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Prepared By: Scott Hebert, Commander *SH* Agenda Item No. I-12
 Reviewed By: City Manager *SM* City Attorney *JD* Finance *JS* Other (Specify) _____

DATE: June 20, 2007

TO: City Council

FROM: John Crombach, Chief of Police *JCrombach*
Police Department

SUBJECT: Application for Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Grant Funding

RECOMMENDATION

That City Council adopt a resolution ratifying the City Manager's submission of an application for \$200,000 in Officer of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) grant funds to be used for funding of the Community Action Partnership (CAP) Project Coordinator and the implementation of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Oxnard and Port Hueneme Street S.M.A..R.T. gang violence prevention program.

DISCUSSION

The City of Oxnard is eligible to submit a grant application with the OJJDP for consideration of federal discretionary funds of up to \$200,000. The grant titled The Gang Prevention Coordination Assistance Program is designed to enhance coordination among local, state, and federal resources in support of community partnerships implementing two or more of the following anti-gang strategies; primary prevention, secondary prevention, gang intervention, and gang enforcement.

The City of Oxnard has a number of city sponsored and privately run programs that focus on gang intervention and prevention. The goal of the CAP Project is to coordinate the wide range of gang violence prevention and intervention activities within the city to maximize the benefits to at risk youth in the community.

A portion of the grant funding, \$161,225, will be used to create a CAP Coordinator position. Specific responsibilities include scheduling, coordination and facilitation.

The remaining funds, \$30,000, will be directed to the Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Oxnard and Port Hueneme to implement the Street S.M.A.R.T. (Skills, Mastery, and Resistance Training) gang violence prevention program. Funding in the amount of \$8,775 represents the cost of a consultant who will guide the collaborative strategic planning process, the collaborative resource mapping process, and the development of the collaborative "gang violence reduction" plan.

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The grant funding will be \$100,000 a year over a two year period. The deadline for submission of an application was June 22, 2007. The City Manager signed an application and it was submitted. Staff seeks ratification of this action.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Approval of this recommendation will have no impact on the General Fund Operating Reserve.

Staff will return to Council to award the funds when the grant is approved.

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Attachment #1 - Council Resolution

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CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OXNARD

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OXNARD APPROVING
SUBMITTAL OF GRANT APPLICATION.

WHEREAS, City Council Resolution No. 12,053 sets out the procedure by which City staff may submit grant applications, following approval by resolution of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department is the lead agency for an Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) grant application; and

WHEREAS, grant funding will be used to create a coordinator position within the Community Action Partnership Project; and

WHEREAS, grant funding will be used to implement the Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Oxnard and Port Hueneme Street S.M.A.R.T. gang violence prevention program and a consultant who will guide the collaborative strategic planning process, the collaborative resource mapping process, and the development of the collaborative "gang violence reduction" plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Oxnard resolves to ratify the submittal of an application by the City Manager for a \$200,000 OJJPD grant application. The City Council further resolves that the City Manager or designee is authorized to execute a grant agreement; the Finance Director or designee is authorized to submit financial reports and grant claims and approve special budget appropriations for the use of grant funds; and the Chief of Police or designee is authorized to submit non-financial reports.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS _____ day of _____, 2007, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

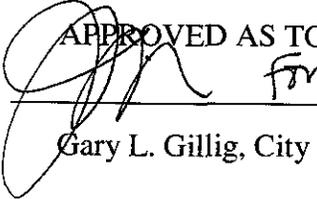
ABSENT:

Dr. Thomas E. Holden, Mayor

ATTEST:

Daniel Martinez, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Gary L. Gillig, City Attorney

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