

Lake County Illinois

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Title: Joint resolution authorizing the renewal of the Juvenile Accountability Block Grant (JABG) funding to

continue the State's Attorney's Victim/Offender Mediation (VOM) program, administered by the Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission (IJJC), housed within the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS),

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- A VOM program has been a priority for the Lake County Juvenile Justice Council and the State's Attorney's Office for several years, addressing the goals of reducing juvenile recidivism and assuring offender accountability.
- The VOM funding began in 2010 and has been renewed each year.
- This renewal is for the performance period of July 1, 2016, to June 30, 2017.
- The program is 90 percent funded by the grant in the amount of \$39,231, and a 10 percent cash match in the amount of \$4,359, for total program funding of \$43,590; no matching funds are being requested from the County's general fund, but are being provided from local partners or the State's Attorney's Money Laundering Forfeiture Fund.
- The program supports one part-time coordinator to provide a neutral party for the facilitation of the program. The coordinator is contracted to minimize costs. The program will also fund supplies to support the program.
- This program works in conjunction with the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit's Juvenile Voluntary Supervision
 Diversion Program, and provides a platform for victims to talk face to face with juvenile offenders of
 nonviolent crimes.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission (IJJC), housed within the IDHS has announced the continuation of the State's Attorney's Victim Offender Mediation (VOM) program, with a 12 month

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renewal that includes \$39,231 in federal funds to provide victim offender mediations during the period of July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the program budget includes \$39,231 in federal funds and \$4,359 in match, which will be appropriated in the County FY 2016 budget; and

WHEREAS, the 10 percent match is required and is being supplied by external local sources or the State's Attorney's Money Laundering Forfeiture Fund and not with County's general funds; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to authorize the renewal as described herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by this County Board of Lake County, Illinois, that the renewal of the State's Attorney's Victim/Offender Mediation grant program, in the amount of \$39,231 for the period beginning July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 from the IJJC, is hereby authorized and accepted; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the appropriation of \$43,590 is hereby authorized in fund 101, management center 3330040, account 79940, with an equal amount of offsetting revenue in federal funds of \$39,231 to be deposited to account 101-3330040-45334, and external (non-general County fund) match funds of \$4,359 to be deposited to account 101-3330040-45400; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the State's Attorney shall serve as project director for the program, and accurate records of all necessary grant compliance requirements shall be kept by the State's Attorney Office; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Board, the Lake County State's Attorney, and Lake County Treasurer are hereby authorized to execute the necessary documentation to accept the award.

DATED at Waukegan, Lake County, Illinois, on July 12, 2016.