



STAFF REPORT
Public Hearing 8-24-18

AGENDA ITEM #: 18-88
COUNCIL MTG OF: August 6, 2018
FROM: David Caron, Town Administrator
OFFERED BY: Edward B. Garone, Chief of Police
PREPARED BY: Captain George R. Feole
SUBJECT: 2018 Justice Assistance Grant

PURPOSE: Accept the 2018 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) award from the US Department of Justice.

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR COMMENTS:

BACKGROUND: The US Department of Justice has announced the 2018 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Awards: The Town of Derry is eligible for an award of \$10,740. Rockingham County has been chosen by the DOJ to be the fiscal agent and applicant for the grant. Rockingham County will receive a 5% administration fee for this service, which equals \$537. The Town of Derry will receive a net total of \$10,203.

DISCUSSION: The Derry Police Department has historically accepted all JAG funds for which it was eligible. The funds are used to make purchases of law enforcement equipment or systems that would exceed our budgeted appropriations.

FISCAL IMPACT: There is no fiscal impact to the community. There is no matching requirement associated with this grant.

RECOMMENDED ACTION BY COUNCIL: Schedule a public hearing for August 24th, 2018 and subsequently authorize the Town Administrator, David Caron, to accept the 2018 JAG grant funds.

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

8-6-18 Motion; Move to schedule a public hearing for August 24th, 2018.

8-24-18 Motion; Please see Resolution #2018-041.

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