

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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**FROM:** DISTRICT ATTORNEY

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**  
September 23, 2003

**SUBJECT:** APPROVAL OF CRIMES AGAINST PEACE OFFICERS (CAPO) PROGRAM GRANT AND RESOLUTION NUMBERS 2003-461 AND 440- 8503.

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** Move that the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve the \$250,000 Crimes Against Police Officers (CAPO) Program Grant award received from the Governor's Office of Criminal Justice Planning
2. Approve the attached grant Resolution No. 2003-461
3. Authorize the District Attorney to sign the standard agreement on behalf of the Board
4. Amend Ordinance 440 pursuant to Resolution No. 440- 8503 submitted herewith
5. Approve and direct the Auditor-Controller to post the budget adjustment related to CAPO grant appropriations and estimated revenue outlined on Attachment "A"

**BACKGROUND:** From the year 2000 to the year 2002, the Riverside County District Attorney's Office documented a 24% increase in violent crimes against peace officers (from 82 felony cases filed in 2000 to 102 cases filed in 2002).

FORM APPROVED  
COUNTY COUNSEL

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BY 

  
Grover Trask, District Attorney

**FINANCIAL DATA**

Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$250,000	In Current Year Budget:	No
Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ -0-	Budget Adjustment:	Yes
Annual Net County Cost:	\$ -0-	For Fiscal Year:	2003/04

**SOURCE OF FUNDS:** Office of Criminal Justice Planning Grant \$250,000

Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Requires 4/5 Vote	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:**

**APPROVE**

County Executive Office Signature



- Dep't Recomm.:  Consent  Policy
- Per Exec. Ofc.:  Consent  Policy

FISCAL PROCEDURES APPROVED  
ROBERT E. BYRD, Auditor-Controller

Approved by Ronald W. Komers  
Asst. County Executive Officer/  
Human Resources Director

BY   
Deputy  
Departmental Controller

DISTRICT ATTORNEY – FORM 11  
APPROVAL OF CRIMES AGAINST PEACE OFFICERS (CAPO) PROGRAM  
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In May 2003, Sheriff Deputy Bruce Lee from the eastern part of Riverside County was slain after a struggle with a suspect who bludgeoned him to death with the officer's baton. When peace officers respond to any type of call from a citizen, they literally put their lives on the line. In order for justice to prevail, it is essential that the Riverside County District Attorney's Office vigorously prosecute crimes against peace officers by focusing experienced prosecutors on the task.

The Governor's Office of Criminal Justice Planning has established a two-year pilot program targeting crimes against peace officers in which they have made \$250,000 available to Riverside County for the 12-month grant period. The Crimes Against Peace Officers (CAPO) program is designed to aggressively prosecute crimes against peace officers. The program allows crimes against peace officers to be vertically prosecuted by experienced, aggressive Deputy District Attorneys whose caseloads are reduced so they can focus on maximizing the prison sentence of these crimes. The CAPO grant will be funding two Deputy District Attorney IV positions for the western and eastern County regions.

Attachment to DISTRICT ATTORNEY – FORM 11  
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**Attachment “A”**

**Increase Estimated Appropriations:**

10000-2200100000-510040	Salaries	\$ 193,053
10000-2200100000-518100	Budgeted Benefits	<u>46,622</u>
	Subtotal	\$ 239,675
10000-2200100000-523680	Office Equipment	<u>10,325</u>
	TOTAL	\$ 250,000

**Increase Estimated Revenue:**

10000-2200100000-755680	CA – Other Operating Grants	\$250,000
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APPROVED  
REVENUE OFFICE

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3 RESOLUTION NO. 2003-461

4 RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE  
5 COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, REGARDING  
6 THE CRIMES AGAINST PEACE OFFICERS (CAPO) PROGRAM  
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8 WHEREAS, the County of Riverside desires to undertake a certain program designated Crimes  
9 Against Peace Officers (CAPO) Program to be funded in part from funds made available through the  
10 Governor's Office of Criminal Justice Planning (herein referred to as "OCJP"); now, therefore,

11 BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside,  
12 State of California, in regular session assembled on September 23, 2003, that the District  
13 Attorney of the County of Riverside, State of California is authorized, on its behalf, to submit the attached  
14 proposal to OCJP and is authorized to sign and approve on behalf of the Board of Supervisors of the  
15 County of Riverside the Grant Award Agreement, including any extensions or amendments thereof,  
16 between OCJP and the County through December 31, 2003 and OCJP's successor agency from January 1,  
17 2004 onward. (Per the State Budget Act of 2003-04, OCJP as an entity will no longer exist effective  
18 January 1, 2004 and its programs, including CAPO, will be transferred to another agency to be  
19 determined by the California Department of Finance.)

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any liability arising out of the performance of this grant  
21 award agreement, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the grant  
22 recipient and the authorizing agency. The State of California and OCJP disclaim responsibility for any  
23 such liability.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the resolution shall be in effect for a two-year period  
25 beginning September 1, 2003 and ending August 31, 2005.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant  
27 expenditures controlled by this body.  
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RESOLUTION NO. 440-8503

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside, State of California, in regular session assembled on September 23, 2003, that pursuant to Section 5.A. of Ordinance No. 440, the District Attorney of Ordinance No. 440, is authorized to make the following listed change(s), operative on the date of approval, as follows:

<u>Job Code</u>	<u>+/-</u>	<u>Department ID</u>	<u>Class Title</u>
78534	+ 2	2200100000	Deputy District Attorney IV