

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION REQUEST

Please email requests to the Mayor's Legislative Team

at MileHighOrdinance@DenverGov.org by **3:00pm on Monday**. Contact the Mayor's Legislative team with questions

Date of Request: November 14, 2022

Please mark one: Bill Request or Resolution Request

1. Type of Request:

- Contract/Grant Agreement Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) Rezoning/Text Amendment
- Dedication/Vacation Appropriation/Supplemental DRMC Change
- Other:

2. Title: (Start with *approves, amends, dedicates*, etc., include name of company or contractor and indicate the type of request: grant acceptance, contract execution, contract amendment, municipal code change, supplemental request, etc.)

Approves a grant agreement between the Denver District Attorney's Office and Colorado Department of Public Safety, Division of Criminal Justice for \$734,098.00 over two years to support the Denver District Attorney's Victim Advocate Project.

3. Requesting Agency: Denver District Attorney's Office

4. Contact Person:

Contact person with knowledge of proposed ordinance/resolution: Keith Messerman	Contact person to present item at Mayor-Council and Council: Julie Brackley, Keith Messerman
Name: Keith Messerman	Name: Julie Brackley, Keith Messerman
Email: keith.messerman@denverda.org	Email: julie.brackley@denverda.org , keith.messerman@denverda.org

5. General description or background of proposed request. Attach executive summary if more space needed:

This contract reflects 2022-AR-23-300-02, the Colorado Department of Public Safety, Division of Criminal Justice (DCJ) award to the Denver District Attorney's Office (DDAO) Victim Advocacy Project. The award amount is \$734,098.00, and the contract term is January 1, 2023 - December 31, 2024. There is no match requirement for this grant award.

DCJ made this award available to the DDAO through the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund grant program using American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds.

This award provides personnel funding towards four Victim Advocates in the Family Violence Unit, Human Trafficking Unit, and Collaborative DV Response Team, and one Specialty Unit Restitution Technician.

6. City Attorney assigned to this request (if applicable): Olayinka Hamza

7. City Council District: Citywide

8. **For all contracts, fill out and submit accompanying Key Contract Terms worksheet**

To be completed by Mayor's Legislative Team:

Resolution/Bill Number: _____

Date Entered: _____

Key Contract Terms

Type of Contract: (e.g. Professional Services > \$500K; IGA/Grant Agreement, Sale or Lease of Real Property):

Grant Agreement

Vendor/Contractor Name: Colorado Department of Public Safety, Division of Criminal Justice

Contract control number: DATTY-202265311

Location: Citywide

Is this a new contract? Yes No **Is this an Amendment?** Yes No **If yes, how many?** __N/A__

Contract Term/Duration (for amended contracts, include existing term dates and amended dates): 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2024

Contract Amount (indicate existing amount, amended amount and new contract total): \$750,000.00

<i>Current Contract Amount</i> (A)	<i>Additional Funds</i> (B)	<i>Total Contract Amount</i> (A+B)
		\$734,098.00

<i>Current Contract Term</i>	<i>Added Time</i>	<i>New Ending Date</i>
		12/31/2024

Scope of work:

Funding for the DDAO’s Victim Advocate Project will continue to support two Family Violence Unit Victim Advocates, one Domestic Violence Special Advocate, one Human Trafficking Victim Advocate, and one Specialty Unit Restitution Technician. These positions are critical to meeting the complex needs of victims of crime, with each position playing an essential role in helping victims not only with service needs, but in navigating the multifaceted criminal justice system. The DDAO Victim Advocate Project will provide victims of crime with assistance, services, and connections to resources; promote participation in the criminal justice system by educating victims about their rights; advocate for the enforcement of those rights; and coordinate with other community agencies to ensure continuity of support for victims in the City and County of Denver.

Was this contractor selected by competitive process? N/A **If not, why not?** This is a grant agreement.

Has this contractor provided these services to the City before? Yes No This is a grant agreement.

Source of funds: Colorado Department of Public Safety, Division of Criminal Justice/US Department of Treasury, American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)

Is this contract subject to: W/MBE DBE SBE XO101 ACDBE N/A

WBE/MBE/DBE commitments (construction, design, Airport concession contracts): N/A

Who are the subcontractors to this contract? N/A

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