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City, State and Zip:	MISSION, TX 78572		
Recipient UEL:	NB6GZTVY4BF7		
Project Title: Mission PD Drone as First Responder Project	Award Number: 15PBJA-25-GG-02882-JAGX		
Solicitation Title: BJA FY25 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program – Local Formula			
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Project Period Start Date: 10/1/24	Project Period End Date: 9/30/27		
Budget Period Start Date: 10/1/24	Budget Period End Date: 9/30/27		
Project Description: The City of Mission will use FY25 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program funds to enhance the Mission Police Department Drone as First Responder (DFR) program through the acquisition of a Vantage Vesper (Multi-Band) unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV) and supporting equipment. The purpose of the project is to improve real-time situational awareness, increase operational capacity, and enhance officer and public safety during law enforcement response activities. Primary activities include the procurement and deployment of the UAV to support patrol operations, emergency response, search and rescue, critical incident management, and large public events. The system's extended flight time, long-range transmission capabilities, and advanced electro-optical and infrared imaging will allow officers to assess incidents remotely, reduce response times, and improve decision-making in dynamic environments. Expected outcomes include increased efficiency in call response, enhanced coverage during simultaneous incidents, reduced risk to officers through remote scene assessment, and improved overall public safety outcomes. The service area includes the City of Mission, Texas, and surrounding areas served by the department. Intended beneficiaries include residents, visitors, and law enforcement personnel who will benefit from improved emergency response capabilities and safer operations.			

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Statutory Authority
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Current Authorized Representative

Title of Authorized Representative

Name of Authorized Representative

Norie Gonzalez Garza

Solicitation Information

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Project Budget Summary

This award did not receive a budget review as indicated by the budget review selection made when publishing a solicitation.