

# Board of County Commissioners Agenda Request



Requested Meeting Date: January 4, 2022

Title of Item: OJP Grant

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	Action Requested:		Direction Requested	
CONSENT AGENDA	Approve/Deny Motion	Ļ	Discussion Item	
	Adopt Resolution (attach draft) Hold Public Hearing* *provide copy of hearing notice that was published			
Submitted by:	Department:			
James P. Ratz	County Attorney			
Presenter (Name and Title): James P. Ratz			Estimated Time Needed:	
Summary of Issue:				
Signature for fiscal year 2022 grant that funds the majority of the Crime Victim Coordinatory salary/program. The OJP grant monies help fund the Aitkin County Crime Victim Services Program.				
Alternatives, Options, Effects on Others/Comments:				
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Recommended Action/Motion:				
Financial Impact:				
Is there a cost associated with this request? Yes No				
What is the total cost, with tax and shipping? \$				
Is this budgeted?  Yes	No Please Exp	lain:		

# **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AGREEMENT**

Authorization to execute grant agreements can be conferred by 1) Statute, 2) Bylaws, or 3) this Resolution

Resolution is not needed if the authorized officials below are signing the grant agreement. These officials may confer their grant signing authority to others by this resolution, and they are the only acceptable signatures on this form:

Statutory Cities	Mayor
County	Board
Non-Profit	Board

r and City Clerk chair and Clerk of the Board chair, or official authorized in bylaws

Non-profits: Please attach and highlight your bylaws to document signing authority, whether the resolution is needed or not. You cannot authorize yourself.

Be it resolved that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Name of your organization) \_\_\_\_will enter into a cooperative agreement with the Office of Justice Programs in the Minnesota Department of Public Safety.

is hereby authorized to execute such agreements and (Title of authorized official)

amendments, as are necessary to implement the project on behalf of

(Name of your organization)

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on

(Name of your organization)

(Date)

SIGNED:

WITNESSETH:

(Signature)

(Signature)

(Title)

(Date)

(Title)

(Date)

# **LEGAL AUTHORITY TO SIGN GRANTS**

# **Statutory Cities**

#### **MS. 412.201 EXECUTION OF INSTRUMENTS**

Every contract, conveyance, license or other written instrument shall be executed on behalf of the city by the mayor and clerk, with the corporate seal affixed, and only pursuant to authority from the council.

Or, signature by person/authority named in resolution by city council identifying who may sign grant contract

#### **County Board**

## **MS. 375.13 CHAIR**

The county board, at its first session in each year, shall elect from its members a chair and a vice-chair. The chair shall preside at its meetings and sign all documents requiring signature on its behalf. The chair's signature, attested by the clerk of the county board, shall be binding as the signature of the board. In case of the absence or incapacity of the chair, the vice-chair shall perform the chair's duties. If the chair or the vice-chair are absent from any meeting, all documents requiring the signature of the board shall be signed by a majority of it and attested by the clerk.

Or, signature by person/authority named in resolution by county board identifying who may sign grant contract

## <u>Non-Profit</u>

Signature by position specified in by-laws Or, signature by person/authority named in resolution by board identifying who may sign grant JAMES P. RATZ

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Aitkin County Board

**FROM:** James P. Ratz, County Attorney

**DATE:** December 20, 2021

**RE:** Office of Justice Programs Grant

Attached please find the Consent Agenda Request and Resolution Authorizing Execution of Agreement for the OJP grant. Please complete the resolution approving the JPA agreement and provide me with a copy of the resolution once complete. Thank you.

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