



City of Saint Paul

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Legislation Text

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Authorizing the Police Department to submit an application for funds under a Request for Proposal issued by the United States Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) FY 2023 Microgrants Program.

WHEREAS, Chapter 10 of the Saint Paul City Charter recognizes the City Council's authority over the budget and spending of the City of Saint Paul; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 86 of the Saint Paul Administrative Code requires all contracts be authorized by the Saint Paul City Council; and

WHEREAS, Section 86.12 of the Saint Paul Administrative Code requires City Council approval prior to submission of grant applications; and

WHEREAS, on March 8, 2023, the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) released a Request for Proposal - for the FY 2023 Microgrants Program; and

WHEREAS, the application submitted will be for the Police Department to fund costs of recruiting sworn personnel; and

WHEREAS, this grant, if awarded, does not include a matching funds requirement; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Saint Paul, upon recommendation of the Mayor, that the Police Department may submit an application for funds under the Requests for Proposals issued by the United States Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS), FY 2023 Microgrants Program.