GRANT ANALYSIS FORM OPERATING & CAPITAL GRANT PROJECTS/PROGRAMS

Department/Division: Health Department

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Category of Request		
	New Grant	
	Grant Continuation	Previous Council File No. 130051
	Change in Previously Approved Grant	Previous Council File No.

Project/Program Title: Community Safety Data Repository Project

Grantor Agency: Wisconsin Partnership Program, UW-Madison School of Medicine and Public Health

Grant Application Date: September 6, 2012

Anticipated Award Date: June 1, 2013

Please provide the following information:

1. Description of Grant Project/Program (Include Target Locations and Populations):

The goal of the project is to reduce violent crimes and violence in urban areas using interagency collaboration and culturally competent proactive strategies that increase protective factors and decrease risk factors. In order to achieve this goal, the project aims to improve the availability and quality of interdisciplinary data through the creation of a sustainable data repository. The project targets organizations and systems and aims to improve the availability of interdisciplinary data to problem solve and address the problem of violence. Partner agencies will participate in every aspect of the project to ensure the data repository is useful to practitioners. Community residents are involved in MHRC's work and will be engaged to help understand the data findings, participate in discussions to coordinate services, and assess the results of the project from the perspective of the neighborhood.

2. Relationship to City-wide Strategic Goals and Departmental Objectives:

The Community Safety Data Repository Project and subsequent activity will assist the Commission and its member agencies to fulfill the legislative mandate of the Common Council to "increase safety for victims of domestic violence and their children and victims of sexual assault..." The overarching goal of the site and associated services will be to protect victim safety and confidentiality and protect children from witnessing violence, being abducted, or experiencing abuse or sexual violence during visitation and exchanges.

3. Need for Grant Funds and Impact on Other Departmental Operations (Applies only to Programs):

Funds needed to continue supporting the work of the Milwaukee Homicide Review Commission (MHRC). Without funding the Commission would not be able to carry out the initiatives that they have developed.

4. Results Measurement/Progress Report (Applies only to Programs):

The evaluation will include process and outcomes measurement (e.g., partner surveys, data extraction forms, resident perception surveys already being administered). The final research design will include a quasi-experimental design, which will allow us to use gold standard measurement techniques such as times series analysis to assess decreases in violence/violent crimes

5. Grant Period, Timetable and Program Phase-out Plan:

July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2016 Year 1: Planning Phase Year 2: Technical Phase Year 2 and 3: Analytical Phase

6. Provide a List of Subgrantees:

Syslogic
Marquette University
UW Madison School of Medicine and Public Health

7. If Possible, Complete Grant Budget Form and Attach.