



CITY OF ALLENTOWN

No. 148

RESOLUTION

R - 2022

Introduced by the Administration on October 5, 2022

Authorizes the submission of the formal application for the Local Law Enforcement Support Program grant that will allow funds to train all officers in the National Incident Based Reporting System, replace 150 street surveillance cameras with the latest technology, and other various training.

Resolved by the Council of the City of Allentown, That

WHEREAS, the City of Allentown is desirous of obtaining funds from The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency Bureau for the Local Law Enforcement Support Program grant.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Local Law Enforcement Support Program grant will allow funds for train all officers in National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS), providing training geared towards crisis intervention, de-escalation training, and implicit bias training and replace 150 street surveillance cameras with the latest technology, new technology enhancement for officer cars.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the City of Allentown Police will assure the provision of other necessary funds to make the activities and purchases feasible.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the appropriate officer of the City of Allentown is directed to execute a certificate attesting to the adoption of this Resolution and to furnish a copy of this Resolution to The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency Bureau.

LEGISLATIVE TEMPLATE

- **What Department or bureau is Bill originating from? Where did the initiative for the bill originate?**

Police

- **Summary and Facts of the Bill**

Purpose of the ordinance is to apply for Local Law Enforcement Support Program grant that will allow funds to train all officers in National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS), Replace 150 street surveillance cameras with the latest technology, new technology enhancement for officer cars, and training geared towards crisis intervention, de-escalation training, and implicit bias training.

- **Purpose – Please include the following in your explanation:**
 - **What does the Bill do – what are the specific goals/tasks the bill seek to accomplish**
 - **What are the Benefits of doing this/Down-side of doing this**
 - **How does this Bill related to the City’s Vision/Mission/Priorities**

The city is requesting 10 million dollars from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency Bureau for Local Law Enforcement Support Program grant.

- **Financial Impact – Please include the following in your explanation:**
 - **Cost (Initial and ongoing)**
 - **Benefits (initial and ongoing)**

There is no match requirement.

- **Funding Sources – Please include the following in your explanation:**
 - **If transferring funds, please make sure bill gives specific accounts; if appropriating funds from a grant list the agency awarding the grant.**

The funding comes from The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency Bureau

- **Priority status/Deadlines, if any**

Normal priority.

- **Why should Council unanimously support this bill?**

These funds will be used to train all officers in National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS), Replace 150 street surveillance cameras with the latest technology, new technology enhancement for officer cars, and training geared towards crisis intervention, de-escalation training, and implicit bias training.