

# Staff Report

**Subject:** GDOT TIME Task Force Grant Program  
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**Department:** Finance Department  
**Meeting Date:** 4/4/23  
**Item Description:** Consideration to ratify and affirm submittal of a grant application to, and acceptance of a grant award from, GDOT TIME Task Force Grant Program

## **Summary Recommendation:**

Staff is requesting ratification of the grant application and acceptance of the award from the GDOT TIME Task Force Grant Program.

## **Executive Summary:**

TIME (Traffic Incident Management Enhancement) Task Force is a state-wide incident management program committed to facilitating the safest and fastest roadway clearance and lessening the impact on emergency responders and the motoring public. The Task Force is made up of dedicated and concerned incident responders from transportation agencies, fire, rescue, police, towing, emergency medical services, and more.

## **Background:**

1. The Effingham County Sheriff's Office applied for this grant.
2. The awarded funding amount is \$19,774.75
3. There is no cost share requirement.

## **Alternatives for Commission to Consider:**

1. Approve the ratification of the GDOT TIME Task Force grant application and accept the award.
2. Do not ratify the GDOT TIME Task Force grant application and grant award.
3. Provide Staff with Direction

## **Recommended Alternative:**

1. Staff recommends Alternative number 1 – Approve the ratification of the GDOT TIME Task Force grant application and accept the award.

## **Other Alternatives:**

N/A

## **Department Review: (list departments)**

Finance, ECSO

**Funding Source:**

No cost share requirement.

**Attachments:**

GDOT TIME Task Force Award Letter