

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2026-639

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President at the request of the Mayor

Date of Introduction: August 11, 2026

Committee(s) of Reference: NCSPHS, F

Date of Analysis: August 10, 2026

Type of Action: Appropriation; Approval of part-time hours

Bill Summary: This bill appropriates \$52,000 from Permanent and Probationary Salaries to Salaries Part-Time for the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant from the United States Department of Justice, as initiated by B.T. 27-009. The bill authorizes two thousand part-time hours for a part-time data specialist to support the Justice Assistance Grant program, as initiated by R.C. 27-005. The part-time hours will be utilized for data entry and analysis in support of the grant program.

Background Information: The appropriation, for the 2026-2027 fiscal year, reallocates funding within the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant program from the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance to provide for a part-time data specialist in support of the grant program. The grant period is from October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2027. No local match is required.

Policy Impact Area: Public Safety; Grants Administration

Fiscal Impact: No cost to the City. The bill reallocates \$52,000 in grant funds from Permanent and Probationary Salaries to Salaries Part-Time (B.T. 27-009). No local match is required.

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