

RESOLUTION NO. 22028 (N.C.S.)**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF SALINAS ACCEPTING THE 2020 JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT AND THE EXECUTION OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING RELATED TO THIS FUNDING**

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) has established the annual Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Grant (JAG) Program to assist local governments in their efforts to prevent and to control crime and to improve the criminal justice system; and

WHEREAS, the BJA has determined that the City of Salinas and other local jurisdictions are jointly eligible to apply for and to receive funding through the annual JAG Program, which will allow the City and those other jurisdictions to support a broad range of activities to prevent and to control crime based on their own local needs and conditions; and

WHEREAS, the total grant allocation is \$81,318, and the City of Salinas portion is \$64,535 for fiscal year 2020, originally allocated funds to support the configuration of the records management system for NIBRS reporting, as well as a portion of a marked patrol vehicle, purchased and outfitted with safety, light, and other needed equipment. As the vehicle was procured with alternate funds, the grant budget will be modified with BJA to allow those funds to be dedicated toward other allowable purchases, likely related to patrol rifle procurement; and

WHEREAS, Monterey County, as a disparate agency, will receive \$16,783 for fiscal year 2020, to be allocated to purchase in-vehicle tablets to replace its existing mobile computer terminals which are reaching the end of their useful life for the Sheriff's Office, as well as to support training for records personnel in using their updated records management system for NIBRS reporting; and

WHEREAS, the City and the other local participating jurisdictions are obligated to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding in order to maintain their eligibility to apply for and to receive JAG Program funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Salinas City Council authorizes the City Manager and the Chief of Police, or their designees to accept funding in the amount of \$81,318, as administered by the City and County of Monterey, and further authorize the signing of all grant acceptance documents, and authorize the City Manager and the City Attorney to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding between the City and County of Monterey for the 2020 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this authorization shall include all aspects of program operation including any amendments, extension, renewals, or further funding for this program provided funding is made available by BJA, as administered by the City and County of Monterey.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 8th day of December 2020, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers: Barrera, Cromeenes, González, McShane, Osornio, Rocha and Mayor Craig

NOES: None

ABSENT: None


ABSTAIN: None

APPROVED:

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Patricia M. Barajas, City Clerk