



City of Kansas City, Missouri

Docket Memo

Ordinance/Resolution #: 240352

Submitted Department/Preparer: Municipal Court

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Docket memos are required on all ordinances initiated by a Department Director. More information can be found in [Administrative Regulation \(AR\) 4-1](#).

Executive Summary

Authorizing the acceptance of a \$297,000.00 Crisis Intervention Program grant from the State of Missouri Department of Public Safety and funded by the United States Department of Justice for gun violence risk assessment and response for participants in the Kansas City problem-solving courts, designating requisitioning authority, and recognizing an accelerated effective date.

Discussion

The Crisis Intervention Program grant will expand this capacity by introducing a specialized, evidence-based clinical screening tool for predicting future firearm violent risk, both individuals likely to commit crimes with firearms and individuals who have or are likely to be threatened with firearms. Eligible defendants will be referred to the case manager for six months of intense case management including daily check-ins and connection with programs and services identified by needs assessment or required by the judge. This project will address the disproportionate impact of gun violence on Kansas City residence, especially young African American makes. Services include temporary housing assistance to eligible defendants, which is a major barrier faced by most specialty court individuals, many of who experience houselessness.

Fiscal Impact

1. Is this legislation included in the adopted budget? Yes No
2. What is the funding source?
Grant through the Missouri Department of Public Safety
3. How does the legislation affect the current fiscal year?
Provides grant funds for the Kansas City Municipal problem-solving courts in FY 24.
4. Does the legislation have a fiscal impact in future fiscal years? Please notate the difference between one-time and recurring costs.
Yes it will have impact in the future fiscal year

5. Does the legislation generate revenue, leverage outside funding, or deliver a return on investment?

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Office of Management and Budget Review

(OMB Staff will complete this section.)

1. This legislation is supported by the general fund. Yes No
2. This fund has a structural imbalance. Yes No
3. Account string has been verified/confirmed. Yes No

Additional Discussion (if needed)

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Citywide Business Plan (CWBP) Impact

1. View the [FY23 Citywide Business Plan](#)
2. Which CWBP goal is most impacted by this legislation?
Public Safety (Press tab after selecting.)
3. Which objectives are impacted by this legislation (select all that apply):
- Engage the community and community partners to reimagine the system of public safety with a focus on evidence-based approaches for crime prevention, treatment of mental health, emergency response time, and the criminal justice system.
 - Focus on violence prevention among all age groups, placing an emphasis on youth.
 - Increase fairness, justice, and responsiveness of our municipal criminal justice system to support the best possible outcome for offenders and victims of crime.
 - Reduce recidivism through prevention, deterrence, including detention, and re-entry services.
 - Enhance employee recruitment, succession planning, and retention in the police and fire departments with a continued emphasis on diversity.
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Prior Legislation

Click or tap here to list prior, related ordinances/resolutions.

Service Level Impacts

Click or tap here to provide a description of how this ordinance will impact service levels. List any related key performance indicators and impact.

Other Impacts

1. What will be the potential health impacts to any affected groups?
Kansas City Municipal Court operates several problem-solving courts that serve individuals with substance use, mental health and co-occurring disorders or who meet other special conditions to offer alternatives to incarceration and programs and services that address or rectify the underlying cause of criminal behavior
2. How have those groups been engaged and involved in the development of this ordinance?
Yes. Grant application included letter of support from Presiding Judge overseeing specialty courts. For more than 20 years the problem-solving courts have partnered with multiple community agencies. This funding will strengthen these relationships.
3. How does this legislation contribute to a sustainable Kansas City?
This funding allows the problem-solving courts to pursue new partnerships, particularly with housing providers as housing has prove formidable barrier to sustained recovery for many participants.
4. Does this legislation create or preserve new housing units?
No (Press tab after selecting)

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5. Department staff certifies the submission of any application Affirmative Action Plans or Certificates of Compliance, Contractor Utilization Plans (CUPs), and Letters of Intent to Subcontract (LOIs) to CREO prior to, or simultaneously with, the legislation entry request in Legistar.

No - CREO's review is not applicable (Press tab after selecting)

Please provide reasoning why not:

NA. Acctping grant funding from the State of Missouri Department of Public Safety, a governmental entity.

6. Does this legislation seek to approve a contract resulting from an Invitation for Bid?

No(Press tab after selecting)

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7. Does this legislation seek to approve a contract resulting from a Request for Proposal/Qualification (RFP/Q)?

No(Press tab after selecting)