

Application for Funding Assistance

Florida Department of Law Enforcement
Project Safe Neighborhoods - Southern Dist. of FL

Section 1: Administration

Subgrant Recipient

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Implementing Agency

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County: St. Lucie

Chief Official

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Section 2: Project Overview

General Project Information

Project Title: FY2019 FPPD OVERTIME
Subgrant Recipient: City of Fort Pierce
Implementing Agency: City of Fort Pierce Police Department
Project Start Date: 10/1/2020 **End Date:** 9/30/2022

Problem Identification

The City of Fort Pierce has been identified by the PSN Task Force as the newest Targeted Enforcement Area. A small neighborhood within the City has been recognized as an area plagued by a large number of community gangs and gang-related gun violence. These gangs are often associated with like-named gangs in communities to the south extending 200 miles along the coast to the Miami area.

In 2019, the city had a total of 61 verified shootings, 47 of which occurred in the neighborhood referenced above. Additionally, FPPD has identified nine (9) gangs with approximately 432 members, 221 of which live within city limits.

The requested funding will aid in implementing the Fort Pierce Police Department's (FPPD) collaboration with law enforcement partners and community stakeholders to reduce short-term and long-term rates of homicides and other serious violent crimes in the city. The goal of the FPPD award is to carry out a comprehensive strategy to apprehend and prosecute offenders, to put others on notice that offenders face certain and serious punishment for illegal activity, and to prevent youths from following the same criminal path.

To achieve FPPD's goal, they will utilize tactics such as numerous warrants, pursuing long sentences for chronic offenders, aggressive enforcement of probation restrictions, and deployment of federal enforcement powers. To address youth prevention, FPPD will use a communications campaign involving meetings and informational trainings with community groups.

Key partners for FPPD's efforts will include the FBI, ATF, DEA, Homeland Security, St Lucie County Sheriff's Office, and the City of Port St Lucie Police Department.

Project Summary (Scope of Work)

The City of Fort Pierce Police Department will use grant funds to pay overtime costs for the PSN initiative.

FPPD will utilize a problem solving strategy that seeks to reduce gang violence, illegal gun possession, and gun violence in communities. The strategy is similar in design to a NIJ Crime Solutions program which was rated "effective" in more than one study. The Boston Police Department's Youth Violence Strike Force created a similar program named Operation Cease Fire.

FPPD's proposed program will utilize a pulling-lever approach to prevent gang violence by making gang members believe that server consequences will follow from violent gun use which will hopefully persuade them to change their behavior. It will combine aggressive law enforcement and prosecution efforts aimed at recovering illegal handguns, prosecuting dangerous felons, increasing public awareness, and

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promoting public safety and anti-violence.

Deliverable #1: Grant funds will be used to support overtime for criminal investigations including undercover purchases, tracking of individuals, arrests, warrant service, and subsequent custody of offenders. Documentation to be provided upon request may include, but is not limited to: timesheets, payroll, and paystubs. Minimum performance is in accordance with the employment agreement, positions descriptions, and/or supervisor's command.

Deliverable #2: Grant funds will be used to support overtime for victim advocates to conduct community outreach, education and communication for the community education, intervention and deterrence strategy of the problem-solving police strategy. Documentation to be provided upon request may include, but is not limited to: timesheets, payroll, and paystubs. Minimum performance is in accordance with the employment agreement, positions descriptions, and/or supervisor's command.

Documentation and minimum performance required for drawdown of funds includes the completion of at least one activity described in the scope of work above as attested on the financial expenditure/claim report.

All deliverables above are cost reimbursement deliverables. Only allowable costs incurred and supported by the appropriate documentation will be paid.

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Section 2: Project Overview

Section Questions:

- Question: Have you verified the subgrantee on this award has an active and current SAM.gov registration? Note: Applications cannot be approved until an active SAM registration is acquired.
- Answer: Yes
- Question: What is the name of the jurisdiction(s) your agency provides service to? i.e. City of Miami, Orange County, etc.
- Answer: City of Fort Pierce
- Question: At the time of application, what is your agency jurisdiction's most recent UCR Part I Violent Crime Rate?
- Answer: 3,667.6
- Question: Does the subgrantee receive a single grant in the amount of \$750,000 or more from the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) or a pass-through entity under DOJ?
- Answer: Yes
- Question: Does the implementing agency receive a single grant of \$750,000 or more from the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) or a pass-through entity under DOJ?
- Answer: Yes
- Question: In your organization's preceding fiscal year, did your organization receive at least (a) 80 percent or (b) \$25,000,000 of your annual gross revenues in U.S. federal contracts, subcontracts, loans, grants, subgrants, and/or cooperative agreements?
- Answer: No

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Section 3: Performance

General Performance Info:

Performance Reporting Frequency: Quarterly

Prime Purpose Area: 01 - Project Safe Neighborhoods - Southern District

State Purpose Area: G - General Questions

Objectives and Measures

Objective: General Questions - General Questions (required for all subawards)

Measure: 1

Is the subrecipient aware this subaward requires the submission of the supplemental performance report every quarter?

Goal: Yes

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Section 4: Financial

General Financial Info:

Note: All financial remittances will be sent to the Chief Financial Officer of the Subgrantee Organization.

Financial Reporting Frequency for this Subgrant: Quarterly

Is the subgrantee a state agency?: No

FLAIR / Vendor Number: 596000322

Budget:

Budget Category	Prime	Match	Total
Salaries and Benefits	\$70,000.00	\$0.00	\$70,000.00
Contractual Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Operating Capital Outlay	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Indirect Costs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-- Totals --	\$70,000.00	\$0.00	\$70,000.00
Percentage	100.0	0.0	100.0

Project Generated Income:

Will the project earn project generated income (PGI)? No

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Section 4: Financial (cont.)

Budget Narrative:

Salaries and Benefits = \$70,000

Overtime for approximately five CSU detectives to conduct undercover operations. No benefits will be charged to the grant.

approx. 5 detectives x avg. rate of \$50/hr x approx. 240 hours each = \$60,000

Overtime for approximately two victim advocates to conduct community outreach, engagement, and education. No benefits will be charged to the grant.

approx. 2 victim advocates x avg. rate of \$22/hr x approx. 227 hours = \$10,000

The subrecipient is responsible for any amount over the grant allocation of \$70,000. Any costs that exceed the grant allocation will be the responsibility of the subrecipient and/or implementing agency.

All items, quantities, and/or prices above are estimates based on the information available at the time of application.

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Section 4: Financial

Section Questions:

Question: If allocating funds in the Salaries & Benefits category, will this project result in a net personnel increase, or continue to fund a prior federally funded position?

Documentation must be submitted with your application.

Answer: N/A - Overtime

Question: If allocating funds in the Contractual Services category and based on unit costs, provide a definition and breakdown of the costs for each service, including the methodology for the unit cost plan and when it was approved.

Answer: N/A

Question: If allocating funds in the Expense or Operating Capital Outlay categories, indicate the method of procurement for each item (i.e. quotes, competitive bid, sole source, state contract)? Submit a copy of the procurement policy used for grant funded purchases with your application.

Answer: N/A

Question: If allocating funds in the Indirect Cost category, explain the indirect cost rate used. Documentation, including approved cost plans, must be submitted with your application.

Answer: N/A