



Equity Impact Statement

1. Describe the proposed ordinance or resolution.

The 2021 High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) grant is an ongoing grant that will provide funding for the Milwaukee Police Department (MPD) to reduce crime and enhance the quality of life in the City of Milwaukee by reducing the volume of controlled substances in the Milwaukee area. The grant will provide funding for overtime, equipment, and partially fund the salaries and fringe benefits of MPD personnel assigned to five task forces within the HIDTA initiative: Interdiction, Investigative Support, Gang Drug, Fugitive, and Opioid task forces. Multi-jurisdictional task forces enhance inter-agency cooperation, intelligence sharing, and lead to successful prosecutions for drug crimes.

2. Identify the anticipated equity impacts, if any, of this proposal.

No equity impacts are anticipated.

3. Identify which minority groups, if any, may be negatively or positively impacted by the proposal.

This proposal is not expected to negatively impact any minority groups. It should have a positive impact on all minority groups through reduction in crime and overdose-related deaths.

4. Describe any engagement efforts with minority communities potentially impacted by the proposal.

This grant proposal should not negatively impact any existing engagement or community policing efforts.

5. Describe how any anticipated equity impacts of the proposal will be documented or evaluated.

Any unanticipated equity impacts should be documented, reviewed, and addressed by supervision of the MPD.

6. Describe strategies that will be used, if any, to mitigate any anticipated equity impacts.

No equity impacts are anticipated, but any necessary mitigation strategies will be determined by MPD supervision in accordance our Code of Conduct and Standard Operating Procedures.

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