PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: Ma	ırch 1, 2011	[x]	Consent	[]	Regular
Department: Submitted By: Submitted For:			Ordinance Sheriff's Office Sheriff's Office	[]	Public Hearing

I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to receive and file: Grant Adjustment Notice amending the National Institute of Justice FY 2009 Forensic DNA Unit Efficiency Improvement Program Grant to extend the grant period from March 31, 2011, through September 30, 2011.

Summary: The Board of County Commissioners accepted this grant for \$519,544 on December 15, 2009; the original period for this grant was October 1, 2009, through March 31, 2011 (R-2009-2164). This agenda item will extend the grant period from March 31, 2011 through September 30, 2011. The National Institute of Justice awarded these funds for an evidence screening laboratory to improve the capacity and efficiency of the Forensic Biology Unit (FBU) of PBSO. The screening laboratory will be developed through renovation of existing space in the Boca Raton Police Services Department in which trained Laboratory Analyst will screen and process crime scene items before submission to the FBU. The Boca Raton Police Services Department will provide the required 25% match requirement associated with this award. No additional positions are needed and no additional County funds are required Countywide. (GB)

Background and Justification: The U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs (OJP), National Institute of Justice (NIJ) FY 2009 Forensic DNA Unit Efficiency Improvement Program furthers the U.S. Department of Justice's mission by improving the efficiency and capacity of public forensic DNA laboratories through the development and adoption of an improved laboratory process, which may involve the purchase of LIMS systems, additional equipment or robotics, an expert system, or hiring additional personnel and/or contractors to help implement the innovative process. NIJ's objective is to publish successful and carefully evaluated novel efficiency improvement methodologies as models to be considered by other forensic science laboratories. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number is 16.741 and the grant number is 2009-DN-BX-K261.

Attachments:

1. R-2009-2164 2. Grant Adjustm	nent No 2		·
RECOMMENDED BY:		2/3/11	
	DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR	DATE	
APPROVED BY:	Gillen		
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II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact: **Fiscal Years** 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 Capital Expenditures 0 **Operating Costs** 0 External Revenues 0 Program Income (County) In-Kind Match (County) 0 Net Fiscal Impact * 0 # Additional FTE **Positions** 0 (Cumulative) Is Item Included in Current Budget: YES _____ NO ____ Budget Account No.: Fund ____ Agency ___ Org ___ Object Reporting Category _____ Recommended Sources of Funds / Summary of Fiscal Impact: В. III REVIEW COMMENTS **OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Administration Comments:** Α. * No additional fiscal impact Contract Administration B. Legal/Sufficiency: ssistant County Attorney

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C.

Other Department Review:

Department Director

Agenda Item No. 3BB-5

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Meeting Date: Dec	ember 15, 2009	[x]	Consent		[]	Regular			
Department:			Ordinance	•	[]	Public Hearing			
Submitted By: Submitted For:	Palm Beach Co								

I. <u>EXECUTIVE BRIEF</u>

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to: (A) Accept on behalf of the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office a National Institute of Justice FY 2009 Forensic DNA Unit Efficiency Improvement Program Grant in the amount of \$519,544 for the period October 1, 2009 through March 31, 2011; and **(B) Approve** a budget amendment of \$519,544 in the Sheriff's Grants Fund.

Summary: On September 23, 2009, the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office (PBSO) received an award for the Forensic DNA Unit Efficiency Improvement Program. These funds will be used to for an evidence screening laboratory to improve the capacity and efficiency of the Forensic Biology Unit (FBU) of PBSO. The screening laboratory will be developed through renovation of existing space in the Boca Raton Police Services Department in which trained Laboratory Analyst will screen and process crime scene items before submission to the FBU. The Boca Raton Police Services Department will provide the required 25% match requirement associated with this award. No additional positions are needed and no additional County funds are required Countywide. (DW)

Background and Justification: The U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs (OJP), National Institute of Justice (NIJ) FY 2009 Forensic DNA Unit Efficiency Improvement Program furthers the U.S. Department of Justice's mission by improving the efficiency and capacity of public forensic DNA laboratories through the development and adoption of an improved laboratory process, which may involve the purchase of LIMS systems, additional equipment or robotics, an expert system, or hiring additional personnel and/or contractors to help implement the innovative process. NIJ's objective is to publish successful and carefully evaluated novel efficiency improvement methodologies as models to be considered by other forensic science laboratories. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number is 16.741 and the grant number is 2009-DN-BX-K261.

Attachments:

1. Budget Amendment 2. Award Letter 3. Cooperative Agreement ===================================	
RECOMMENDED BY: DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR	/2///JG DATE
APPROVED BY: ASSISTANT COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR	DATE

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II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact: **Fiscal Years** 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 Capital Expenditures Operating Costs \$350,000 \$169,544 External Revenues (\$350,000) (\$169,544)Program Income (County) In-Kind Match (County) 0 Net Fiscal Impact 0 # Additional FTE **Positions** 0 (Cumulative) Is Item Included in Current Budget: YES ____ NO X Budget Account No.: Fund 1152 Agency 160 Org 2172 Object 3129 Reporting Category Recommended Sources of Funds / Summary of Fiscal Impact: The FY 2009 Forensic DNA Unit Efficiency Improvement Program grant is funded through the National Institute of Justice (NIJ). The Boca Raton Police Services Department will provide the required 25% match requirement associated with this award. No additional positions are needed and no additional County funds are required. FY 2009 Forensic DNA Unit Efficiency Improvement Program \$519,544 Total \$519,544 **REVIEW COMMENTS** A. **OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Administration Comments:** B. Legal Sufficiency: C. Other Department Review: Department Director

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GRANT ADJUSTMENT NOTICE

Grantee Information						
Grantee Name:	Palm Beach County Sheriffs Office	Project Period:	10/01/2009 - 09/30/2011	GAN Number:	002	
Grantee Address:	3228 GUN CLUB ROAD WEST PALM BEACH, 33406	Program Office:	NIJ	Date:	12/17/2010	
Grantee DUNS Number:	18-280-9921	Grant Manager:	Mark Nelson			
Grantee EIN:	59-6000786	Application Number(s):	2009-90769-FL- DN			
Vendor #:	596000786	Award Number:	2009-DN-BX- K261	•		
Project Title:	NIJ FY 09 Forensic DNA Unit Efficiency Improvement Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office	Award Amount:	\$519,544.00			

Change Project Period						
Current Grant Period:	Month: 17	New Grant Period:	Month: 23 Day: 29			
Project Start Date:	10/01/2009	*New Project Start Date:	10/01/2009			
Project End Date:	03/31/2011	*New Project End Date:	09/30/2011			
*Required Justifi	cation for Change Projec	t Period:				
The Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office in conjuction with the Boca Raton Police Services Department request a six month extension of the deadline on the 2009-DN-BX-K261 grant award. There was some administrative delay in						
Attachments:						
None						
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Description:	Role:	User:	Timestamp:			
Approved-Final	OCFMD - Financial Analyst	SYSTEM_USER	12/17/2010 12:00 PM			
Submitted	PO - Grant Manager	caraballob	12/09/2010 8:30 AM			

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12/17/2010

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