

BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST

1. Title: Approves the acceptance of an annual federal VOCA grant for \$1.5 million from the Colorado Division of Criminal Justice to augment the state funds available to the Crime Victim Compensation Program in the 2nd Judicial District (201208330).

2. Requesting Agency: Denver County Court

3. Contact Person *with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance*

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4. Contact Person *with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance who will present the item at Mayor Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary*

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5. Describe the proposed ordinance, including what the proposed ordinance is intended to accomplish, who's involved

a. Scope of Work

This ordinance is necessary for the VOCA grant awarded to the Crime Victim Compensation Program to be reflected as pass-through dollars in the District Attorney's budget. The Crime Victim Compensation program is available to all eligible victims of crimes that occur in Denver to assist with specified monetary costs that result specifically from being the victim of a crime.

b. Duration

1/1/13 -12/31/13

c. Location

District Attorney's Office

d. Affected Council District

Citywide

e. Benefits

Our ability to accept these funds for the Crime Victim Compensation program increases by approximately 50% our ability to assist eligible crime victims in the city of Denver.

f. Costs

n/a

6. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance, groups or individuals who may have concerns about it? Please explain.

No.

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Date: 10/23/2012