

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

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SUBMITTAL DATE:
08/29/05

FISCAL PROCEDURES APPROVED
ROBERT E. BYRD, Auditor-Controller
BY *[Signature]* 8/30/05
Deputy

FROM: Bob Doyle, Sheriff-Coroner-PA

SUBJECT: Acceptance of the U.S. Department of Justice
Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Award

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors:

1. Accept a 2005 Bulletproof Vest Partnership grant program award in the amount of \$34,475 from the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance for the acquisition of personal body armor for the Sheriff's Department.
2. Approve and direct the Auditor Controller to make the budget adjustments on the attached Schedule A.

BACKGROUND: The Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act of 1998 (PL 105-181) established a 50-50 matching grant program to help states, local jurisdictions and tribal governments purchase life-saving personal body armor for law enforcement personnel. The Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act of 2000 continued program authorization with funding priority given to jurisdictions of 100,000 or less in population. Once smaller jurisdictions are funded, any remaining dollars are awarded to larger jurisdictions requesting assistance. In 2004 and now in 2005, the County has received approximately 14% of the Federal share requested.

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$68,950	In Current Year Budget:	No
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$23,100	Budget Adjustment:	Yes
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$0	For Fiscal Year:	FY 2005-06

SOURCE OF FUNDS: Federal BJA grant and Department Budget	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:
APPROVE

County Executive Office Signature *[Signature]*

Dept't Recomm.:
 Per Exec. Ofc.:
 Policy
 Policy
 Consent
 Consent

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 2/15/05 3.23 | **District:** All | **Agenda Number:**

3.64

Sheriff's General Orders Manual states, "All armed uniform personnel who perform enforcement activity shall wear Department approved and issued soft body armor." Body armor is a requirement, with an average cost of \$500 per vest. Further, the Bureau of Justice Assistance lists the types of body armor that can be supported with the federal dollars.

The Board authorized submittal of this year's application (2/15/05 3.23) and committed to the 50% cash match required. The County's application was filed February 22, 2005 via the on-line Federal Grant Management System. Since the grant application and award process were conducted totally on-line, there is no formal agreement to execute.

The Sheriff's accounting staff at the Ben Clark Public Training Center will work with the Executive Office to prepare the single claim for reimbursement of the costs incurred. This request is filed electronically, and when verified by staff at the Bureau of Justice Assistance, funds are sent to the County through a wire transfer. With the grant funding and the Department's 50% match, we will purchase about 130 vests.

Schedule A

Increase Appropriations:

10000-2500700000-520105	Protective Gear	\$34,475
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Increase Estimated Revenues:

10000-2500700000-767220	Federal-Other Grants	\$34,475
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