

AGENDA REQUEST FORM

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Yakima County Commissioners' Office, Room 232

Prepared by: Deborah Clausing, Operations Manager
Department: Prosecuting Attorney's Office
Requested Agenda Date: 08/15/2023
Presenting: _____
Document Title: _____

<small>Board of County Commissioners Record Assigned</small> BOCC Agreement
212-2023
Yakima County, WA

APPROVED FOR AGENDA:
<input type="checkbox"/> Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Regular
<small>Board of County Commissioners Determined</small>

WAPA - DUI Grant (rush filing for repeat offenders)

Action Requested: *Check Applicable Box*

<input type="checkbox"/> PASS RESOLUTION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXECUTE or AMEND AGREEMENT CONTRACT or GRANT
<input type="checkbox"/> ISSUE PROCLAMATION	<input type="checkbox"/> PASS ORDINANCE <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____

Describe Fiscal Impact:

\$107,681.81 grant award for the service period beginning 07/01/2023 to 06/30/2024.

Background Information:

Starting in 2013, the State of Washington has provided a grant to the Washington Association of Prosecuting Attorneys (WAPA) for funding up to twelve deputy prosecuting attorney positions focused on rush filing charges against repeat DUI offenders.

Summary & Recommendation:

Approve

Motion:

Department Head/ Elected Official



Signature

AGREEMENT Attached Is Approved as to Form
Corporate Counsel Initial



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DUI Grant



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July 27, 2023

The Honorable Joseph Brusic
128 North 2nd Street, Suite 329
Yakima, Washington 98901

Joe,

Starting in 2013, the State of Washington has provided a grant to the Washington Association of Prosecuting Attorneys (WAPA) for funding up to twelve deputy prosecuting attorney positions focused upon rush filing charges against repeat DUI offenders.

The new positions are in addition to current resources and do not supplant existing positions. WAPA has examined the needs of various prosecuting attorney offices throughout the state, and has determined that Yakima County shall receive funds from WAPA to fund a deputy prosecuting attorney position for rush filing charges against repeat DUI offenders.

Currently, eleven contracts are filled, and for several years the 12th has been used to supplement billings in the last quarter for the grant. In order to be proactive, we are splitting up the 12th contract evenly amongst the other eleven for this upcoming grant period.

This letter confirms final authorization for up to **\$107,681.81** in salary and benefits for a deputy prosecuting attorney during the state fiscal year from July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024.

Attached to this letter is a written understanding of this award, which includes quarterly reporting requirements. Upon receipt of:

- each quarterly report, which documents the current staffing and additional staff, and cases worked upon;
- and a completed A-19 invoice with support documentation

funding will be distributed to your county.

Sincerely,


Russell Brown (Jul 27, 2023 14:43 PDT)

Russell Brown, Executive Director
Washington Association
of Prosecuting Attorneys

**BOARD OF YAKIMA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AGREEMENT**

Agreement Number

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DATED: AUG 1-5 2023

Attest:

Julie Lawrence, Clerk of the Board *or*
Erin Franklin, Deputy Clerk of the Board

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Approved as to Form:



Deputy Prosecuting Attorney