

Legislation Text

File #: 20-0488, Version: 1

**Dept/ Agency:** Administration/Office of Management and Budget

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

**Type of Service:** Temporary Emergency Appropriation

**Purpose:** The New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant 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). (North Ward 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 separate cover as Legistar # 20-0295. 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 Four Hundred Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$400,000.00) for the New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (North Ward Project), and no adequate provision has been made in the 2020 Temporary Budget for the aforesaid purpose, and <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 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 awarded the City of Newark the New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (North Ward Project) in the amount of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$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's Department of Health and Community Wellness will be submitting, contemporaneously, a companion Apply and Accept Resolution for this grant award for Municipal Council approval; and

**WHEREAS,** <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 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,** emergency appropriations adopted in 2020 pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:4-20, including this resolution, total \$.....\$211,256,644.24

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>	Amount
New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (North Ward 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.

### **STATEMENT**

This resolution authorizes and establishes the temporary emergency appropriation for the New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (North Ward Project) in the amount of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$400,000.00). The State of New Jersey, Office of the Attorney General, Department of Law and Public Safety, awarded the City of Newark the New Jersey Victim Assistance Grant (North Ward Project). The project period is September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2021.