

CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA SUMMARY FORM



DEPARTMENT / COUNCIL OFFICE: El Paso Police Department

AGENDA DATE: 3/3/26

PUBLIC HEARING DATE:

CONTACT PERSON NAME: A/C Humberto Talamantes

PHONE NUMBER: (915) 212-4309

2nd CONTACT PERSON NAME:

PHONE NUMBER:

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: All Districts

AGENDA ITEM:

A resolution authorizing the City Manager or designee to submit to the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas, grant application number 5407102 for the City of El Paso Police Department project identified as "Operation Lone Star Grant FY27" to provide financial assistance to the City of El Paso. Requesting \$500,000.00. No cash match is required. The grant period will be from September 1, 2026 – August 31, 2027.

ISSUE STATEMENT:

Operation Lone Star (OLS) grant funding will allow the department to continue to address criminal activities occurring within the City of El Paso without interruption. Funding will be used to support local border security operations in an investigative capacity to reduce border-related criminal activities occurring within the City of El Paso. Sworn El Paso Police Officers will conduct operations on an overtime basis to target criminal activities involving illicit money, illegal weapons, ammunition, vehicle thefts, gangs, illegal narcotics, and wanted criminals. OLS Grant funding will allow officers to disrupt and deter criminal activities associated with Mexican Cartels and Transnational Gangs operating on both sides of the El Paso, TX and Juarez, MX border.

BACKGROUND:

The El Paso Police Department is the current recipient of the Operation Lone Star Grant FY26.

COUNCIL OPTIONS:

1. Approve the award as presented.
2. Decline approval and direct staff to return with alternative options.

COMMITTEE REVIEW AND/OR RECOMMENDATION:

This item was not reviewed by a City Council committee.

COMMUNITY AND STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH (if applicable, as an attachment) – please include:

None

RELATED CITY POLICIES:

Strategic Goal 2: Set the Standard for a Safe and Secure City.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

The Operation Lone Star grant application for FY26 was approved by City Council on March 4, 2025.

LEGAL REVIEW:

- Legal counsel reviewed as a part of Council packet
- Legal counsel reviewed in advance of packet as an individual item

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Total estimated award: \$500,000 dollars from the Office of the Governor of the State of Texas.

REPORTING OF CONTRIBUTION OR DONATION TO CITY COUNCIL:

NAME	AMOUNT (\$)

ATTACHMENTS:

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

A/C Humberto Talamantes

(915) 212-4309

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*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

SIGNATURE:

Humberto Talamantes

(If Agenda Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of El Paso (the “City”) is eligible to apply for grant funding administered by the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the El Paso City Council (“City Council”) seeks to obtain grant funding through the grant application number 5407102 for the El Paso Police Department project identified as *Operation Lone Star FY2027*; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 016016, the City Council previously designated the City Manager as the authorized signatory for City grant applications and acceptances in the interest of efficiency of administrative governmental operations; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, through the City Manager, has authorized the Grants Administrator as the Authorized Official for purposes of compliance with grant application, administration, and reporting requirements imposed by the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas and other applicable state granting authorities, including the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the applicant agency; and

WHEREAS, the City acknowledges that, for purposes of compliance with grant requirements imposed by the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas and other applicable state granting authorities, a Financial Officer separate from the Authorized Official is required to administer grant-related financial and programmatic reporting functions on behalf of the City.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

1. **THAT**, the City Council, through the City Manager, has authorized the Grants Administrator as the City’s Authorized Official for purposes of compliance with grant application, administration, and reporting requirements imposed by the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas and other applicable state granting authorities, with the authority to apply, submit, accept, reject, alter, or terminate grant applications, agreements, and related documents on behalf of the City.
2. **THAT**, the Grants Administrator is authorized to apply for and submit to the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas, grant application number 5407102, for the City of El Paso Police Department project identified as *Operation Lone Star FY2027* to provide financial assistance to the City of El Paso.
3. **THAT**, the City of El Paso shall provide all applicable matching funds for the Grant if applicable.

4. **THAT**, in the event of loss or misuse of said grant funds, the City of El Paso agrees to return all such funds for said grant to the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas in accordance with applicable grant requirements.
5. **THAT**, the City Council, through the City Manager, hereby designates the Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Comptroller, as the City's Financial Officer for purposes of compliance with grant requirements imposed by the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas and other applicable state granting authorities, either of whom is authorized to submit financial and programmatic reports and to perform grant-related actions on behalf of the City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the City Council, through the City Manager, hereby designates the Grants Administrator, as the City's Authorized Official who is authorized to execute any related documents to carry the intent of this Resolution, including but not limited to the grant agreement, the authorization of budget transfers, and/or revisions to the operation plan, as well as any grant amendments, corrections, or extensions of the grant agreement that increase, decrease, or de-obligate program funds, provided that no additional City funds are required.

APPROVED this ____ day of _____ 2026.

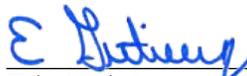
CITY OF EL PASO:

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Mayor

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City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Eric Gutierrez
Senior Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



Peter Pacillas
Department Director

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Agency Name: El Paso, City of
Grant/App: 5407102 **Start Date:** 9/1/2026 **End Date:** 8/31/2027

Project Title: Operation Lone Star FY2027
Status: Application Pending Submission

Eligibility Information

Your organization's Texas Payee/Taxpayer ID Number:
17460007499014

Application Eligibility Certify:

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Profile Information

Applicant Agency Name: El Paso, City of
Project Title: Operation Lone Star FY2027
Division or Unit to Administer the Project: El Paso Police Department
Address Line 1: 300 North Campbell St
Address Line 2:
City/State/Zip: El Paso Texas 79901-1402
Start Date: 9/1/2026
End Date: 8/31/2027

Regional Council of Governments(COG) within the Project's Impact Area: Rio Grande Council of Governments

Headquarter County: El Paso
Counties within Project's Impact Area: El Paso

Grant Officials:

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Position: Grants Administrator

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Position: Project Director

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Position: Research Assistant

Grant Vendor Information

Organization Type: Unit of Local Government (City, Town, or Village)
Organization Option: applying to provide homeland security services
Applicant Agency's State Payee Identification Number (e.g., Federal Employer's Identification (FEI) Number or Vendor ID): 17460007499014
Unique Entity Identifier (UEI): KLZGKXNFVTL4

Narrative Information

Introduction

The purpose of the program is to enhance interagency border security operations supporting Operation Lone Star including the facilitation of directed actions to deter and interdict criminal activity. Program participants shall assist DPS in the execution of coordinated border security operations in an effort to:

Law Enforcement

- Increase the effectiveness and impact of Operation Lone Star.
- Reduce border-related criminal activity in Texas.
- Implement and increase the effectiveness of operational methods, measures, and techniques for outbound/southbound operations.
- Decrease the supply of drugs smuggled into and through Texas from Mexico.
- Disrupt and deter operations of gang and cartel criminal organizations.
- Decrease specifically targeted tactics (such as conveyance methods) for drugs in the Texas border region.
- Decrease use of specific areas for crime as targeted in directed action missions.
- Increase the effectiveness of directed action missions based upon intelligence and analysis to ensure they target the most serious threats and are conducted in high pay-off areas.
- Increase coordination between local and state law enforcement agencies in planning, execution, and analysis of border security operations.

Program Requirements

Regional Joint Operations Intelligence Center (JOIC) Coordination

Grantees must agree to perform the following activities:

- Participate in operational planning and coordination meetings, information/intelligence sharing meetings, and After Action Reviews (AARs) established by the Texas Department of Public Safety's (DPS) Joint Operations and Intelligence Centers (JOICs).
- Participate weekly on the JOIC Unified Command conference calls or meetings as required by the JOIC.
- Report significant border-related events that occur during each 24-hour period.
- Conduct enhanced law enforcement patrolling activities
- Recognize and react to information/intelligence to adjust times and locations of enhanced patrol activities.
- Identify significant border-related trends or areas of interest that may be developed into focus areas for future operations.
- Conduct surveillance, interdictions, investigations, and collect and disseminate information within its jurisdiction or cross-jurisdiction lines as required.
- Conduct Steady State operations and respond to calls for service.
- Integrate air, ground, marine, and remote operations.

Border Incident Assessment Report (BIAR) Submission

Grantees must agree to submit BIAR reports to the JOIC:

The grantee shall report all border-related events to the JOIC using the BIAR. BIAR reporting shall include events that occur during Enhanced Operation activities AND events that occur during Steady State activities.

Enhanced (Surge) Operations originate out of the use of Operation Lone Star funds when the local agency chooses to increase the hours of patrol or the number of investigative bodies. Steady State activities are defined as normal patrol or investigative duties that do not use grant funds, but directly impact the overall Operation Lone Star mission, such as organized crime arrests, terroristic activities, weapons trafficking arrests, kidnappings, human trafficking, human smuggling, home invasions with a border or organized crime nexus, illegal immigration, border-related murders, gang-related murders, vehicle thefts, or drug trafficking.

The BIAR is the primary incident and information-reporting tool for the grantee in Operation Lone Star activities. The grantee shall ensure all BIARs conform to the respective standards outlined by the JOIC and are submitted within 24 hours of the end of shift and/or the timeframes established by the JOIC.

Certifications

In addition to the requirements found in existing statute, regulation, and the funding announcement, this program requires applicant organizations to certify compliance with the following:

Resolution from Governing Body

Applications from nonprofit corporations, local units of governments, and other political subdivisions must submit a fully executed resolution with the application to be considered eligible for funding. The resolution must contain the following elements (see [Sample Resolution](#)):

- Authorization by your governing body for the submission of the application to the Public Safety Office (PSO) that clearly identifies the name of the project for which funding is requested;
- A commitment to provide all applicable matching funds;
- A designation of the name and/or title of an authorized official who is given the authority to apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate a grant;
- A designation of the name and/or title of a financial officer who is given the authority to submit financial and/or performance reports or alter a grant; and
- A written assurance that, in the event of loss or misuse of grant funds, the governing body will return all funds to PSO.

Cybersecurity Training Requirement

Local units of governments must comply with the Cybersecurity Training requirements described in Section 772.012 and Section 2054.5191 of the Texas Government Code. Local governments determined to not be in compliance with the cybersecurity requirements required by Section 2054.5191 of the Texas Government Code are ineligible for OOG grant funds until the second anniversary of the date the local government is determined ineligible. Government entities must annually certify their compliance with the training requirements using the Cybersecurity Training Certification for State and Local Governments. A copy of the Training Certification must be uploaded to your eGrants application. For more information or to access available training programs, visit the Texas Department of Information Resources [Statewide Cybersecurity Awareness Training](#) page.

Criminal History Reporting

Entities receiving funds from PSO must be located in a county that has an average of 90% or above on both adult and juvenile dispositions entered into the computerized criminal history database maintained by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) as directed in the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, Chapter 66. The disposition completeness percentage is defined as the percentage of arrest charges a county reports to DPS for which a disposition has been subsequently reported and entered into the computerized criminal history system.

Counties applying for grant awards from the Office of the Governor must commit that the county will report at least 90% of convictions within five business days to the Criminal Justice Information System at the Department of Public Safety.

Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)

Eligible applicants operating a law enforcement agency must be current on reporting complete UCR data and the Texas specific reporting mandated by 411.042 TGC, to the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) for inclusion in the annual Crime in Texas (CIT) publication. To be considered eligible for funding, applicants must have submitted a full twelve months of accurate data to DPS for the most recent calendar year by the deadline(s) established by DPS. Due to the importance of timely reporting, applicants are required to submit complete and accurate UCR data, as well as the Texas-mandated reporting, on a no less than monthly basis and respond promptly to requests from DPS related to the data submitted.

Entities That Collect Sexual Assault/Sex Offense Evidence or Investigate/Prosecute Sexual Assault or Other Sex Offenses

In accordance with Texas Government Code, Section 420.034, any facility or entity that collects evidence for sexual assault or other sex offenses or investigates or prosecutes a sexual assault or other sex offense for which evidence has been collected, must participate in the statewide electronic tracking system developed and implemented by the Texas Department of Public Safety. Visit DPS's [Sexual Assault Evidence Tracking Program](#) website for more information or to set up an account to begin participating. Additionally, per Section 420.042 "A law enforcement agency that receives evidence of a sexual assault or other sex offense...shall submit that evidence to a public accredited crime laboratory for analysis no later than the 30th day after the date on which that evidence was received." A law enforcement agency in possession of a significant number of Sexual Assault Evidence Kits (SAEK) where the 30-day window has passed may be considered noncompliant.

Program Income

Applicant agrees to comply with all federal and state rules and regulations for program income and agrees to report all program income that is generated as a result of the project's activities. Applicant agrees to report

report all program income that is generated as a result of the project's activities. Applicant agrees to report program income through a formal grant adjustment and to secure PSO approval prior to use of the program income. Applicant agrees to use program income for allowable costs and agrees to expend program income immediately after PSO's approval of a grant adjustment and prior to requesting reimbursement of funds.

Deduction Method - Program income shall be deducted from total allowable costs to determine the net allowable costs. Program income shall be used for current costs unless PSO authorizes otherwise. Program income which the grantee did not anticipate at the time of the award shall be used to reduce the PSO award and grantee match rather than to increase the funds committed to the project.

Asset Seizures and Forfeitures - Program income from asset seizures and forfeitures is considered earned when the property has been adjudicated to the benefit of the plaintiff (e.g., law enforcement entity).

Compliance with State and Federal Laws, Programs and Procedures

Local units of government, including cities, counties and other general purpose political subdivisions, as appropriate, and institutions of higher education that operate a law enforcement agency, must comply with all aspects of the programs and procedures utilized by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security ("DHS") to: (1) notify DHS of all information requested by DHS related to illegal aliens in Agency's custody; and (2) detain such illegal aliens in accordance with requests by DHS. Additionally, counties and municipalities may NOT have in effect, purport to have in effect, or make themselves subject to or bound by, any law, rule, policy, or practice (written or unwritten) that would: (1) require or authorize the public disclosure of federal law enforcement information in order to conceal, harbor, or shield from detection fugitives from justice or aliens illegally in the United States; or 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(iii); (2) impede federal officers from exercising authority under 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a), § 1226(c), § 1231(a), § 1357(a), § 1366(1), or § 1366(3); (3) encourage or induce an alien to come to, enter, or reside in the United States in violation of law, 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(iv); (4) result in the illegal transport or movement of aliens within the United States, 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(ii). Lastly, eligible applicants must comply with all provisions, policies, and penalties found in Chapter 752, Subchapter C of the Texas Government Code.

Each local unit of government, and institution of higher education that operates a law enforcement agency, must download, complete and then upload into eGrants the [CEO/Law Enforcement Certifications and Assurances Form](#) certifying compliance with federal and state immigration enforcement requirements. This Form is required for each application submitted to PSO and is active until August 31, 2027 or the end of the grant period, whichever is later.

Overall Certification

Each applicant agency must certify to the specific requirements detailed above as well as to comply with all requirements within the PSO Funding Announcement, the *Guide to Grants*, the *Grantee Conditions and Responsibilities*, any authorizing or applicable state and federal statutes and regulations to be eligible for this program.

X I certify to all of the application content and requirements.

Project Summary :

Briefly summarize the project, including proposed activities and intended impact.

The El Paso Police Department will enhance interagency border security operations in support of the Operation Lone Star Grant Program, by directed actions to deter, and interdict criminal activity in an investigative capacity. Officers will target criminal activities involving illicit money, illegal weapons, ammunition, vehicle thefts, gangs, illegal narcotics, and wanted subjects. Enhanced (Surge) Overtime Operations will include, but are not limited to directed patrol of high crime areas, surveillance, gang & fugitive roundups, counter auto theft measures, Southbound bridge operations, and/or joint operations with local, state, and federal agencies. The goal is to reduce border related criminal activity in El Paso, Texas by disrupting and deterring operations of Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs operating within the Texas border region of El Paso-Ciudad Juarez.

Problem Statement :

Provide a detailed account of the issues, threats or hazards that your project will target. For federal Homeland Security Grants, include specific references to the regional or state *Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment (THIRA)*, as applicable.

The El Paso-Ciudad Juarez community is the largest metropolitan area on the border between the United States and Mexico. The metropolitan area has a combined population of approximately 2.4 million inhabitants (Source:

U.S. Census Bureau and State of Chihuahua CIES). The large amount of inhabitants affords Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs an exclusive opportunity to illegally profit from criminal activities along the Texas border region of El Paso-Ciudad Juarez. Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs are very organized and continue to build their criminal enterprises. Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs that operate within El Paso-Ciudad Juarez are responsible for organizing the illegal importation of narcotics and human trafficking of persons into the United States. The same criminal organizations are also responsible for the illegal exportation of firearms, ammunition, illegal money proceeds, and stolen vehicles. There is a direct correlation between criminal organizations (Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs) involving stolen vehicles from the United States. Stolen vehicles are a low-risk way that organized criminal organizations make quick profits to fund and finance other criminal activities. The ongoing violence created by Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs in Ciudad Juarez continues to pose an immediate threat of a spillover into the City and County of El Paso, Texas. The El Paso Police Department's estimate of the Ciudad Juarez murder count as of January 16, 2026, based on open-source information, is approximately 22 murders for the year to date. The estimated murder count for 2025 ended with 923 murders, based on open-source information. Enhanced overtime operations, in support of Operation Lone Star, by the El Paso Police Department are essential to combat and deter the criminal activities attributed to Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs operating within the El Paso-Ciudad Juarez border region.

Existing Capability Levels :

Describe the existing capability levels, including resources that are currently in place to support this project prior to the use of grant funds.

Currently the El Paso Police Department is the recipient of the FY2026 Operation Lone Star (OLS) Grant. The funding has allowed officers of the El Paso Police Department (EPPD) to work enhanced operations in an investigative capacity on an overtime basis, in an effort to target criminal activities involving money, weapons, ammunition, automobile crimes, gangs, narcotics, wanted subjects and other criminal activities along the El Paso, Texas border region. During Operation Lone Star FY2026, EPPD Officers have made numerous arrests for felony offenses, misdemeanor offenses, arrests of gang members, conducted traffic stops, and seized weapons in furtherance of the border initiative. Operational times and personnel working each assignment are conditional upon availability of staffing and grant funding.

Capability Gaps:

Describe the capability gaps which will be addressed by the project. For federal Homeland Security Grants, include specific references to the regional or statewide State Preparedness Report (SPR).

The El Paso Police Department's current staffing does not allow for sustained border security operations within the border region area of El Paso, Texas and this creates a capability gap. Grant funding from the Operation Lone Star Grant Program will assist in lessening the capability gap. It will allow the department to continue taking a proactive approach to address criminal activities in the border region of El Paso, Texas, to disrupt and deter operations involving the criminal organizations of Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs that operate on both sides of the El Paso-Ciudad Juarez border.

Impact Statement :

Describe the project goals/objectives and how this project will maintain capabilities or reduce capability gaps.

The project goal is to increase the effectiveness and impact of the Operation Lone Star (OLS) Grant Program. Operation Lone Star operations will address the criminal enterprises of Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gangs that pose harm to the local population of Texans and visitors of El Paso, Texas. Operations will enhance border security operations and reduce crime along the border region area of El Paso, Texas. El Paso Police Department Officers will enforce any violations of Criminal Law. El Paso Police Department Officers will exclusively work the Operation Lone Star (OLS) Grant and will not be allowed to work the Operation Stone Garden (OSG) Grant during FY2027. El Paso Police Department Officers working the Operation Lone Star Grant will be working in an Investigative Capacity and will NOT be performing Boots on the Ground Border Patrol work.

Homeland Security Priority Actions:

Identify the Texas Homeland Security Priority Action most closely aligned with this project. Each Priority Action is linked with an *Objective from the Texas Homeland Security Strategic Plan (HSSP)*. List the Priority Action by number and text (e.g. 1.2.3 Expand and enhance the network of human sources that can provide detailed and relevant information on known or suspected terrorist and criminal enterprises.)

(GOAL 1: PREVENT) 1.2.1 Conduct and support integrated multi-agency, multi-jurisdictional investigations to disrupt and dismantle domestic and transnational drug trafficking organizations operating in Texas.

Target Group :

Identify the target group and population expected to benefit from this project.

Local, State, and Federal Law Enforcement Agencies, to include the population of citizens that reside within the City and County of El Paso, Texas.

Long-Term Approach:

Describe how the applicant agency will maintain the capabilities supported by this project without additional federal or state funds. If sustainment is dependent upon federal or state grants, describe the ongoing need for future grants, as applicable.

Without the continued funding support of the Operation Lone Star Grant Program, the El Paso Police Department will not be able to sustain long-term enhanced operations of targeting Mexican Cartels and Transnational Criminal Gang organizations that operate within the Texas border region of El Paso-Ciudad Juarez. The proactive approach that is being implemented as part of Operation Lone Star FY2026, will then turn into a reactive approach, and will place all Texans at risk, because of the vulnerabilities associated with the lack of funding.

Project Activities Information**Introduction**

This section contains questions about your project. It is very important for applicants to review their funding announcement for guidance on how to fill out this section. Unless otherwise specified, answers should be about the EXPECTED activities to occur during the project period.

Selected Project Activities:

ACTIVITY	PERCENTAGE:	DESCRIPTION
Operation Lone Star - Law Enforcement	100.00	El Paso Police Officers will identify and target areas of criminal activities in support of the Operation Lone Star Grant Program. Officers will target criminal activities involving illicit money, illegal weapons, ammunition, vehicle thefts, gangs, narcotics, and wanted subjects. Overtime operations will include, but are not limited to directed patrol of high crime areas, surveillance, gang & fugitive roundups, counter auto theft measures, Southbound bridge operations, and/or joint operations with local, state, and federal agencies. The goal is the suppression of criminal activities attributed to criminal organizations operating within the City and County of El Paso, Texas.

Measures Information

Objective Output Measures

OUTPUT MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
Number of weapons seized by grant-funded officers supporting the border initiative.	2

Objective Outcome Measures

OUTCOME MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
Number of adult apprehensions (transferred to USBP custody) made by grant-funded peace officers	0
Number of arrests (felony) made by grant-funded officers supporting the border	25

initiative.	
Number of arrests (misdemeanor) made by grant-funded officers supporting the border initiative.	25
Number of minor/juvenile apprehensions (transferred to USBP custody) made by grant-funded peace officers	0
Value of all forfeitures (cash and other assets) attributed to grant-funded officers supporting the border initiative.	0

Custom Output Measures

CUSTOM OUTPUT MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
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Custom Outcome Measures

CUSTOM OUTCOME MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
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Lobbying

For applicant agencies requesting grant funds in excess of \$100,000, have any federally appropriated funds been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant loan, or cooperative agreement?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
- No
- N/A

For applicant agencies that selected either **No** or **N/A** above, have any non-federal funds been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress in connection with this federal contract, loan, or cooperative agreement?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
- No
- N/A

Debarment

Each applicant agency will certify that it and its principals (as defined in 2 CFR Part 180.995):

- Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, sentenced to a denial of Federal benefits by a State or Federal Court, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency;
- Have not within a three-year period preceding this application been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property; or
- Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (federal, state, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in the above bullet; and have not within a three-year period preceding this application had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) terminated for cause or default.

Select the appropriate response:

I Certify

Unable to Certify

If you selected **Unable to Certify** above, please provide an explanation as to why the applicant agency cannot certify the statements.

Fiscal Capability Information

Section 1: Organizational Information

*** FOR PROFIT CORPORATIONS ONLY ***

Enter the following values in order to submit the application

Enter the Year in which the Corporation was Founded: 0

Enter the Date that the IRS Letter Granted 501(c)(3) Tax Exemption Status: 01/01/1900

Enter the Employer Identification Number Assigned by the IRS: 0

Enter the Charter Number assigned by the Texas Secretary of State: 0

Enter the Year in which the Corporation was Founded:

Enter the Date that the IRS Letter Granted 501(c)(3) Tax Exemption Status:

Enter the Employer Identification Number Assigned by the IRS:

Enter the Charter Number assigned by the Texas Secretary of State:

Section 2: Accounting System

The grantee organization must incorporate an accounting system that will track direct and indirect costs for the organization (general ledger) as well as direct and indirect costs by project (project ledger). The grantee must establish a time and effort system to track personnel costs by project. This should be reported on an hourly basis, or in increments of an hour.

Is there a list of your organization's accounts identified by a specific number (i.e., a general ledger of accounts)?

Select the appropriate response:

Yes

No

Does the accounting system include a project ledger to record expenditures for each Program by required budget cost categories?

Select the appropriate response:

Yes

No

Is there a timekeeping system that allows for grant personnel to identify activity and requires signatures by the employee and his or her supervisor?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
- No

If you answered 'No' to any question above in the Accounting System section, in the space provided below explain what action will be taken to ensure accountability.

Enter your explanation:

Section 3: Financial Capability

Grant agencies should prepare annual financial statements. At a minimum, current internal balance sheet and income statements are required. A balance sheet is a statement of financial position for a grant agency disclosing assets, liabilities, and retained earnings at a given point in time. An income statement is a summary of revenue and expenses for a grant agency during a fiscal year.

Has the grant agency undergone an independent audit?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
- No

Does the organization prepare financial statements at least annually?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
- No

According to the organization's most recent Audit or Balance Sheet, are the current total assets greater than the liabilities?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
- No

If you selected 'No' to any question above under the Financial Capability section, in the space provided below explain what action will be taken to ensure accountability.

Enter your explanation:

Section 4: Budgetary Controls

Grant agencies should establish a system to track expenditures against budget and / or funded amounts. Are there budgetary controls in effect (e.g., comparison of budget with actual expenditures on a monthly basis) to include drawing down grant funds in excess of:

a) Total funds authorized on the Statement of Grant Award?

- Yes
- No

b) Total funds available for any budget category as stipulated on the Statement of Grant Award?

- Yes
- No

If you selected 'No' to any question above under the Budgetary Controls section, in the space provided below please explain what action will be taken to ensure accountability.

Enter your explanation:

Section 5: Internal Controls

Grant agencies must safeguard cash receipts, disbursements, and ensure a segregation of duties exist. For example, one person should not have authorization to sign checks and make deposits.

Are accounting entries supported by appropriate documentation (e.g., purchase orders, vouchers, receipts, invoices)?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
- No

Is there separation of responsibility in the receipt, payment, and recording of costs?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
- No

If you selected 'No' to any question above under the Internal Controls section, in the space provided below please explain what action will be taken to ensure accountability.

Enter your explanation:

Budget Details Information

Budget Information by Budget Line Item:

CATEGORY	SUB CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION	OOG	CASH MATCH	IN-KIND MATCH	GPI	TOTAL	UNIT/%
Personnel	Certified Peace Officer - Police Department	Investigation Capacity- Overtime According to Local OT Policy- At An Average OT Rate of \$85.41/HR Including Fringe Rate of 24.22% Up To A Total Of \$500,000.00. .	\$500,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$500,000.00	100

Source of Match Information

Detail Source of Match/GPI:

DESCRIPTION	MATCH TYPE	AMOUNT

Summary Source of Match/GPI:

Total Report	Cash Match	In Kind	GPI Federal Share	GPI State Share
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Budget Summary Information

Budget Summary Information by Budget Category:

CATEGORY	OOG	CASH MATCH	IN-KIND MATCH	GPI	TOTAL
Personnel	\$500,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$500,000.00

Budget Grand Total Information:

OOG	CASH MATCH	IN-KIND MATCH	GPI	TOTAL
\$500,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$500,000.00

Condition Of Fundings Information

Condition of Funding / Project Requirement	Date Created	Date Met	Hold Funds	Hold Line Item Funds
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