

evidence-based strategies to combat violent crime, a copy of which amendment one is attached hereto and incorporated herein, is hereby approved, and the Metropolitan Mayor is authorized to execute the same.

Section 2. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the welfare of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.

Analysis

This resolution approves the first amendment to a Hot Spot Violent Crime Intervention Fund (“VCIF”) Targeted Community Crime Reduction Project grant from the Tennessee Office of Criminal Justice Programs to the Metropolitan Nashville Police Department (“MNPDP”), originally approved by Resolution No. RS2023-55. The VCIF grant is used for developing and implementing evidence-based programs, technology, and strategies that will reduce the violent crime. The grant funds are used for reimbursement of the salary and fringe for the project coordinator of this grant. The grant term began on November 1, 2023, and ends on June 30, 2027.

The amendment under consideration increases the amount of the grant by \$3,763,644, from \$736,356 to \$4,500,000. The amendment also adds new sections to the grant contract regarding the monitoring of sub-contractors and the suspension of payment. The amendment replaces Attachment A, containing the project strategy, to amend the scope to focus on reduction of violent crime in the 37207 community through evidence-based programming. Attachment A-1, which contains the grant budget, would be replaced to reflect the increased budget.