



New York City Stimulus Tracker Pending Funding Requests: Grant Application Tracker

Lead Federal Agency: U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance

Application Submitted by: Department of Corrections

ARRA Funding Source:

Edward Byrne Memorial Competitive Grant

Funding Source Description:

The Edward Byrne Memorial Competitive Grant Program will help communities improve the capacity of state and local justice systems and provide for national support efforts including training and technical assistance programs strategically targeted to address local needs. This grant focuses on initiatives in eight areas: 1) preventing and reducing violent crime through community-based data-driven approaches; 2) providing funding for neighborhood-based probation and parole officers; 3) reducing mortgage fraud and crime related to vacant properties; 4) hiring of civilian support personnel in law enforcement (training staff, analysts, dispatchers, etc.); 5) enhancing forensic and crime scene investigations; 6) improving resources and services for victims of crime; 7) supporting problem-solving courts; and 8) national training and technical assistance partnerships.

Grant Description:

The Department of Corrections proposes to create a Real Time Correction Data and Intelligence Center, building on existing database programs and the DOC Intelligence Unit, to create a center of competence for analyzing corrections intelligence and identifying and reporting leading risk indicators of violence.

Grant Amount: \$2,539,200

Anticipated benefits:

DOC anticipates the reduction of violence in jails, the incorporation of community-sourced data into intelligence information, the move to a predictive analysis model, and the ability to provide actionable data to reduce crime and violence not only internally to DOC but to other law enforcement entities as well. In addition, the program will create 7 new positions.