

**TO THE COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF LOS ANGELES**

File No. 10-1739

Your PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

reports as follows:

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to additional grant funding for the City Attorney's Victim Assistance Program.

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

1. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney, or designee, to:
 - a. Approve the amended contract between the City and the County of Los Angeles in the amount of \$985,623 for the period July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality.
 - b. Accept the additional funding in the amount of \$128,806 from the County of Los Angeles and to execute said contract, subject to the approval of the Office of the City Attorney as to form and legality.
2. AUTHORIZE the Controller to:
 - a. Increase the receivable from the County of Los Angeles in the amount of \$128,806.
 - b. Upon receipt of grant funds increase the following appropriation accounts within Fund 368, City Attorney Grant Fund, Department 12 as follows:

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| Account G303 | Operating Expenses \$128,806 |
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3. REQUEST that the City Attorney to submit invoices to the County of Los Angeles on a monthly basis to ensure that the General Fund is reimbursed in a timely manner.
4. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to prepare Controller's instructions for any necessary technical adjustments consistent with this action, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer (CAO); and, REQUEST that the Controller implement the instructions.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The CAO reports that this action will not impact the General Fund. These funds will be used for enhanced operating expenses for the Victim Assistance Program. No match is required to accept these funds. The acceptance and use of the grant funds is consistent with City financial policies in that ongoing costs are supported by ongoing revenue.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

In a report to the Mayor and Council dated March 21, 2011 (attached to the Council file), the CAO states that the City Attorney requests authority to accept additional grant funding in the amount of \$128,806 from the County of Los Angeles for the Victim Assistance Program.

At its meeting held April 4, 2011, the Public Safety Committee recommended that Council authorize the City Attorney to accept the grant and to approve the related actions above, as recommended by the CAO.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

- NOT OFFICIAL UNTIL COUNCIL ACTS -

| <u>MEMBER</u> | <u>VOTE</u> |
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| SMITH: | YES |
| CARDENAS: | YES |
| PERRY: | ABSENT |
| REYES: | ABSENT |
| ZINE: | YES |

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