	\$600,000
Domestic Violence-Pretrial Monitoring Program	Continue Office of Violence Against Women grant to improve victim safety through enforcement of protective orders and intensive supervision. The goal is to ensure defendants who are released have a signed Conditional Release Agreement to increase victim protection and reduce defendant failure to appear for court. The project has increased the use of social support services in the community and maintained a revolving caseload of 30 victims and their families.	\$400,000
Deputy Training: Emergency Mgmt Integration	This project entails adding personnel support to Lane County's Emergency Management function. The Sheriff's Office would add two deputies and corresponding administrative support positions.	\$320,000
Bio-Energy Park	Economic development project where local and regional low-value agricultural and municipal organic wastes will be processed, through a variety of conversion technologies, to produce high value, clean, renewable energy, biofuels and green bio-products.	\$5 M
Lane Farmers Market	Improve local farmers' market with both indoor and outdoor space.	\$1.6 M
Offender Treatment and Transition Program	In-custody, evidence based treatment program for up to 36 local adult sentenced felony and misdemeanor offenders.	\$1.378 M
Public Safety/Emergency Communications & Technology	Add multi-key encryption and SmartZone trucking to 43 Corrections deputies radios that are not interoperable with the radios used by patrol or, parole & probation, and do not meet the P25 standard for digital radio communications for use by federal, state/province and local public safety agencies in North America.	\$500,000