



Legislation Text

File #: 20-0489, Version: 1

Dept/ Agency: Administration/Office of Management and Budget

Action: (X) Ratifying (X) Authorizing () Amending

Type of Service: Temporary Emergency Appropriation

Purpose: The New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant Project will provide empowerment and support to individuals and families who have been impacted by violent crimes and will initiate helping victims to restore dignity and safety within the City of Newark and surrounding area(s). (Shani Baraka Women's Resource Center Project)

Funding Source: State of New Jersey, Office of the Attorney General, Department of Law and Public Safety

Appropriation Amount: \$400,000.00

Budget Year: 2020

Contract Period: September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2021

Contract Basis: () Bid () State Vendor () Prof. Ser. () EUS

() Fair & Open () No Reportable Contributions () RFP () RFQ

() Private Sale (X) Grant () Sub-recipient () n/a

Additional Information:

Apply and Accept Resolution will be submitted under a separate cover as Legistar File #20-0290
Funds accepted by Resolution N/A

Operating Agency: Department of Health and Community Wellness

Two-Thirds vote of full membership required.

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WHEREAS, an emergency has arisen in Special Item of Appropriation in the amount of \$400,000.00 for the New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (Shani Baraka Women's Resource Center) Project, and no adequate provision has been made in the 2020 Temporary Budget for the aforesaid purpose, and N.J.S.A. 40A:4-20 provides for the creation of an emergency appropriation for the same; and

WHEREAS, by the award letter dated August 23, 2019, the State of New Jersey, Office of the Attorney General, Department of Law and Public Safety has awarded the City of Newark the New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (Shani Baraka Women's Resource Center) Project in the amount of \$400,000.00. The aforementioned program focuses on support and empowerment to individuals and families who have been impacted by violent crimes and will initiate helping victims to restore dignity and safety within the City of Newark and surrounding area(s); and

WHEREAS, the City of Newark's Department of Health and Community Wellness will be submitting a companion Apply and Accept Resolution under separate cover to the Newark Municipal Council for its consideration and approval relative to said grant award; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-20 provides that the Governing Body, by a two-thirds vote, may make temporary emergency appropriations for any purpose for which appropriations may lawfully be

made for the period between the beginning of the current fiscal year and the date of the adoption of the budget for said year; and

WHEREAS, temporary emergency appropriations adopted in 2020 pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-20, including this Resolution, total \$.....\$211,656,644.24

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, THAT:

1. A temporary emergency appropriation be and the same is hereby made for the following classification:

<u>Program</u>	<u>Amount</u>
New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (Shani Baraka Women's Resource Center) Project	\$400,000.00

2. Said emergency appropriation shall be provided for in the 2020 budget.
3. A copy of this resolution shall be filed with the Director of Local Government Services by the City Clerk of the City of Newark.

STATEMENT

This Resolution ratifies, authorizes and establishes the temporary emergency appropriation for the New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (Shani Baraka Women's Resource Center) Project in the amount of \$400,000.00. The State of New Jersey, Office of the Attorney General, Department of Law and Public Safety, has awarded the City of Newark the New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant Shani Baraka Women's Resource Center) Project. The project is for the period September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2021.