



## AGENDA REQUEST

**TO:** Mayor and City Council  
**FROM:** Terri Blissard, Grant Administrator  
**DATE** June 11, 2020  
**SUBJECT:** IN THE MATTER OF APPROVAL OF DOJ CESF GRANT AGREEMENT

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### **Request:**

Please find attached a grant agreement with the Department of Justice for Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF).

CESF is one-time grant funding intended to assist police departments with unanticipated expenses created by the COVID crisis. Unlike most grants, CESF permits applicants to request reimbursement for expenses incurred prior to the actual grant start date, as far back as February 2020.

There is no match for this grant.

The City of Tupelo's allocation was \$50,263, which we will use to reimburse a portion of the Police Department's overtime costs from March and April.

Please let me know if you have questions.