



CITY OF ALLENTOWN

No. 125

RESOLUTION

RXX - 2022

Introduced by the Administration on August 17, 2022

Authorizes the submission of the City's application for the Department of Justice's 2022 Edward Byrne Memorial JAG Grant in the amount of Fifty - One Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty-Six Dollars (\$51,236.00)

Resolved by the Council of the City of Allentown, that

WHEREAS, the City of Allentown is desirous of obtaining funds from The United States Department of Justice for the Edward Byrne Memorial annual grant allocation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the 2022 Edward Byrne Memorial JAG grant will allow funds for violent crime suppression and drug investigations via patrol presence and data collection.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the City of Allentown will conduct the required citizen participation process.

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

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the 2022 Edward Byrne Memorial JAG grant will tentatively fund \$51,236.00 to pay overtime for patrol.

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 United States Department of Justice.

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

The purpose of this resolution is to apply for the 2022 Edward Byrne Memorial JAG grant, funds will allow for violent crime suppression and drug investigations via patrol presence and data collection.

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 applying for \$51,236 by the Department of Justice through the Edward Byrne Memorial annual grant allocation.

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 United States Department of Justice.

Priority status/Deadlines, if any

Normal priority.

Why should Council unanimously support this bill?

These funds will be used for violent crime suppression and drug investigations via overtime pay for patrol.