

CITY OF LOS ANGELES  
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To: The Mayor  
The CouncilAttn: Mandy Morales, Mayor's Office  
John White, City Clerk's OfficeFrom: Miguel A. Santana, City Administrative Officer Subject: **GRANTS PILOT PROGRAM – GRANT ACCEPTANCE PACKET FOR THE  
FY2015-16 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, BUREAU OF JUSTICE  
ASSISTANCE SMART PROSECUTION INITIATIVE GRANT**

Attached is the Grant Acceptance Packet for the FY2015-16 U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance Smart Prosecution Initiative Grant in the amount of \$435,253 for the support of Project INTERCEPT (Introducing New Tools based on Evidence and Risk-assessments to Confirm Eligibility for Prosecution Treatment), a program to utilize evidence-based risk assessment tools to evaluate prosecutorial diversion approaches for cited offenders in two areas with high arrest and incarceration rates: South Los Angeles and Hollywood (Los Angeles Promise Zone). The grant performance period is effective for a 24-month period from October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2016. The City Attorney has requested two Administrative Coordinator II positions to implement Project INTERCEPT. As a participant in the Grants Pilot Program, this department submitted the packet for review and analysis by the CAO Grants Oversight Unit and the appropriate CAO Analyst.

In accordance with the approved procedures for the Pilot, this Office reviewed the Packet for completeness, conducted a concise analysis and prepared a Fiscal Impact Statement. The Grant Acceptance Packet consists of the following:

- Review of Grant Award and Acceptance Determination
- Department Request for Acceptance of Grant Award
- Department Application Summary

If you have any questions about the Grants Pilot Program or the procedures for the Grant Acceptance Packet, please contact Camilla Fong at 213-978-7681.

Attachments

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