



ITEM SUMMARY

MEETING DATE: August 2, 2021
FROM: Teri Lea Beiriger, Director of Finance
SUBJECT: Resolution No. 2021-36
2021 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Camera Project

BACKGROUND

The Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program provides funding to state and local governments to support a broad range of activities to prevent and control crime and to improve the criminal justice system. Under the Memorial Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant Program, the City of Greenacres was allocated an amount of \$11,834 and in order to receive the allocation the City, needs to submit an application in compliance with the grant requirements.

ANALYSIS

Resolution No. 2021-36 authorizes the submittal of the FY2021 JAG application and authorizes the appropriate City Officials to sign the grant documents and administer the grant. The grant does not require a City match of funds. The grant requires the following administrative steps to be taken to obtain funding:

- A. Grant application must be made available to review by the governing body of the unit of local government not fewer than 30 days before the application is submitted to the Bureau of Justice Assistance.
- B. Provide assurance that the public had an opportunity to comment on the proposed grant.
- C. All grant applications must be submitted through JustGrants.

The FY2021 funds will be used to procure security cameras using \$11,478 of the funds, and the remaining \$356 will be utilized towards the required 3% NIBRS compliance, by applying the funds towards the purchase of one (1) laptop, to be used by the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office, the City's contracted Law Enforcement Services.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The grant is 100% funded in the amount of \$11,834. The project will be included in the FY2022 Budget.

LEGAL

The resolution has been prepared in accordance with the City Code requirements.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Approval of Resolution No. 2021-36 authorizing the submittal of the JAG application.