



## Council Report

To: The Honorable Mayor and City Council

From: Natasha Colebrook-Williams, Chief of Staff *NCW*

Date: June 28, 2016

**RE: UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EDWARD BYRNE  
MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) 2017 ENHANCED LAW  
ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM**

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Mayor and City Council approve the attached resolution authorizing the submittal of an application and authorizing the City Manager and City Attorney to negotiate and execute an agreement between the city of North Miami and the United States Department of Justice for the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) 2017 Enhanced Law Enforcement Program.

### **BACKGROUND**

The City is requesting a grant in the amount of \$42,222.00 with no required match. The funds will be utilized toward the improvement and update of hardware, software, and information technology support services.

### **ATTACHMENTS**

Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A GRANT APPLICATION AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY ATTORNEY TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FOR GRANT FUNDS FROM THE EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) 2017 ENHANCED LAW ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council of the City of North Miami (“City”) are desirous of applying for and securing a grant from the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) 2017 Enhanced Law Enforcement Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is requesting a grant for a project at a total cost of Forty-Two Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-Two Dollars (\$42,222.00) in grant funds with no required match; and

**WHEREAS**, funds will be utilized toward the improvement and update of hardware, software, and information technology support services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council wish to authorize the submittal of a grant application as well as to fully authorize the negotiation and execution of an agreement between the City and the United States Department of Justice for the purpose of securing grant funds.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1. Authorization to Submit Grant Application.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the submission of an application to the United States Department of Justice for a Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) 2017 Enhanced Law Enforcement Programs Grant.

**Section 2. Authority to City Manager and City Attorney.** The City Manager and City Attorney are hereby authorized to negotiate and execute an agreement between the City of North Miami, Florida and the United States Department of Justice.

**Section 3. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by a \_\_\_\_\_ vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

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DR. SMITH JOSEPH  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

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MICHAEL A. ETIENNE, ESQ.  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

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JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: \_\_\_\_\_

Seconded by: \_\_\_\_\_

**Vote:**

Mayor Smith Joseph, D.O., Pharm. D.  
Vice Mayor Alix Desulme  
Councilman Scott Galvin  
Councilwoman Carol Keys, Esq.  
Councilman Philippe Bien-Aime

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