

St. Petersburg City Council

Consent Agenda

Meeting November 10, 2022

TO: The Honorable Gina Driscoll, Chair, and Members of City Council

SUBJECT: A resolution authorizing the Mayor or his designee to accept a U.S. Department of Justice ("DOJ"), Office of Community Oriented Policing ("COPS") grant in the maximum reimbursement amount of \$173,983 to Fund a Community Violence Intervention and Youth Engagement Project; authorizing the Mayor or his designee to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this transaction; approving a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$173,983 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these grant revenues, to the Police Department, Fiscal Support Division (140-1389), COPS Microgrant FY22 Project (19446); and providing an effective date.

EXPLANATION: . The COPS Microgrant ("Grant") has been awarded by DOJ to The City of St. Petersburg ("CITY") in the amount of \$173,983 for this project. The Grant requires no matching funds. The CITY will serve as the representative to this grant and will be responsible for the grant over the year term. The CITY will submit expenditure reports to DOJ for reimbursement of all eligible costs. and the police department.

RECOMMENDATION: The Administration recommends that City Council adopt the attached resolution authorizing the Mayor or his designee to accept a U.S. Department of Justice ("DOJ"), Office of Community Oriented Policing ("COPS") grant in the maximum reimbursement amount of \$173,983 to fund a community violence intervention and youth engagement project; authorizing the Mayor or his designee to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this transaction; approving a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$173,983 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001) resulting from these grant revenues, to the Police Department, Fiscal Support Division (140-1389), COPS Microgrant FY22 Project (19446); and providing an effective date.

COST/FUNDING INFORMATION: Revenues of up to \$173,983 are to be received from the DOJ COPS and deposited into the General Fund (0001). Funds will be available after the approval of a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$173,983 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these grant revenues, to the Police Department, Fiscal Support Division (140-1389), COPS Microgrant FY22 Project (19446).

Attachments: Resolution
Grant Agreement

Approval

Administration:  Budget: Lance Stanford

Resolution No. 2022-_____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ACCEPT A U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ("DOJ"), OFFICE OF COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING ("COPS") GRANT IN THE MAXIMUM REIMBURSEMENT AMOUNT OF \$173,983 TO FUND A COMMUNITY VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND YOUTH ENGAGEMENT PROJECT; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THIS TRANSACTION; APPROVING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$173,983 FROM THE INCREASE IN THE UNAPPROPRIATED BALANCE OF THE GENERAL FUND (0001), RESULTING FROM THESE GRANT REVENUES, TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT, FISCAL SUPPORT DIVISION (140-1389), COPS MICROGRANT FY22 PROJECT (19446); AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of St. Petersburg ("City") applied for and has been awarded a DOJ COPS grant ("Grant") for the period of September 1, 2022 through August 30, 2023, in the maximum reimbursement amount of \$173,983 to fund a community violence intervention and youth engagement project ("Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Project activities are intended to create positive opportunities for youth through sports and academics; and

WHEREAS, the City will submit expenditure documentation to the DOJ for reimbursement of eligible costs; and

WHEREAS, the Grant requires no local matching funds; and

WHEREAS, a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$173,983 from the increase in the unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001) resulting from the 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 accept a U.S. Department of Justice ("DOJ"), Office of Community Oriented Policing ("COPS") grant in the maximum reimbursement amount of \$173,983 to fund a community violence intervention and youth engagement project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor of his designee is hereby authorized to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this transaction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that there is hereby approved from the increase in the

unappropriated balance of the General Fund (0001), resulting from these grant revenues, the following supplemental appropriation for FY23:

General Fund (0001)

Police Department, Fiscal Support Division (140-1389),
COPS Microgrant FY22 Project (19446)

\$173,983

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Approvals:

Legal: Chris Ben Administration: [Signature]

Budget: E Makofske