

**LRB-RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS SECTION**

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

**ITEM 21, FILE # 060395**

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File # 060395 is a resolution authorizing application, acceptance and funding of a Domestic Violence Liaison Project Grant.

**Background**

1. This resolution authorizes the Milwaukee Police Department (MPD) to apply for, accept and fund a Violence Against Women Act Grant from the U.S. Department of Justice, through the Wisconsin Office of Justice Assistance.
2. This is a continuing grant.

**Discussion**

1. The purpose of the project is to enhance programs and services for victims of domestic violence in the city of Milwaukee.
2. The position funded by this grant will assist domestic violence victims with short-term care needs following a domestic violence incident.
3. This grant encompasses the period of July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

**Fiscal Effect**

1. The amount of this grant is \$55,804 with \$41,897 (75%) from the grantor and \$13,907 (25%) to be provided by the City of Milwaukee.
2. This grant will fund (\$54,804) the following existing position with salary and fringe benefits:
  - Administrative Services Specialist, SG 01
3. Travel and training are budgeted for \$1,000.

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