

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to contracting authority cost adjustment to the Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) for the Community Law Enforcement and Recovery (CLEAR) Program.

Recommendation for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

AUTHORIZE the Mayor, or designee, to:

- a. Increase the existing contracting authority to the amount of \$70,161.39, with the County of Los Angeles (County), for a public service agreement to continue its committed contribution to the CLEAR Program, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form.
- b. Prepare Controller instructions for any technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer (CAO); and, authorize the Controller to implement the instructions.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The CAO reports that approval of the recommendations contained in its report dated October 1, 2024, attached to Council file No. 20-1120, will authorize the Mayor’s Office to increase the contractual amount of the County grant allocation for legal and probation personnel funded through the FY 2019 JAG Program. The current amount for County staff salaries will increase by \$70,161, from \$899,669 to \$969,830. Sufficient savings from the City Attorney JAG Grant Allocation budgetary line item is available to fund this increase. There is no match requirement associated with this grant.

Financial Policies Statement: The CAO further reports that the recommendations in its report are in compliance with the City’s Financial Policies in that grant funds will be utilized for grant-eligible activities.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

SUMMARY

At the meeting held on October 8, 2024, your Public Safety Committee considered a Communication from the Mayor and CAO report relative to contracting authority cost adjustment to the Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) for the Community Law Enforcement and Recovery (CLEAR) Program.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee approved the recommendation as stated in said report, as detailed above. This matter is now referred to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
RODRIGUEZ:	YES
LEE:	YES
PARK:	YES
PRICE:	ABSENT
SOTO-MARTINEZ:	YES

HR 10.22.24