

Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County, TN

Legislation Text

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A resolution accepting a Project Safe Neighborhood (PSN) grant from the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration to the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Nashville Police Department, to reduce gun related violence in Nashville by using data and network analysis, funding additional staff overtime, and purchasing added forensic equipment.

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration has awarded a grant in an amount not to exceed \$167,335.00 with no cash match required to the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Nashville Police Department, to reduce gun related violence in Nashville by using data and network analysis, funding additional staff overtime, and purchasing added forensic equipment; and,

WHEREAS, it is to the benefit of the citizens of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County that this grant be accepted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY:

Section 1. That the Project Safe Neighborhood (PSN) grant by and between the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration, in an amount not to exceed \$167,335.00, to the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Nashville Police Department, to reduce gun related violence in Nashville by using data and network analysis, funding additional staff overtime, and purchasing added forensic equipment, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, is hereby approved, and the Metropolitan Mayor is authorized to execute the same.

Section 2. That the amount of this grant be appropriated to the Metropolitan Nashville Police Department based on the revenues estimated to be received and any match to be applied.

Section 3. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the welfare of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.

<u>Analysis</u>

This resolution accepts a Project Safe Neighborhood ("PSN") grant from the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration to the Metropolitan Nashville Police Department. This grant is an amount not to exceed \$167,335.00 with no cash match required. The funding will be used to reduce gun-related violence in Nashville by using data and network analysis, funding additional staff overtime, and purchasing added forensic equipment. The term of this grant begins on July 1, 2023 and ends after 15 months.