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TO: Linda Gorton, Mayor
Sally Hamilton, Chief Administrative Officer
Council Members

FROM: 
Glenda Humphrey George, Director
Division of Human Resources

DATE: November 5, 2024

SUBJECT: Extend Position – Division of Police

Request:

The attached is requesting authorization to extend one (1) unclassified position of Behavioral Health & Wellness Coordinator (Grade 523E) through February 28, 2025, in the Division of Police, effective upon passage of Council.

Why are you requesting?

The Lexington Police Department (LPD) was awarded funding dedicated to this position for a two-year period which commenced in August 2022. Since the creation of this position, the LPD has seen substantial and growing use of the behavioral health program. The LPD submitted a request to extend the use of the funding and the request was upheld by the grantor (USDOJ, C.O.P.S) due to the hiring process taking longer than expected. The LPD plans to create a classified civil service position in 2025.

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Director/Commission: Glenda Humphrey George/Sally Hamilton

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Alana Morton 859-258-3037.

