



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

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

**DATE: JUNE 2, 2016**

**SUBJECT: Grant application requesting funds under the Victims of Crime Act for the  
Division of Police**

**Request:**

Council authorization to submit an application to the Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet requesting federal funds in the amount of \$44,580 under the Victim Assistance Formula Grant funded by the Victims of Crime Act

**Purpose of Request:**

The Division of Police has prepared a grant application for submission to the Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet requesting federal funding in the amount of \$44,580 for the support of a bilingual victims advocate in Division of Police to serve victims of crime who are non-English speaking, particularly those in the Hispanic community. If approved, these funds will be used to support establishment of a new position (salary and fringe benefits) in the Division of Police.

**What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?**

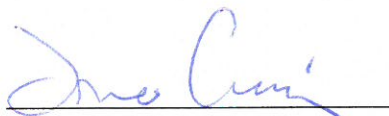
Cost of position in FY 2017 is estimated to be \$55,720. A 20% local match in the amount of 11,140 is required. Funding in future budget years is dependent upon availability of grant funding.

**Are the funds budgeted?**

Mayor's proposed budget for Fiscal Year 2017 includes match for this project. Grant funds will be budgeted only if approved by the Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet.

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**Director/Commissioner:** Barnard/Bastin

  
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