Agenda Item No. 388-1

PALMBEACHCOUNTY BOARD OF COUNTYCOMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: Oct	ober 22, 2013 [x]	Consent	[]	Regular
Department: Submitted By: Submitted For:	[] Judicial - Fifteenth Judicial - Fifteenth	Judicial Circuit -	Court Adn	

I. <u>EXECUTIVE BRIEF</u>

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to: A) Accept on behalf of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit - Court Administration, FY13/14 State Justice Institute Grant in the amount of \$6,550, for the period of September 9, 2013 through July 9, 2014; **B) Approve** a budget amendment in the amount of \$6,550 in the Fifteenth Circuit - Court Administration General Fund budget.

Summary: On September 9th, 2013, the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit - Court Administration received an award from the State Justice Institute. These funds will be used to support Cultural Diversity Training of court staff in five locations within Palm Beach County. The court will provide matching cash state funds of \$700. The court will also provide in-kind match of \$3,360. No additional positions are needed and no additional County funds are required. <u>Countywide</u> (A+)

Background and Justification: The State Justice Institute Grant will be used to continue the Supreme Court's initiative of educating judges and court staff on Cultural Diversity and Sensitivity Awareness in order to eliminate from court operations any biases that were without legal relevance. The training objective is to achieve a court system that is open and accessible to all, respects the dignity of every person, includes judges and staff who reflect the community's diversity and responds to the needs of all members of society. The award number is SJI-13-E-197.

Attachments:

- 1. Budget Amendment
- 2. Award Letter

RECOMMENDED	BY:	10-6-13
	DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR	DATE
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APPROVED BY: _	ASSISTANTCOUNTY ADMINISTRATOR	

II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact:

Fiscal Years Capital Expenditures	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Operating Costs	\$6,550				
External Revenues Program Income (County)	(\$6,550)				
In-Kind Match (County)	0				
Net Fiscal Impact	0				
# Additional FTE Positions (Cumulative)	0				
Is Item Included in Current Budget: YES NO X					
Budget Account No.: Fund	Agenc	»У	Org	Object _	
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B. Recommended Sources of Funds / Summary of Fiscal Impact:

The FY13/14 State Justice Institute Grant is funded by the State Justice Institute. There is no county match funds associated with this award. No additional positions are needed and no additional County funds are required.

FY13/14 State Justice Institute Total Program Budget

<u>\$6,550</u> \$6,550

III REVIEW COMMENTS

A. OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Administration Comments:

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B. Legal Sufficiency:

Assistant CountyAttorney

C. Other Department Review:

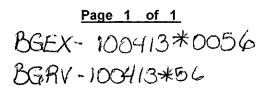
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This summary is not to be used as a basis for payment.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA BUDGET AMENDMENT



General Fund 0001 - Court Administration

Use this form to provide budget for items not anticipated in the budget.

	ACCT.NUMBER		ORIGINAL BUDGET	CURRENT BUDGET	INCREASE	DECREASE	ADJUSTED BUDGET	EXPENDED/ ENCUMBERED	REMAINING BALANCE
	Revenues								
	State Justice Institute 20								
	0001-520-5241-6694	Grants from Other Non-Govt	0	0	6,550		6,550		
		TOTAL REVENUES	\$1,037,880,761	\$1,067,279,820	\$6,550	\$0	\$1,067,286,370		
-	Expenditures								
	State Justice Institute 20	212 2014							
	0001-520-5241-3401	Other Contracted Services	0	0	6,550		6,550		
			\$1,037,880,761	\$1,067,279,820	\$6,550	\$0	\$1,067,286,370		
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Debra Oats Court Operations Consultant Fifteenth Judicial Circuit 205 N. Dixie Highway West Palm Beach, FL 33401

Ms. Oats:

On behalf of the SJI Board of Directors, I am pleased to inform you that the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit has been awarded a grant to support its application titled, *Cultural Diversity Training*. The project has been assigned Grant Number SJI-13-E-197. Please use this number on all correspondence to SJI regarding this grant.

Enclosed are the original and one copy of the Grant Award. Please sign both and return the signed original to SJI. Keep the copy for your records. Please note that SJI's Grant Guideline requires submission of two copies of the progress and financial status reports 30 days after the end of each calendar quarter. Reports must be received in hard copy and should not be emailed. In addition, please review all compliance and financial requirements listed in the SJI Grant Guideline: http://www.sji.gov/PDF/Grant_Guideline_FY_2013.pdf

Grant payments from SJI will be made through electronic fund transfers (EFTs) or hard checks issued directly from the U.S. Treasury. You are encouraged to participate in EFT since it is a faster form of receiving payment from the U.S. Treasury. Both the Request for Advance or Reimbursement (Form R) and EFT form (SF 3881) can be found on the SJI website: <u>http://www.sji.gov/forms.php</u>, in addition to the From Q – Quarterly Progress Report, and Form F – Quarterly Financial Report.

If you have any programmatic or financial questions, please contact



Phone 571.313.8843 Fax 571.313.1173 www.sji.gov

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SJI at 571-313-8843 or <u>contact@sji.gov</u>. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely, l

Jonathan D. Mattiello Executive Director

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AWARD

Grant Contract Coopera	tive Agreement Page <u>1</u> of <u>1</u>					
1. Grantee Name and Address Fifteenth Judicial Circuit	3. Award Number SJI-13-E-197					
205 N. Dixie Highway West Palm Beach, FL 33401	4. Award Period 9/9/13 – 7/9/14					
	5. Award Date 9/9/13					
1a. Employer Identification No.	6. Award Amount \$6,550					
2. Entity to Receive Funds	 7. Type of Award Project Grant Technical Assistance (TA) Grant Curriculum Adaptation & Training (CAT) 					
	Grant Scholarship					
2a. Employer Identification No.	Partner Grant					
8. Project Title						
Cultural Diversity Training						
9. Special Conditions (Check if applicable)						
The above project is approved subject to such conditions or limitations as set forth on the attached page(s).						
STATE JUSTICE INSTITUTE APPROVAL	GRANTEE ACCEPTANCE					
10. Approving SJI Official	11. Authorized Official of Grantee					
Name: James R. Hannah	Name:					
Title: Chairman, Board of Directors	Title:					
Signature:	Signature:					
Date:September 9, 2013	Date:					