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July 16, 2020

Honorable Andrew Joyce Legislative Clerk's Office 112 State Street, Room 710 Albany, New York 12207

Dear Mr. Joyce:

The attached correspondence is forwarded for presentation to the Albany County Legislature.

Legislative approval is being requested to enter into an intergovernmental agreement in which Albany County relinquishes claim to funds from the 2020 Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program Award and authorizes the City of Albany to accept and allocate these grant funds for various law enforcement programs.

The amount of the award is \$63,358.00, of which there is no fiduciary responsibility to the County of Albany.

This process was previously approved by the Albany County Legislature for a 2019 award in resolution 2019-433.

Should there be any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Att.

Cc: Hon. Daniel P. McCoy, County Executive
Hon. William Clay, Public Safety Chairman
Hon. Wanda Willingham, Audit & Finance Committee
Brandon Russell, Esq., Majority Counsel
Arnis Zilgme, Esq., Minority Counsel
Christian Barnes, Minority Conference

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Miller, Doug

From:

Justice, BJA <ojp@public.govdelivery.com>

Sent:

Thursday, July 9, 2020 5:50 PM

To:

Miller, Doug

Subject:

Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 Local Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG)

Program announcement

The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) is pleased to announce that FY 2020 Local JAG Program funding information is now available and appears on the **BJA JAG web page**.

IMPORTANT UPDATE for FY 2020 Local JAG: There will be two distinct categories to apply under in FY 2020: Category 1 – Less than \$25,000 and Category 2 - \$25,000 and above. If your unit of local government is eligible for an award amount of less than \$25,000, please ensure an application is submitted under Category 1 (less than \$25,000). If your unit of local government is eligible for an award of \$25,000 or more, please ensure an application is submitted under Category 2 (\$25,000 and above).

Please note that this email is being sent to a large group of potential Local JAG applicants and does not necessarily confirm your jurisdict ion's eligibility under the FY 2020 Local JAG Program.

Eligible jurisdictions under FY 2020 Local JAG are limited to units of local government appearing on the FY 2020 Local JAG Allocations list (please see the <u>BJA JAG web page</u>). Please verify your eligibility, and if eligible, review the associated FY 2020 Local JAG solicitation and submit an application for funding through the Office of Justice Program's (OJP) <u>Grants Management System (GMS)</u> by 11:59pm Eastern on Wednesday, August 19, 2020.

Applications must be submitted by the stated deadline, regardless of whether the Certifications and Assurances by Chief Executive (CE) of Applicant Government has been completed and attached. BJA will add a withholding of funds special condition to the award for any missing or incomplete items; including the aforementioned CE certification. Please note that BJA does not anticipate having time to extend the Local JAG deadline for application submission this year.

This is an unmonitored email account, please do not respond directly. For questions related to the JAG solicitation, please contact the National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS) Response Center: toll-free at 1-800-851-3420; via TTY at 301-240-6310 (hearing impaired only); email grants@ncjrs.gov; fax to 301-240-5830; or web chat at https://webcontact.ncjrs.gov/ncjchat/chat.jsp. The NCJRS Response Center hours of operation are 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. eastern time, Monday through Friday and 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. eastern time on the solicitation close date. You may also contact the State Policy Advisor assigned to your jurisdiction.

Please contact the GMS Help Desk at 1-888-549-9901 (Option 3) prior to the deadline if you experience any technical difficulties with submission.

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2020 NEW YORK LOCALIAG AU OCATIONS

Listed below are all jurisdictions in the state that are eligible for FY 2020 JAG funding, as determined by the JAG formula. For additional details regarding the JAG formula and award calculation process, with examples, please refer to the JAG Technical report here: https://www.bja.gov/Jag/pdfs/JAG-Technical-Report.pdf and current JAG Frequently Asked Questions here: https://www.bja.gov/Funding/JAGFAQ.pdf.

Finding your jurisdiction:

- (1) Disparate jurisdictions are listed in shaded groups below, in alphabetic order by county.
- (2) Direct allocations are listed alphabetically below the shaded, disparate groupings.
- (3) Counties that have an asterisk (*) under the "Direct Allocation" column did not submit the level of violent crime data to qualify for a direct award from BJA, but are in the disparate grouping indicated by the shaded area. The JAG legislation requires these counties to remain a partner with the local jurisdictions receiving funds and must be a signatory on the required Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). A sample MOU is provided online at: https://www.bja.gov/Funding/JAGMOU.pdf. Disparate jurisdictions do not need to abide by the listed individual allocations, which are provided for information only. Jurisdictions in a funding disparity are responsible for determining individual allocations in the MOU.

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NY	CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY	County	345,055	\$25,855
NY	JAMESTOWN CITY	Municipal	\$16,094	\$16,094
NY NY	DUTCHESS COUNTY POUGHKEEPSIE CITY	County Municipal	\$16,467	\$16,467
NY	ERIE COUNTY	County	•	
NY NY	BUFFALO CITY CHEEKTOWAGA TOWN	Municipal Township	\$202,667 \$13,834	\$216,501
NY NY	JEFFERSON COUNTY WATERTOWN CITY	County Municipal	\$12,294	\$12,294
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NY	ROCHESTER CITY	Municipal	\$132,429	\$147,331
NY NY	NIAGARA COUNTY NIAGARA FALLS CITY	County Municipal	\$37,926	\$37,926
NY NY	ONEIDA COUNTY UTICA CITY	County Municipal	* \$27,420	\$27,420
NY	ONONDAGA COUNTY	Срипту	\$19,859	
NY NY	SYRACUSE CITY ORANGE COUNTY	Municipal County	\$76,447	\$90,306
NY	NEWBURGH CITY	Municipal	\$26,799	\$26,799
NY NY	RENSSELAER COUNTY TROY CITY	County Municipal	\$24,737	\$24,737
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NY	SCHENECTADY CITY	Municipal	\$44,631.	\$44,631
NY NY NY	WESTCHESTER COUNTY MOUNT VERNON CITY NEW ROCHELLE CITY	County Municipal Municipal	\$30,971 \$30,971	
NY	YONKERS CITY	Municipal Municipal	\$11,301 \$61,073	\$103,345
NY	GREECE TOWN	Township	\$13,760	
NY	HEMPSTEAD VILLAGE	Municipal	\$26,178	
NY	NASSAU COUNTY	County	\$81,464	
NY NY	NEW YORK CITY SUFFOLK COUNTY	Municipal County	\$3,518,611 \$106,748	
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	Local total		\$4,599,729	

RESOLUTION NO. 433

AUTHORIZING AN INTERMUNICIPAL AGREEMENT REGARDING THE BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDING

Introduced: 10/15/19 By Public Safety Committee:

WHEREAS, The New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) has indicated that federal grants such as the Byrne Justice Assistance Grant offer local governments an option to pass through funding, thereby allowing the State to directly coordinate with the grantee, and

WHEREAS, The Albany County Sheriff has indicated that the County of Albany has been awarded federal funding through the Byrne Justice Assistance Grant Program in the amount of \$66,741, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has requested authorization to enter into an intermunicipal agreement between Albany County and the City of Albany allowing for a pass through waiver regarding grant funding in the amount of \$66,741 and collaboration in utilizing said grant funds to enhance various City law enforcement programs, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has indicated by executing a pass-through waiver the County will avoid any fiduciary responsibility regarding the grant funding accepted by the City of Albany, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an inter-municipal agreement with the City of Albany providing for the waiver and a pass-through of funding related to the DCJS Byrne Justice Assistance Grant Program in the amount of \$66,741 to the City of Albany for various law enforcement purposes, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate City and County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote - 10/15/19