

Resolution authorizing the Police Department to accept a WI Department of Justice Law Enforcement Drug Trafficking Response Grant.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Police Department has been notified of a WI Department of Justice Law Enforcement Drug Trafficking Response Grant to support the investigation and response to drug trafficking in La Crosse; and

WHEREAS, a grant in the amount of \$43,584.00 has been allocated to the City of La Crosse Police Department; and

WHEREAS, said grant allows the La Crosse Police Department to purchase needed equipment and supplies to enhance drug investigations, appropriate and immediate drug charges, and officer safety during drug investigations; and

WHEREAS, said grant requires no local matching funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that it hereby authorizes the Police Department to accept the Law Enforcement Drug Trafficking Response grant from the WI Department of Justice.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said grant funds will be used to purchase equipment that will increase officer safety and aid in drug investigations for the Police Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Police Department is authorized to accept future WI Department of Justice drug trafficking suppression and prevention grants as allocated by the WI Department of Justice.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Police Chief, Finance Director and Mayor are hereby authorized to take any and all steps necessary to effectuate this resolution.