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Memorandum

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Director, Department of Parks and Recreation
Attn: Park Patrol Superintendent, Territorial Parks Protection
Director, Department of Public Works
Attn: Administrator, Office of Highway Safety
Administrator, Guam State Clearinghouse
Executive Director, Governor's Federal Programs Office
Executive Director, Public Defender Services Corporation

From: Director, Bureau of Statistics and Plans

Subject: Fiscal Year 2024 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG):
Project Proposal Request

Håfa Adai! The Bureau of Statistics of Plans is pleased to announce the FY 2024 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program project solicitation. JAG funded projects may address crime through the provision of services directly to individuals and or communities and by improving the effectiveness and efficiency of criminal justice systems, processes, and procedures. The Revised October 2023 FY 2019-2022 Strategy for Drug Control, Violent Crime and Criminal Justice Systems Improvement Strategy, developed by the Bureau of Statistics and Plans, in collaboration with Guam's criminal justice entities and resource agencies, remains effective until such time as the new FY 2025-2029 Strategy is in place.

Guam's Revised October 2023 FY 2019-2022 Drug Control, Violent Crime and Criminal Justice Systems Improvement Strategy reflects the use of JAG funds to support criminal justice initiatives

on island through the following priority areas: law enforcement, corrections and community corrections, drug treatment and rehabilitation, planning, evaluation and technology improvement, and prevention and education.

The Bureau is initiating the request for project proposals to allow the opportunity for interested applicants to submit project proposals consistent with the approved priority areas and the Bureau of Justice Assistance requirements. The proposed programs under each priority areas are as follows:

Law Enforcement Priority

- Multijurisdictional Drug Task Forces Program
- Sexual Assault and Violent Crime Programs
- Sexual Assault Prosecution Program
- Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Program

Corrections and Community Corrections Priority

- Reentry Program

Drug Treatment and Rehabilitation Priority

- Therapeutic community or Aftercare and or Continued Care Programs
- Correctional Treatment and Rehabilitation

Planning, Evaluation & Technology Improvement Priority

- Criminal Justice Records Improvement Program
- Video Conferencing
- National Incident-Based Reporting System (NBRIS) (GPD Only)

Prevention and Education Programs

- Criminal Justice Systems Prevention and Education Program

Applicants should anticipate that awards under the Byrne JAG are limited and should accordingly propose project activities and deliverables that can be accomplished without additional U.S. Department of Justice funding and within the specified project period. Project proposals submitted will be reviewed to determine applicability with the approved priority areas, proposed goals and objectives and the deliverables of performance measures and project activities. In addition, the Bureau will also take into consideration prior award performance in terms of goal achievement of individual funded projects, compliance with both fiscal and program reporting requirements, the timely expenditure of funds in accordance with approved budgets, compliance with the Office of Civil Rights requirements and other BJA grant award requirements.

Please note that projects will not be funded consecutively each year. Thus, if you submitted a proposal the prior year and received an award, the Bureau will not likely consider funding the initiative provided that it is a technology project that requires implementation in a phased approach or if funds were deobligated due to challenges in implementing a specific task or activity so as not

to jeopardize the project in its entirety. If a proposal was not funded, the opportunity exists to submit a proposal depending on the need and if it meets the approved priority areas and program.

Proposals may be submitted by any established non-profit organization, faith-based organization, law enforcement, victim services, and substance abuse public agencies that are consistent with the approved BJA programs identified in the Revised October 2023 FY 2019–2022 Drug Control, Violent Crime and Criminal Justice Systems Improvement Strategy.

All proposals for review and funding consideration must be submitted to the Bureau of Statistics and Plans by 5:00 p.m., Friday, April 11, 2025. Attached is the Proposal Application Instructions Guide for your use in preparing your project proposal. Please ensure project proposals follow the required information as provided in the guide book and that you provide an electronic format to the Bureau in Microsoft Word format. Applications received after this date will not be accepted. Email proposals to Millie Erguiza, Senior Planner, at millie.erguiza@bsp.guam.gov and a carbon copy (cc) to sepp@bsp.guam.gov.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact my office or Ms. Millie Erguiza, Senior Planner, at 472-4201/2/3 or facsimile at 477-1812. *Si Yu'os Ma'ase'.*


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