



City of Greensboro

Melvin Municipal
Office Building
300 W. Washington Street
Greensboro, NC 27401

Agenda Report

File Number: 2024-733

Agenda Item# G.3.

Agenda Date: 11/4/2024. **Department:** Police

Meeting Type: Council Meeting **Category:** Consent Agenda

Title: 2024 - 733 Ordinance in the Amount of \$500,000 Amending State, Federal and Other Grants Fund Budget for the Appropriation of the FY24 PSP Capacity Building Grant

Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Sports Capital | <input type="checkbox"/> Hub of Recreation and Entertainment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abundance of Attainable Housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Admin <u>Briefly Explain 3 word maximum</u> |

Council District: All

Public Hearing: No

Advertising Date/By: NA

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PURPOSE:

The Greensboro Police Department has been awarded a BJA FY24 National Public Safety Partnership—Capacity Building Grant in the amount of \$500,000 for a two year grant. A budget ordinance is needed to expend the award.

BACKGROUND:

The program's goal is to provide PSP sites, of which Greensboro is one, with additional resources to implement recommendations that facilitate the sites' strategic plans to reduce violence. PSP qualifying sites have completed two years in the program and/or have completed their 3-year engagements. These resources are intended to fund personnel and technological enhancements to support the department's strategic plan and PSP assessment recommendations. The PSP funded support will enhance the department's capacity to combat violent crime, increasing their potential to be sustained over time.

Objectives

- Enhance current programs and/or establish new programs that address the goals of the site's strategic plan and assessment recommendations.
- Support the analysis of data to focus resources on violent crime reduction.

Vision Statement: "A Community with Endless Economic Opportunities and Exceptional Quality of Life."

- Establish and/or expand programming that enhances the local jurisdiction's ability to prevent and respond to violent crime effectively and sustainably.
- Expand programming to strengthen the role of communities as co-producers of public safety.

The police department will hire a grant-funded Crime Analyst and will purchase equipment and software subscriptions designed to enhance analytical capacity for crime reduction.

BUDGET IMPACT:

The grant does not require a match or additional City funds.

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

220-35-3598164

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

It is recommended that City Council adopt the attached budget ordinance establishing funding in the amount of \$500,000 so that the funds may be expended.