

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 314774

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAY 08 2023

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO TO ACCEPT, APPROPRIATE, AND EXPEND GRANT AWARDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,651,862 FROM THE BOARD OF STATE AND COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS' CALIFORNIA VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION GRANT FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE COMMISSION ON GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION'S PEACEMAKER PROJECT.

WHEREAS, in 2017, the State Legislature established the California Violence Intervention and Prevention (CalVIP) Grant Program to replace the California Gang Reduction, Intervention and Prevention Grant Program that began in 2007; and

WHEREAS, the CalVIP Grant Program provides funding for cities and community-based organizations with the goal of reducing violence in the city and adjacent areas; and

WHEREAS, in October 2019, Governor Newsom signed the Break the Cycle of Violence Act (AB 1603). AB 1603 codified the establishment of the CalVIP Grant Program and defined its purpose: to improve public health and safety by supporting effective violence reduction initiatives in communities that are disproportionately impacted by violence, particularly group-member-involved homicides, shootings, and aggravated assaults; and

WHEREAS, AB 1603 specifies that CalVIP grants shall be used to support, expand, and replicate evidence-based violence reduction initiatives, including hospital-based violence intervention programs, evidence-based street outreach programs, and focused deterrence strategies; and

WHEREAS, these initiatives should seek to interrupt cycles of violence and retaliation to reduce the incidence of homicides, shootings, and aggravated assaults and shall be primarily

focused on providing violence intervention services to the small segment of the population that is identified as having the highest risk of perpetrating or being victimized by violence in the near future; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego (City) desires to participate in the CalVIP Grant Program funded through the California State General Fund and administered by the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) and they City submitted an application for grant funding for the City's Commission on Gang Prevention and Intervention's (Commission) Peacemaker Project; and

WHEREAS, through this grant, the Peacemaker Project has three goals: (1) to reduce homicides, shootings, and aggravated assaults in the City; (2) to improve the capacity of community-based organizations in the City to effectively address gang-related youth violence; and (3) to institutionalize policies and procedures effective in reducing gang-related, youth-engaged violence; and

WHEREAS, in applying for the CalVIP grant, the City received letters of commitment from the following community-based organizations to partner with the Commission and the CalVIP on the Peacemaker Project: Union of Pan Asian Communities; Community Wraparound; Mothers With a Message; Open Heart Leaders; Paving Great Futures; and Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice at the University of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, on September 8, 2022, the City received notice from BSCC of a \$3,651,862 competitive award of the CalVIP grant; and

WHEREAS, the CalVIP grant covers a project period from October 1, 2022 to June 30, 2025, and a six-month period from July 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025 to complete a Final Local Evaluation Report; and

WHEREAS, the City and its non-profit partners will implement the Peacemaker Project funded by CalVIP grant by serving at least 300 high-risk youth and their families, reaching well over 1,000 residents; and

WHEREAS, the City will enter into Agreement Number BSCC 1102-22 (Agreement) with the BSCC to receive the funding for the Peacemaker Project; and

WHEREAS, the terms of the CalVIP grant and the Agreement require the City to match the grant funds awarded in the amount of \$3,651,862 from qualifying expenditures in the City's budget beginning in Fiscal Year 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City will ensure that all required matching funds are budgeted and provided; and

WHEREAS, the City shall not use the CalVIP grant funds to supplant expenditures controlled by the Council of the City of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the City Attorney has drafted this resolution based on the information provided by City staff, with the understanding that this information is complete, true, and accurate; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:


1. The Mayor, or the Mayor's designee, is authorized to conduct all negotiations, sign, and submit all documents, applications, agreements, amendments, and payment requests, and take all necessary actions to secure California Violence Intervention and Prevention grant funding for an amount up to \$3,651,862 and to complete the grant's scope of work related to the Peacemaker Project, including signing Agreement Number BSCC 1102-22 between the City of San Diego and the Board of State and Community Corrections.

2. The City of San Diego commits to providing matching funds in an amount not to exceed \$3,651,862 between October 1, 2022 and December 31, 2025.

3. The Chief Financial Officer is authorized to accept, appropriate, and expend an amount not to exceed \$3,651,862 for the Peacemaker Project, contingent upon the Chief Financial Officer furnishing one or more certificates that funds are, or will be, on deposit with the City Treasurer.

4. The Chief Financial Officer is authorized to establish a special interest-bearing account for this grant, if required.

APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney

By   
Kathy J. Steinman  
Deputy City Attorney

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April 5, 2023  
Or.Dept: Mayor  
CC No. N/A  
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I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of APR 25 2023

DIANA J.S. FUENTES  
City Clerk

By   
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 5/8/23  
(date)

  
TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

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TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on APR 25 2023, by the following vote:

Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Joe LaCava	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jennifer Campbell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Stephen Whitburn	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Monica Montgomery Steppe	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marni von Wilpert	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kent Lee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Raul A. Campillo	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vivian Moreno	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sean Elo-Rivera	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage MAY 08 2023

**(Please note: When a resolution is approved by the Mayor, the date of final passage is the date the approved resolution was returned to the Office of the City Clerk.)**

AUTHENTICATED BY:

TODD GLORIA  
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

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DIANA J.S. FUENTES  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By , Deputy  
for Connie Patterson

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