



Fire Department
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Common Council
City of Milwaukee

Subject: *Introduction of file related to application, acceptance and funding of 2008 Project Safe Neighborhoods Eastern District Gun Violence Reduction Grant from the State of Wisconsin Office of Justice Assistance*

Dear Honorable Members:

Please accept for introduction at the meeting of December 11, 2007, the attached file related to the Fire Department's application, acceptance and funding of the 2008 Project Safe Neighborhoods Eastern District Gun Violence Reduction Grant from the State of Wisconsin Office of Justice Assistance.

The Milwaukee Fire Department in partnership with Milwaukee Public Schools and Children's Hospital of Wisconsin Project Ujima have designed a 'Project Staying Alive' program to address anger management with children in the City of Milwaukee middle schools. 'Project Staying Alive', modeled after the 'Survive Alive House', also meets the guidelines for federal assistance.

This grant will be used to fund a Project Staying Alive Coordinator position at the Fire Lieutenant rank during the operation period January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008. The grant award totals \$100,000, with no required city match.

Please call either Business Finance Manager Emma J. Stamps (x5281) or Deputy Chief Michael Jones (x8971) with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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