

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: DISTRICT ATTORNEY

BOARD AGENDA # *B-14

Urgent _____ Routine X

AGENDA DATE November 20, 2001

CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES pk NO _____
(Information Attached)

4/5 Vote Required YES _____ NO X

SUBJECT:

APPROVE ACCEPTANCE OF FISCAL YEAR 2001-2002 GRANT FROM THE OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE PLANNING FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE MAJOR NARCOTIC VENDOR PROSECUTION PROGRAM GRANT.

STAFF
RECOMMEN-
DATIONS:

ACCEPT FISCAL YEAR 2001-2002 GRANT FROM THE OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE PLANNING FOR THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE MAJOR NARCOTIC VENDOR PROSECUTION PROGRAM TOTALING \$118,067 AND AUTHORIZE THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY TO APPROVE GRANT AWARD AGREEMENT INCLUDING ANY EXTENSIONS, AUGMENTATIONS OR AMENDMENTS.

FISCAL
IMPACT:

The revenues and expenditures were addressed in the final budget for fiscal year 2001-2002. The grant awarded totals \$118,067; while matching funds are not required, the final budget authorized \$56,068 in order to fully cover the salaries of existing positions.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2001-890

On motion of Supervisor Caruso, Seconded by Supervisor Blom

and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: Mayfield, Blom, Simon, Caruso, and Chair Paul

Noes: Supervisors: _____ None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: _____ None

Abstaining: Supervisor: _____ None

- 1) X Approved as recommended
2) _____ Denied
3) _____ Approved as amended

MOTION:

ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk

By: Christine Ferraro
Deputy

File No.

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DISCUSSION:

The Office of Criminal Justice Planning has funded the Major Narcotic Vendor Prosecution Program grant for several years. This grant provides for the continued deterrence, investigation and prosecution of major narcotic distribution, manufacture, and other associated crimes. The Central Valley is a designated "High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area", and the prosecutor and investigator assigned to this grant work closely with the Stanislaus Drug Enforcement Agency and other appropriate agencies. Reapplication for FY 2001-2002 has been made to the Office of Criminal Justice Planning for continued funding for this grant, and *the application has been accepted and the award granted.*

The Major Narcotic Vendor Prosecution Program grant originally fully funded the cost of a dedicated Deputy District Attorney and Criminal Investigator. Unfortunately, many OCJP grants do not include funding for COLAs, promotions or other salary and benefits increases, so over the past few years the grant funding (which has actually decreased slightly over the years) has become insufficient to fully cover these salaries. While there is no required county match in this program, the Board has generously provided additional funding to fully fund these positions. Projected revenues and expenditures for this grant were reflected in the District Attorney's budget for FY 2001-2002.

POLICY ISSUES:

Acceptance of this grant will help the District Attorney's office continue to meet the Board's goal of a safe healthy community by continuing the aggressive prosecution of those criminals who produce and distribute methamphetamine, endangering our environment and our children in the process.

STAFFING IMPACTS:

None at this time.

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THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED:

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors desires to continue a certain project designated **MAJOR NARCOTIC VENDORS PROSECUTION PROGRAM** to be funded from funds made available through the **MAJOR NARCOTIC VENDORS PROSECUTION PROGRAM** administered by the **OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE PLANNING (hereafter referred to as OCJP)**.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the **District Attorney of Stanislaus County** is hereby authorized, on its behalf to accept this grant award from **OCJP** and is authorized to sign and approve on behalf of the Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors the Grant Award Agreements including any extensions, augmentations or amendments thereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the applicant agrees to provide all matching funds required for said projects (including any amendments thereof) under the Program and the funding terms and conditions of OCJP and that the cash match will be appropriated as required.

IT IS AGREED that any liability arising out of the performance of these Grant Award Agreements, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the grant recipient and the authorizing agency. The State of California and the OCJP disclaim responsibility for any such liability.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by this body.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the resolution shall be in effect for a three (3) year period beginning **July 1, 2001 and ending June 30, 2004**.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the resolution adopted by the **Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors** on the date set forth above by the persons noted.

ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk
Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors,
State of California,

Christine Ferraro Tallman
By: Deputy

File No.