



## Cover Memorandum/Staff Report

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**TO:** Mayor and Commissioners  
**FROM:** Javaro Sims, Police Department  
**THROUGH:** Jennifer Alvarez, Interim City Manager  
**DATE:** August 11, 2020

GRANT APPLICATION/EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG)

**Recommended Action:**

Motion to approve application for the 2019 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant in the amount of \$27,466.

**Background:**

The Police Department is asking approval to apply for the 2020 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant in the amount of \$27,466. If awarded, these funds will assist in funding police overtime for the annual Holiday Robbery Task Force.

**City Attorney Review:**

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency.

**Funding Source/Financial Impact:**

The reimbursable overtime for FY 20/21 would be funded in 001-21-150-521.14-20 (Field Operations - Overtime) and 001-21-110-521.14-20 (Special Services - Overtime) accounts, pending approval of this application as well as actual award and budget approval and appropriations for FY 2020/2021. Reimbursement is provided through the U.S. Department of Justice's Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program.

**Timing of Request:**

This request is time sensitive due to application deadline of August 19, 2020.