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>> GOOD MORNING EVERYBODY AND  
WELCOME TO THE BOSTON COUNCIL  
COUNCIL.

I AM TIMOTHY MCCARTHY.  
AND THIS IS A PUBLIC HEARING  
BEING RECORDED AND BROADCASTING  
ON COMCAST 8, RCN 82 AND VERIZON  
1964.

AND ALSO STREAMED AT THE CITY OF  
BOSTON WEBSITE.

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE  
AND OTHER DEVICES.

WE'LL BE TAKING PUBLIC  
TESTIMONY.

IF YOU'D LIKE TO SPEAK PUBLICLY,  
SIGN-IN SHEETS ARE OVER AT THE  
SIDE.

I'LL READ OFF THE DOCKET NUMBERS  
AND PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND  
AFFILIATION AS WE ADDRESS IT.  
WE WILL BE TAKING 0233 OUT OF  
ORDER, JUST SO YOU KNOW.

TOOLED'S HEARING DOCKET NUMBER  
0135, THAT'S A MESSAGE AND ORDER  
AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON  
TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE AMOUNT  
OF \$1,600,000 IN THE FORM OF A  
GRANT FOR SAFE AND SUCCESSFUL  
YOUTH INITIATIVES.

DOCKET NUMBER 0141, MESSAGE AND  
ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF  
BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND  
\$115,000 IN THE FORM OF A GRANT  
FOR FFY17 VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN  
ACT STOP GRANT.

DOCKET NUMBER 0233, WHICH WE'LL  
TAKE FIRST, MESSAGE AND ORDER  
AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON  
TO ACCEPT AN AMOUNT OF \$30,000  
IN THE FORM OF A GRANT FOR THE  
ORGANIZED CRIME DRUG ENFORCEMENT  
TASK FORCE PROGRAM.

DOCKET NUMBER 0284, MESSAGE AND  
ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF  
BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND

\$1,075,915.40.

AND DOCKET NUMBER 0613,  
AUTHORIZETH CITY OF BOSTON TO  
ACCEPT AND SPEND \$1,750,000 IN  
THE FORM OF A GRANT FOR FY18

STATE TRAINING GRANT.  
BY THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT  
OF FIRE SERVICES TO BE  
ADMINISTERED BY THE BOSTON FIRE  
DEPARTMENT.

0615, MESSAGE AND ORDER  
AUTHORIZING STET -- CITY OF  
BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND  
\$237,500 IN THE FORM OF A GRANT  
FY18 STATE HAZMAT GRANT AND WE  
WILL HAVE THE DEPARTMENTS COME  
UP FOR THOSE TWO GRANTS AT THE  
END.

AS I STATED, WE'LL TAKE DOCKET  
NUMBER 0233 OUT OF ORDER.  
WHOEVER IS GOING TO ADDRESS  
THAT, IF YOU CAN JUST HAVE YOUR  
NAME AND POSITION FOR THE RECORD  
AND AWAY WE GO.

>> GOOD MORNING I AM BRIAN  
ALBERT, AND I AM A SERGEANT  
DETECTIVE WITH THE POLICE  
FUGITIVE UNIT.

>> THANK YOU.

LET HER RIP.

WHAT DO YOU HAVE FOR \$30,000.

>> THIS IS A \$30,000 GRANT  
OFFERED BY THE U.S. MARSHAL'S  
PROGRAM AND THE GRANT WOULD BE  
USED FOR SURVEILLANCE VEHICLE  
FOR THE FUGITIVE UNIT.

THE SURVEILLANCE VEHICLES ARE  
CRUCIAL IN DAILY ACTIVITY TO  
CONDUCT SURVEILLANCE AND  
OPERATIONS FOR WANTED  
INDIVIDUALS.

>> SOUNDS PRETTY  
STRAIGHTFORWARD.

THANKS VERY MUCH, BRIAN.  
DOCKET NUMBER 0135, THIS IS FOR  
THE \$1.6 MILLION FOR A GRANT OF  
SAFE AND SUCCESSFUL YOUTH  
INITIATIVE.

>> GOOD MORNING, COUNCILOR.  
I AM FRANK DALUCA WITH THE  
BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICE  
OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT.  
AND THE SAFE AND SUCCESSFUL  
YOUTH INITIATIVE \$1.6 MILLION  
GRANT COVERING TWO FISCAL YEARS,  
FY18 AND 19.

AND THE GRANT SUPPORTS  
INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR  
BOSTON'S VIOLENT YOUTH, THOSE

INVOLVED IN VIOLENT CRIME AS PERPETRATORS OR VICTIMS.  
THE BPD SUBCONTRACTS WITH THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION, WHICH IS THE LEAD AGENCY, AND THEY, IN TURN, SUBCONTRACT TO NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATIONS THAT PROVIDE THOSE SERVICES, LIKE OUTREACH AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COUNSELING, EDUCATION SERVICES AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES.  
>> THANKS VERY MUCH, FRANK.  
WHAT ORGANIZATIONS?  
CAN YOU GIVE A COUPLE?  
>> SURE.  
THERE IS YOU BOSTON.  
COLLEGE-BOUND DOOR ROCHESTER.  
MADISON PARK DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.  
MISSION SAFE.  
MORE THAN WORDS.  
CENTER FOR TEEN EMPOWERMENT.  
AND J.R.I. STRIVE.  
CURRENTLY SUPPORTED BY THE GRANT.  
>> THANKS FRANK.  
GOING TO DOCKET 0141, A MESSAGE AND ORDER FOR \$115,000 GRANT FOR FFY17, VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT STOP GRANT.  
>> HI.  
JENNA SAVAGE THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AT THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT.  
THE FUNDS WE GET EVERY YEAR FROM EOPS, FROM THE OFFICE OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN.  
THE FUNDS SUPPORT OUR CIVILIAN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ADVOCATES.  
THIS YEAR AN INCREASE IN FUNDING, WE CAN SUPPORT ONE FULLTIME EAST BOSTON AND JAMAICA PLAINS AND ANOTHER COVERING DOOR -- DORCHESTER.  
>> ARE THEY CITY OF BOSTON EMPLOYEES OR SUBCONTRACTORS?  
>> CITY OF BOSTON EMPLOYEES.  
>> AND THEY'RE OUT OF THE POLICE STATIONS IN THE DISTRICT?  
>> CORRECT.  
>> DISTRICT STATIONS, GREAT.  
>> DOCKET 0284.  
CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND

EXPEND \$1,079,951.41 AND I AM  
CURIOUS ABOUT THE 41 CENTS.  
>> I AM DEMONT BILLS, AND I  
THINK YOU HAD AN E ON THERE, IT  
IS R -- IT IS REDUCING GUN, GANG  
AND VIOLENCE IN THE CITY AND  
WORKING HAND-IN-HAND WITH SSSI,  
THEY HAVE THE HIGHEST RISK OF  
YOUNG PEOPLE.  
WE SERVE THE SECOND TIER OF THAT  
THROUGH COMMUNITY-BASED  
ORGANIZES.  
THAT'S THE PRIMARY EFFORT FOR  
THE SHANNON GRANT.  
WE ALSO FUND THREE CITY-BASED  
ORGANIZATIONS.  
SO THIS IS OUR 12TH YEAR OF  
OPERATION OF THE SHANNON GRANT.  
WHEN STARTED IT WAS AT ABOUT \$3  
MILLION AND WHEN SHANNON AND  
RE-ENTRY COMBINED.  
AND SOMEWHERE AROUND 2010 THEY  
SEPARATED THE INITIATIVES AND  
SHANNON GOT ITS OWN AND RE-ENTRY  
ITS OWN.  
AND THE FUNDS WERE KIND OF  
REDUCED THEN.  
BUT EVERY YEAR SINCE PROBABLY  
THE LAST FOUR YEARS THE FUNDS  
FOR SHANNON FROM THE STATE HAVE  
BEEN REDUCING, REDUCING,  
REDUCING.  
BE IT CRIME REDUCTION, CRIME HAS  
GONE DOWN, MAYBE LESS FUNDING,  
BUT THE ORGANIZES ARE STILL  
PROVIDING THAT SERVICE.  
SO WE FUND THIS YEAR 17  
ORGANIZATIONS.  
SOME OF WHICH ARE BOSTON CENTERS  
FOR FAMILIES, ADIC, WITH THEIR  
YOU PROJECT.  
YOUTH CONNECT, BOSTON CENTER  
PROGRAM SERVING YOUNG PEOPLE WHO  
HAVE BEEN -- HAVE PENETRATING  
WOUNDS AT THE HOSPITAL.  
MY LIFE, MY CHOICE, LEWIS B.  
BROWN INSTITUTE.  
AND COMMUNITY SERVICES AND ABOUT  
EIGHT OTHERS THAT ARE IN THE  
SHANNON INITIATIVE.  
>> ALL RIGHT.  
WELL WE'LL CONTINUE TO PUSH OUR  
FRIENDS UP AT THE STATE HOUSE  
FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDING.

WHAT ENDS UP HAPPENING, YOU KNOW MORE THAN I, WHEN YOU BEGIN TO HAVE SUCCESS AND THEN YOU STOP PAYING FOR THAT SUCCESS, YOU ARE GOING TO STOP PAYING ON THE BACK END WITH BAD NUMBERS. AND WE'LL CONTINUE TO FIGHT FOR IT.

I AM VERY FAMILIAR WITH THE SHANNON GRANT.

I KNOW WAY BACK IN THE DAY THEY USED TO BE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE BOSTON YOUTH FUND AND THE SUMMER JOBS HIRING.

I KNOW A LOT ABOUT THAT, THAT'S FOR SURE.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

>> I APPRECIATE THAT.

>> IS THAT IT FOR PP?

ALL RIGHT.

NICE AND EASY, THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

>> THANK YOU.

>> SO THE NEXT TWO GRANTS ARE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT-RUN.

TWO GRANTS, 0613 IS AN AUTHORIZATION OF CITY OF BOSTON ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE AMOUNT OF \$1,750,000 IN THE FORM OF A GRANT FOR STATE TRAINING.

THE SECOND IS 0615, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO EXPEND THE FORM OF THE GRANT TO THE STATE HAZMAT GRANT.

IF YOU WANT TO ADDRESS THOSE, 0613 AND 0615, WE'RE READY TO GO.

INTRODUCE YOURSELF AND OFF WE GO.

>> OK I AM KATHLEEN JUDGE, DEPARTMENT COMMISSIONER FOR ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT. THE FIRST GRANT FOR \$1,750,000 IS FOR THE TRAINING THAT COVERS TRAINING FOR BACK TO BASICS, WHICH IS EVERY WEEKEND, O2X, THE WELLNESS AND FITNESS PROGRAM, AND OTHER DRILLS LIKE HIGH-RISE DRILLS OR TECH RESCUE DRILLS. AND IT ALSO COVERS THE EXPENSE RELATED TO THE ACADEMY.

WE'RE PLACING THE PROPS, LUMBER, BAILS OF HAY, ROPES, ANYTHING

ELSE THEY NEED TO TRAIN FOR NEW RECRUITS.  
WE HAVE 60 NEW RECRUITS THERE TODAY.  
>> I HAVE BEEN THERE A COUPLE OF TIMES MYSELF.  
WHAT IS 0615?  
>> CAPTAIN ANDERSON.  
IT IS USED TO SUPPORT THE HAZMAT TRAINING, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPORT FOR THE HAZMAT RESPONSE FORCE FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON.  
>> OK.  
WHAT TYPE OF INCIDENTS, CAPTAIN, WOULD FALL UNDER THAT UMBRELLA?  
>> ANYTHING FROM THE TYPICAL HIGHWAY INCIDENT HERE FOR A ROLL-OVER OF A VEHICLE HERE, A TANKER, TO RESPONSE TO LABORATORIES FOR DE-CONTAMINATION FOR BOTH VICTIMS AND FIREFIGHTERS THEMSELVES.  
>> OK.  
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.  
WE MEET TOMORROW AT NOON, AND I'LL BE PUTTING A REPORT TOGETHER TO ASK FOR PASSAGE OF THESE GRANTS FOR THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT AS WELL AS BOSTON FIRE.  
WE'LL WRAP THIS HEARING UP NOW. DOCKETS 0135, 0141, 0233, 0284, 0613, 0615, THERE'S NOBODY HERE FOR TESTIMONY.  
AGAIN I AM TIMOTHY MCCARTHY THE CITY COUNCILOR AND THE CHAIR EVER THE BOSTON CITY COMMITTEE FOR PUBLIC SAFETY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE, AND THIS HEARING IS ADJOURNED.