



# Lake County Illinois

## Legislation Text

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Joint resolution approving an emergency appropriation from the State's Attorney's Asset Forfeiture Fund for contribution toward a required equipment grant match for a Crime Scene Scanner.

- The Lake County State's Attorney's Office partnered with Mundelein Police Department and the Lake County Major Crimes Task Force to apply for a grant to purchase a cutting edge technology, a digital 360 degree Crime Scene Scanner.
- The Crime Scene Scanner will assist in the investigation and prosecution of major crimes by providing permanent, accurate, detailed, virtual-reality images and simulations of crime scenes.
- Due to the requirements of the grant solicitation, Mundelein Police Department was the applicant agency, and was awarded a grant through the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority.
- The \$66,000 grant #405703 is comprised of 75% federal funds (through the US Department of Justice's JAG Grant program) and 25% required matching funds.
- The Lake County Major Crimes Task Force (LCMCTF) is the program agency which will use the Crime Scene Scanner in investigations.
- The Lake County State's Attorney's Office will use the images produced by the Scanner in furtherance of prosecuting violent criminals.
- The LCMCTF is contributing \$9,500 toward the 25% required match and \$7,000 is to be contributed from the State's Attorney Asset Forfeiture toward the 25% required match to support this grant.
- This grant match was not budgeted in the Asset Forfeiture Fund's County Fiscal Year 2010 budget, therefore a resolution is requested to support this \$7,000 contribution.

### RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS**, the State's Attorney's Office supports the equipment grant award to the Mundelein Police Department on behalf of the Lake County Major Crimes Task Force and has agreed to contribute \$7,000 toward the required grant match for the purchase of a Crime Scene Scanner; and

**WHEREAS**, offsetting revenue from the State's Attorneys Asset Forfeiture Fund is available; and

**WHEREAS**, the contribution toward this equipment is \$7,000 and will be charged to account 760-3318010-72790 and

**WHEREAS**, an emergency appropriation is requested for this expense, since it was not included in the State's Attorney's Asset Forfeiture Fund Fiscal Year 2010 budget.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by this County Board of Lake County, Illinois, that the State's Attorney's Asset Forfeiture Fund contribution toward the required grant match for the purchase of a Crime Scene Scanner is approved; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that an emergency appropriation for the expense of \$7,000 is hereby authorized.

**DATED**, at Waukegan, Lake County, Illinois on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, A.D., 2010