CITY of ALBUQUERQUE TWENTY-SIXTH COUNCIL

COUNCIL BILL NO. R-24-4 ENACTMENT NO. R-2024- 01 **SPONSORED BY: Nichole Rogers** 1 RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE FILING OF THE ATTACHED GRANT 2 APPLICATION FOR A BYRNE DISCRETIONARY COMMUNITY PROJECT 3 GRANT WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, BUREAU OF JUSTICE 4 AFFAIRS AND PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ALBUQUERQUE 5 COMMUNITY SAFETY DEPARTMENT IN FISCAL YEAR 2024. 6 7 WHEREAS, the Albuquerque Community Safety Department has a goal to ensure people of all ages have the access to holistic and trauma-informed 8 9 response to calls for services; and WHEREAS, the operation of the Albuquerque Community Safety 10 Bracketed/Strikethrough Material] - Deletion 11 Department provides the technical means of accomplishing these goals; and [Bracketed/Underscored Material] - New 12 WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque is desirous of applying for these funds to help combat violence in the community. 13 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF 14 15 ALBUQUERQUE: Section 1. That the attached application for the Byrne Discretionary 16 17 Community Project Grant in the amount of \$2,050,000 for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026, is hereby approved and its 18 submission and filing with the appropriate official or office of the U.S. 19 Department of Justice is in all respects approved. 20 Section 2. That in the event that the grant is awarded, federal funds from 21 the U.S. Department of Justice in the amount of \$2,050,000 for three years is 22 hereby appropriated to the Albuquerque Community Safety Department in the 23 Operating Grants Fund, Fund (265), for Fiscal Year 2024. 24 25 26

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CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

Albuquerque, New Mexico Office of the Mayor

Mayor Timothy M. Keller

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

January 8, 2024

TO:

Dan Lewis, President, City Council

FROM:

Timothy M. Keller, Mayor

SUBJECT:

Resolution approving and authorizing the filing of the U.S. Department of Justice

Byrne Grant and providing an appropriation to Albuquerque Community Safety

Department beginning in Fiscal Year 2024.

For your consideration, please find the attached resolution that will allow Albuquerque Community Safety to apply for funding of its Department of Justice Byrne grant. The grant is designed to expand and sustain existing violence intervention programs within Albuquerque, focusing on those at highest risk for becoming part of the gun violence.

The attached grant application is seeking 100% federal funding from the U.S Department of Justice of \$2,050,000 for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026. City matching funds are not required.

Legislation Title: Resolution approving and authorizing the filing of the U.S. Department of Justice Byrne Grant and providing an appropriation to Albuquerque Community Safety Department beginning in Fiscal Year 2024.

Approved:

Approved as to Legal Form:

Samantha Sengel

Chief Administrative Officer

Lauren Keefe

City Attorney

Recommended:

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Mariela Ruiz-Angel

1/15/2024 | 8:44 PM MST

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Date

Director

Cover Analysis

1. What is it?

A new three-year grant application for federal assistance for the operations of Albuquerque Community Safety and some of it's Violence Prevention & Intervention work. The goal is to expand and sustain existing violence intervention programs within Albuquerque, focusing on those at highest risk for becoming part of the gun violence cycles in the City.

2. What will this piece of legislation do?

Allow the City to apply for federal funding from the United States Department of Justice Byrne Grant for the operation of expanded data analysis, enhanced support to community-based organizations, additional work in violence prevention, and modeling violence prevention programs after national best practices.

3. Why is the project needed?

To provide ongoing support to Albuquerque Community Safety, including developing existing violence intervention programs further within Albuquerque.

4. How much will it cost and what is the funding source?

The application is seeking \$2,050,000 from October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026. There are no matching funds required for this grant. The funding source is from the U.S. Department of Justice.

5. Is there a revenue source associate with this contract? If so, what level of income is projected.

No.