



Approved as to Form and Legality

Kenneth Wood

Date Adopted

December 4, 2019

Committee

Public Safety

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS
SUPPORTING AND APPROVING AN APPLICATION TO THE
EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG)
MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL GANG, GUN AND NARCOTICS TASK FORCE GRANT
PROGRAM FOR THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE [SubAward No. JAG 1-17TF-17]**

WHEREAS, the Attorney General has been designated by the Governor to implement the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program for state and local assistance, funded by the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1986, pub. L. 99-570, Subtitle K, as part of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, 42 U.S.C. 3711, et seq., as amended; and

WHEREAS, the Division is offering the Salem County Prosecutor's Office a program grant under the subtitle "Multi-Jurisdictional Gangs, Guns and Narcotics Task Force – Byrne Grant", Grant Number JAG 1-17TF-17, in accordance with the grant application on file with the Clerk of the Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Chosen Freeholders ("Board") recognizes the need to assist the Prosecutor's Office, the New Jersey Division of Criminal Justice ("Division") and law enforcement in the program goals described in the grant application on file with the Clerk of the Board for the collective benefit of this County and the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid grant application seeks funds appropriated under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program (Grant Number JAG 1-17TF-17 for the period of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019, in the amount of \$127,189.00 and

WHEREAS, this agreement shall further be contingent upon availability and appropriation of sufficient funds for this purpose in the County's temporary and/or permanent budget; and

WHEREAS, the Board supports this grant application.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem that:

1. The project grant application on file with the Clerk of the Board is supported and approved by the Public Safety Committee.
2. The Attorney General will receive funds on behalf of the applicant, Salem County Prosecutor's Office.
3. The Division of Criminal Justice shall receive, review and approve applications for said funds and initiate allocations to the applicant, Salem County Prosecutor's Office.
4. The County Prosecutor, the Chief Finance Officer, the Project Contact person from the Prosecutor's Office, as well as any other necessary parties, are hereby authorized and directed to execute all project grant documents.

5. Five fully executed copies of this resolution shall be provided to the County Prosecutor forthwith.

R. Scott Griscorn

R. SCOTT GRISCOM, Freeholder
Chairman – Public Safety Committee

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true resolution adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem at its regular meeting held on December 4, 2019.

Stacy L. Pennington

STACY L. PENNINGTON, Clerk of the Board

RECORD OF VOTE

FREEHOLDER	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	RESOLUTION MOVED	RESOLUTION SECONDED
G. Ostrum, Jr.	✓					✓
C. Hassler	✓					
L. Ware	✓					
R. S. Griscorn	✓				✓	
B. Laury	✓					

✓ Indicates Vote

Department Initials

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