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**TO: JIM GRAY, MAYOR  
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL**

**FROM: IRENE GOODING, DIRECTOR  
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

**DATE: MARCH 6, 2014**

**SUBJECT: REQUEST COUNCIL AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE AGREEMENTS WITH GREENHOUSE 17 (\$67,900) AND BLUEGRASS RAPE CRISIS CENTER (\$12,000) FOR PERFORMANCE OF SERVICES UNDER THE GRANTS TO ENCOURAGE ARREST POLICIES AND ENFORCEMENT OF PROTECTION ORDERS PROGRAM, AWARDED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE/OFFICE ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN**

On OCTOBER 24, 2013 (Resolution No. 556-2013), Council authorized the acceptance of federal funds from the U.S. Department of Justice/Office on Violence Against Women in the amount of \$300,000 from the Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program to continue program begun by Police in 2006. The purpose of the project is to hold offenders of domestic violence accountable for their actions through investigation, arrest, and prosecution, and to provide services to victims.

The approved grant application includes funds for the following community partners:

- GreenHouse17 (formerly Bluegrass Domestic Violence Program) in the amount of \$67,900 whose specific responsibilities include mental health and support services provided by qualified mental health professionals for victims of sexual assault in the context of domestic violence, development and implementation of a support group in partnership with Bluegrass Rape Crisis Center for survivors of sexual assault within the context of domestic violence, and continued employment of a part-time victim advocate. Funds are in process of being budgeted as follows:

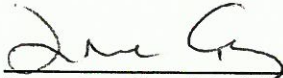
FUND	DEPT ID	SECT	ACCT	PROJECT	ACTIVITY	BUD REF
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- Bluegrass Rape Crisis Center in the amount of \$12,000 whose specific responsibilities include the development and implementation of a volunteer program to reach underserved populations and to collaborate with GreenHouse17 in the development of a support group for victims of sexual assault in the context of domestic violence. Funds are budgeted as follows:

FUND	DEPT ID	SECT	ACCT	PROJECT	ACTIVITY	BUD REF
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Council authorization to execute agreements with GreenHouse17 and Bluegrass Rape Crisis Center is hereby requested.



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Xc: Clay Mason, Commissioner of the Department of Public Safety