

South Portland City Council
Position Paper of the City Manager

Subject:

ORDER #145-13/14 – Authorizing the City’s participation in submitting an application and accepting a 2013 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant in the amount of \$20,106 to be used by the Police Department. Passage requires majority vote.

Position:

The Police Department is eligible to receive \$20,106 under the 2014 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant. The application to receive these funds must be submitted by June 10, 2014. This year, this grant will be applied through a joint application with the City of Portland and Cumberland County. The City of Portland will be completing the application and administer the program. Each entity will sign a Memorandum of Understanding.

Like previous grants there is also a requirement that the public have an opportunity to comment.

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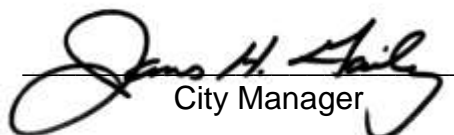
- Law enforcement programs
- Prosecution and court programs
- Prevention and education programs
- Corrections and community corrections programs
- Drug treatment programs
- Planning, evaluation and technology improvement programs

The application will be processed on-line after public comments are heard and the City Council acts on this order.

This order is brought forward as two-fold; first to authorize the submittal of the application and second, to accept these funds. The \$20,106 will be credited to the 2014 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Account.

Requested Action:

Council passage of ORDER #145-13/14


City Manager



POLICE DEPARTMENT

EDWARD J. GOOGINS
CHIEF OF POLICE

AMY J. BERRY
DEPUTY CHIEF

To: James H. Gaily, City Manager
From: Edward J. Googins, Police Chief
Date: April 24, 2014
Ref: FY 2014 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant

The department has learned it is eligible for a \$20,106 Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant which has to be applied for by June 10, 2014. This year, our application will be a joint one with the Portland Police Department and the Cumberland County Sheriff's Office. Lisa Perrotta, Portland P. D.'s grant administrator will be administering the grant for all three agencies.

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Like previous JAG grants, there is a requirement that the public have an opportunity to comment and I will wait until this occurs before deciding how to best use the funds.

I would ask that this item be placed on an upcoming Council agenda for public comment and Council action. The funds will not be available until after October 1, 2014.



CITY OF SOUTH PORTLAND

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ORDER #145-13/14

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ORDERED, that the City Manager be and hereby is authorized to submit an application to receive funding from the FY 2014 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that a 2014 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant in the amount of twenty thousand one hundred six dollars (\$20,106) be and hereby is accepted to be used by the South Portland Police Department.

Said amount shall be credited to the FY14 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Account #215141-441001-14638.

Fiscal Note: \$20,106 Revenue

Dated: May 5, 2014

2014 MAINE JAG ALLOCATIONS

Listed below are all jurisdictions in the state that are eligible for FY 2014 JAG funding, as determined by the JAG formula. If your jurisdiction is listed with another city or county government in a shaded area, you are in a funding disparity. In this case, the units of local government must develop a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and apply for an award with a single, joint application.

Finding your jurisdiction:(1) Disparate jurisdictions are listed in shaded groups below, in alphabetic order by county.(2) Eligible individual allocations are listed alphabetically below the shaded, disparate groupings.

Counties that have an asterisk (*) under the "Eligible Individual Allocation" column did not submit the level of violent crime data to qualify for a direct award from BJA, but are in the disparate grouping indicated by the shaded area. The JAG legislation requires these counties to remain a partner with the local jurisdictions receiving funds and must be a signatory on the required Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). A sample MOU is provided online at: <https://www.bja.gov/Funding/JAGMOU.pdf>. Disparate jurisdictions do not need to abide by the listed individual allocations, which are provided for information only. Jurisdictions in a funding disparity are responsible for determining individual amounts within the Eligible Joint Allocation and for documenting individual allocations in the MOU. For additional details regarding the JAG formula and award calculation process, with examples, please refer to the updated JAG Technical report: <https://www.bja.gov/Publications/JAGTechRpt.pdf>.

For JAG Frequently Asked Questions, please refer to BJA's JAG webpage: <https://www.bja.gov/Funding/JAGFAQ.pdf>.

ME	ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY	County	*	
ME	AUBURN CITY	Municipal	\$16,392	
ME	LEWISTON CITY	Municipal	\$32,016	\$48,408
ME	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	County	\$12,422	
ME	PORTLAND CITY	Municipal	\$77,480	
ME	SOUTH PORTLAND CITY	Municipal	\$20,106	\$110,008
ME	KENNEBEC COUNTY	County	*	
ME	AUGUSTA CITY	Municipal	\$27,534	
ME	WATERVILLE CITY	Municipal	\$15,368	\$42,902
ME	PENOBSCOT COUNTY	County	*	
ME	BANGOR CITY	Municipal	\$25,229	\$25,229
ME	YORK COUNTY	County	\$11,270	
ME	BIDDEFORD CITY	Municipal	\$30,736	
ME	SANFORD TOWN	Township	\$20,747	\$62,753
ME	SACO CITY	Municipal	\$13,831	
ME	WASHINGTON COUNTY	County	\$10,758	
ME	WESTBROOK CITY	Municipal	\$12,550	
Local total			\$326,439	