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Prepared By: Scott Hebert, Commander *SH*

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Reviewed By: City Manager *zsh*

City Attorney *jo*

Finance *AG*

Other (Specify) _____

DATE: November 7, 2008

TO: City Council

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

SUBJECT: Resolution Regarding an Application for California Gang Reduction, Intervention, and Prevention Initiative Grant Funding in the Amount of \$400,000

RECOMMENDATION

That City Council adopt a resolution authorizing:

1. The City Manager to submit an application to the Governor's Office of Emergency Services (OES) for California Gang Reduction, Intervention, and Prevention (CalGRIP) - Cities Initiative grant in the amount of \$400,000;
2. The City Manager to execute the grant agreement if grant funds are awarded to the city;
3. The Finance Director to appropriate the funds and perform all other required financial actions;
4. The Chief of Police or designee to submit non-financial reports.

DISCUSSION

The City of Oxnard is eligible to submit a grant application with OES for consideration of state funds of up to \$400,000 over a two year period. The CalGRIP grant is designed to provide funding to select cities for gang prevention, intervention, reentry, education, job training and skills development, family and community services, and suppression activities.

The grant funds will be used in conjunction with the Community Action Partnership (CAP) Project and will provide funding for City Corps and other select community based organizations in the city's effort to eliminate gang and youth violence. The deadline for submission of the grant application is November 25, 2008.

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FINANCIAL IMPACT

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

Attachment #1 - Council Resolution

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 has requested that City Council authorize the City Manager to submit an application for \$400,000 to the Governor's Office of Emergency Services (OES) for California Gang Reduction, Intervention, and Prevention (CalGRIP) Initiative grant funds to be used to reduce gang and youth gun violence through focused deterrence and employment.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Oxnard resolves to approve the submittal of a grant application by the City Manager. The City Council further resolves that the City Manager is authorized to execute grant agreement; the Finance Director 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 _____, 2008, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENTS:

Dr. Thomas E. Holden, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Daniel Martinez, City Clerk



Alan Holmberg, Acting City Attorney
11-7-08