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Prepared By: ^{SMH} Grace Magistrale Hoffman, Deputy City Manager Agenda Item No. **I-2**

Reviewed By: City Manager *[Signature]* City Attorney *[Signature]* Finance *[Signature]* Other (Specify) _____

DATE: June 22, 2011

TO: City Council

FROM: Grace Magistrale Hoffman, Deputy City Manager
City Manager's Office *Grace Hoffman*

SUBJECT: Application for a Second Chance Act Adult Offender Reentry Program Planning Grant

RECOMMENDATION

That City Council adopt a resolution authorizing:

1. The City Manger to submit an application to the Bureau of Justice Assistance for a \$50,000 Second Chance Adult Offender Reentry Planning Grant.
2. The City Manager or Designee to execute the grant agreement if grant funds are awarded to the City
3. The Chief Financial Officer or Designee to submit financial reports, grant claims and approve special budget appropriations for the use of funds, if grant funds are awarded to the City.
4. The Deputy City Manager or designee to submit non-financial reports.

DISCUSSION

On May 17, 2011 the United States Department of Justice through the Bureau of Justice Assistance released a solicitation for grant applications under the Second Chance Act. The solicitation allows local governments, among other entities, to apply for either an implementation grant or planning grant for comprehensive reentry programs.

The City of Oxnard is currently involved in a collaborative effort with the County of Ventura to develop a prisoner reentry program that will help ensure that the transition individuals make from prison or jail to the community is successful and promotes public safety. The planning grant will help ensure that a comprehensive reentry program is developed and more fully incorporates the impact of the pending corrections realignment process. It is anticipated that the realignment process will shift a number of individuals from California prisons and parole to local jails and community supervision by

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probation agencies. This will impact the populations and types of services needed for a successful reentry program.

The \$44,400 of shared funding currently allocated from the City of Oxnard and Ventura County to the reentry planning effort and the cost of the staff involved in the reentry planning effort will meet the 50% cash and in-kind match required for the grant.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

None

Attachment #1 - 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 City Council has been requested to authorize the City Manager to submit an application for a \$50,000 Second Chance Adult Offender Reentry Planning Grant to the Bureau of Justice Assistance.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Oxnard resolves to approve the submittal of a grant application by the City Manager for a Second Chance Adult Offender Reentry Planning Grant. The City Council further resolves that the City Manager is authorized to execute grant agreement; the Chief Financial Officer is authorized to submit financial reports and grant claims and approve special budget appropriations for the use of grant funds; and the Deputy City Manager or designee is authorized to submit non-financial reports.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 28th day of June, 2011, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

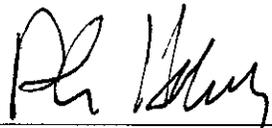
ABSENTS:

Dr Thomas E. Holden, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Daniel Martinez, City Clerk



Alan Holmberg, City Attorney