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City Council
Sacramento, California

Honorable Members in Session:

SUBJECT: Application for Community Crime Resistance Program Grant; \$100,000

LOCATION AND COUNCIL DISTRICT:

Stockton Boulevard Resource Center; Del Paso Community Center; Council Districts 1, 2, 5, and 6

RECOMMENDATION:

This is an information only report regarding the application for the Community Crime Resistance Program grant funding offered by the State of California, Office of Criminal Justice Planning (OCJP). Due to the short deadline from OCJP, this staff report is presented to City Council after grant submittal. The purpose of the grant program is to reduce crime and juvenile delinquency while increasing the City of Sacramento's quality of life. The amount of the grant award is expected to be \$100,000. A ten percent cash match is required for the first year and will be apportioned on a 50/50 basis between the Police Department and the Neighborhood Services Department. No action is requested at this time.

CONTACT PERSON(S): Executive Lt. Jim Hyde, Patrol Sector 2, 277-6078; pager 592-0966
Executive Lt. Sam Somers, Patrol Sector 4, 566-6406; pager 810-6656
Linda Powell, Economic Development, 264-7216

FOR THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: April 21, 1998

SUMMARY:

The Sacramento Police Department and the City's Neighborhood Services Department have applied for Community Crime Resistance (CCR) grant funding from OCJP. The funding will be used to help reduce crime and juvenile delinquency while increasing the City of Sacramento's quality of life. Through this grant, OCJP will be offering technical assistance to law enforcement and local organizations in "state-of-the-art" crime resistance practices and programs. The closing date for submission of the application was April 14, 1998. If selected for funding, the Police Department and Neighborhood Services Department will return to Council for formal acceptance of the grant award.

COMMITTEE/COMMISSION ACTION:

None required on this item.

BACKGROUND:

The Police Department and Department of Neighborhood Services were awarded funding in 1995 to implement a Community Crime Resistance Grant which focused on the creation and utilization of two community resource centers. The first community center was established in the Del Paso Heights Neighborhood while the second was created to service the Stockton Boulevard area. The centers were opened for the purpose of fostering community awareness of the crime and juvenile gang activities in the target areas. That grant will expire on June 30, 1998. The new grant will maintain services at the resource centers. In addition, volunteers will be recruited and trained to assist people of all ages in the target areas. These volunteers will perform a variety of tasks such as arranging transportation for elementary students to martial arts classes and assisting elderly citizens with finding sources for health care. Through these efforts, the quality of life will be increased in the City of Sacramento.

If awarded, the Neighborhood Services Department will provide staffing, and the program will be administered by the Police Department. The grant period is one year with the potential for renewal for two successive years based upon performance. The submission date for the application was April 14, 1998. The matching funds for this grant will be apportioned on a 50/50 basis.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

If OCJP awards this grant, all funding will be distributed to the Neighborhood Services Department. The program will be administered by the Police Department. Matching funds of 10 percent for the first year and 20 percent for each of the second and third years will come from the Police Department and Neighborhood Service Department 's operating budgets.

POLICY CONSIDERATIONS:

The application for grant funds is consistent with past practices. This grant would enable the City to focus more effectively on crime reduction and juvenile delinquency through the use of an expanded citizen volunteer base. Upon receipt of an intent-to-fund notification from OCJP, the Departments will return to City Council to request acceptance and implementation of the grant proposal.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS:

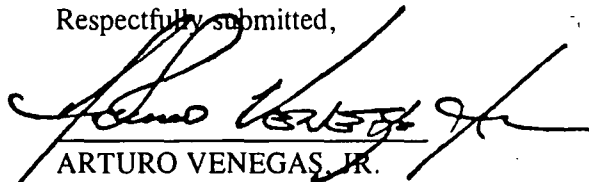
This activity does not constitute a "project" and is therefore exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act, CEQA Guidelines Section 15061 (b)(1), 15378 (b)(3).

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MBE/WBE:

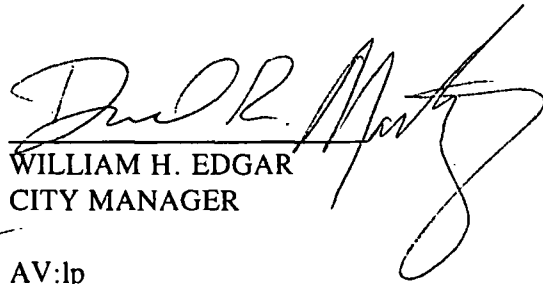
If the grant is awarded, the Police Department will purchase supply items and services in accordance with the City's MBE/WBE policy.

Respectfully submitted,



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RECOMMENDATION APPROVED:



WILLIAM H. EDGAR
CITY MANAGER

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RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the attached resolution which authorizes the City Manager to apply for Community Crime Resistance Program grant funding offered by the State of California, Office of Criminal Justice Planning (OCJP). The purpose of the grant program is to reduce crime and juvenile delinquency while increasing the City of Sacramento's quality of life. The amount of the grant award is expected to be \$100,000. A ten percent cash match is required for the first year and will be apportioned on a 50/50 basis between the Police Department and the Neighborhood Services Department.

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FOR THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: April 21, 1998

SUMMARY:

The Sacramento Police Department and the City's Neighborhood Services Department are requesting authorization for the City Manager to submit an application for Community Crime Resistance (CCR) grant funding from OCJP. The funding will be used to enhance the focus on reducing crime and juvenile delinquency while increasing the City of Sacramento's quality of life. Through this grant, OCJP will be offering technical assistance to law enforcement and local organizations in "state-of-the-art" crime resistance practices and programs. The closing date for submission of the application was April 14, 1998. If selected for funding, the Police Department and Neighborhood Services Department will return to Council for formal acceptance of the grant award.

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If the grant is awarded, the funding will be distributed to Neighborhood Services Department as the staffing hired to implement the grant will be hired by that Department. The program will be administered by the Police Department. The grant period is one year with the potential for renewal for two successive years based upon performance. The submission date for the application is April 14, 1998. The matching funds for this grant will be apportioned on a 50/50 basis.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

If OCJP awards funding for this grant, the funding will be distributed to Neighborhood Services Department as the staff for this grant will be working for that Department. Matching funds of 10 percent for the first year and 20 percent for each the second and third years will come from the Police Department and Neighborhood Service Department 's operating budgets. These matching funds will be requested during the budget process by each Department.

POLICY CONSIDERATIONS:

The application for grant funds is consistent with past practices. This grant would enable the partners to focus more effectively on the reduction of crime and juvenile delinquency through the use of an expanded citizen volunteer base. Upon receipt of an intent-to-fund notification from OCJP, the Departments will return to City Council to request acceptance and implementation of the grant proposal.

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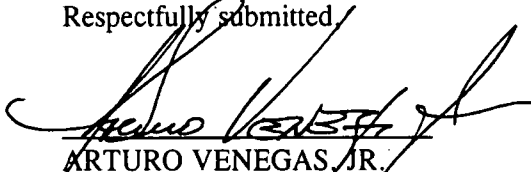
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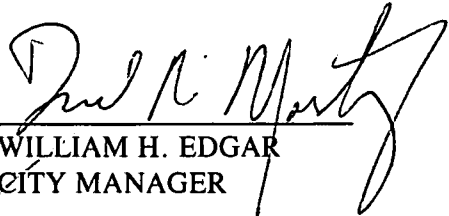
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RECOMMENDATION APPROVED:


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