

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the Fiscal Year 2013-2014 Sobriety Checkpoint Program grant award for use by Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD).

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. AUTHORIZE the Chief, LAPD, or designee to:
 - a. Retroactively apply for and accept the 2013-14 Sobriety Checkpoint Mini-Grant in the amount of \$2,244,100 from the State of California Office of Traffic Safety and University of California, Berkeley - Safe Transportation Research and Education Center for the period October 1, 2013 through September 30, 2014.
 - b. Execute the Grant Agreement (attached to the Council file) on behalf of the City and submit the necessary documents relative to the grant award, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality.

2. AUTHORIZE the LAPD to:
 - a. Expend \$2,244,100 of the 2013-14 Sobriety Checkpoint Mini-Grant funds in accordance with the Grant Agreement.
 - b. Submit grant reimbursement request to the grantor and deposit grant receipts in the Police Department Grants Fund No. 339/70.

3. AUTHORIZE the Controller to:
 - a. Establish a grant receivable in the amount of \$2,244,100 and establish an appropriation account, account number to be determined, within Fund No. 339/70 for the receipt and disbursement of grant funds.
 - b. Increase appropriations on an as-needed basis as follows:

<u>Fund/Dept No.</u>	<u>Account Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
From: 339/70	70XXX 2013-14 Sobriety Checkpoint Mini-Grant	\$1,500,000

<u>Fund/Dept No.</u>	<u>Account Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
To: 100/70	001090 Overtime General	\$100,000
100/70	001092 Overtime Sworn	<u>1,400,000</u>
		Total: \$1,500,000

4. INSTRUCT the City Clerk to place on the City Council agenda on JULY 1, 2014, or the first meeting day thereafter the following instructions:

AUTHORIZE the Controller to increase appropriations on an as-needed basis as follows:

<u>Fund/Dept No.</u>	<u>Account Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
From: 339/70	70XXX 2013-14 Sobriety Checkpoint Mini-Grant	\$716,000

<u>Fund/Dept No.</u>	<u>Account Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
To: 100/70	001090 Overtime General	\$46,000
100/70	001092 Overtime Sworn	<u>670,000</u>
		Total: \$716,000

5. AUTHORIZE the LAPD to prepare Controller's instructions for any technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer (CAO); and, AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement the instructions.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The CAO reports that this action will not impact the General Fund. Approval of the above recommendations will provide \$2,244,100 in funding to the LAPD to conduct sobriety checkpoints on an overtime basis as part of the Sobriety Checkpoint Mini-Grant program. No matching funds are required. Acceptance of the grant is in compliance with City financial policies in that one-time revenue is used for one-time expenses.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

In a report to the Mayor and Council dated November 4, 2013 (attached to the Council file), the CAO states that the LAPD seeks retroactive approval to apply for and accept the a\$2,244,100 grant award from the State of California Office of Traffic Safety for the 2013-14 Sobriety Checkpoint Mini-Grant Program. According to the CAO, the goal of the program is to reduce the number of people killed or injured in driving under the influence traffic collisions within the City. The program period includes two national target mobilization periods: Winter Holiday (December 13, 2013 through January 1, 2014) and Labor Day (August 15, 2014 through September 1, 2014). The LAPD will use \$2,216,000 to provide overtime to sworn and civilian personnel to staff 160 checkpoint operations throughout the grant term. The balance of \$28,100 will be used to purchase checkpoint supplies including lights, generators, portable breath alcohol testing devices, signage, and cones.

On September 24, 2013, the Board of Police Commissioners approved LAPD's request for authority to accept the Sobriety Checkpoint Mini-Grant. The CAO concurs with this action.

At its meeting held November 8, 2013, the Public Safety Committee recommended that Council authorize LAPD to accept this grant, as recommended by the Board of Police Commissioners and the CAO.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
ENGLANDER:	YES
BUSCAINO:	YES
BONIN:	YES
O'FARRELL	YES
MARTINEZ:	ABSENT

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