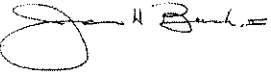




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1. RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS (Including Zip Code) Floyd County P. O. Box 946 Rome, GA 30162-0946		4. AWARD NUMBER: 2010-DJ-BX-0643	
		5. PROJECT PERIOD: FROM 10/01/2009 TO 09/30/2013 BUDGET PERIOD: FROM 10/01/2009 TO 09/30/2013	
		6. AWARD DATE 08/10/2010	7. ACTION Initial
1A. GRANTEE IRS/VENDOR NO. 586000830	8. SUPPLEMENT NUMBER 00		
		9. PREVIOUS AWARD AMOUNT \$ 0	
3. PROJECT TITLE 2010 Joint Application to Upgrade and Supplement Equipment		10. AMOUNT OF THIS AWARD \$ 50,911	
		11. TOTAL AWARD \$ 50,911	
12. SPECIAL CONDITIONS THE ABOVE GRANT PROJECT IS APPROVED SUBJECT TO SUCH CONDITIONS OR LIMITATIONS AS ARE SET FORTH ON THE ATTACHED PAGE(S).			
13. STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR GRANT This project is supported under FY10 (BJA - JAG) 42 USC 3750, et seq.			
15. METHOD OF PAYMENT GPRS			
AGENCY APPROVAL		GRANTEE ACCEPTANCE	
16. TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL James H. Burch II Acting Director		18. TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED GRANTEE OFFICIAL Eddie Lumsden Chairman	
17. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL 		19. SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED RECIPIENT OFFICIAL	19A. DATE
AGENCY USE ONLY			
20. ACCOUNTING CLASSIFICATION CODES FISCAL FUND BUD. DIV. YEAR CODE ACT. OFC. REG. SUB. POMS AMOUNT X B DJ 80 00 00 50911		21. JDJUGT0837	

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1. The recipient agrees to comply with the financial and administrative requirements set forth in the current edition of the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) Financial Guide.
2. The recipient acknowledges that failure to submit an acceptable Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (if recipient is required to submit one pursuant to 28 C.F.R. Section 42.302), that is approved by the Office for Civil Rights, is a violation of its Certified Assurances and may result in suspension or termination of funding, until such time as the recipient is in compliance.
3. The recipient agrees to comply with the organizational audit requirements of OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, and further understands and agrees that funds may be withheld, or other related requirements may be imposed, if outstanding audit issues (if any) from OMB Circular A-133 audits (and any other audits of OJP grant funds) are not satisfactorily and promptly addressed, as further described in the current edition of the OJP Financial Guide, Chapter 19.
4. Recipient understands and agrees that it cannot use any federal funds, either directly or indirectly, in support of the enactment, repeal, modification or adoption of any law, regulation or policy, at any level of government, without the express prior written approval of OJP.
5. The recipient must promptly refer to the DOJ OIG any credible evidence that a principal, employee, agent, contractor, subgrantee, subcontractor, or other person has either 1) submitted a false claim for grant funds under the False Claims Act; or 2) committed a criminal or civil violation of laws pertaining to fraud, conflict of interest, bribery, gratuity, or similar misconduct involving grant funds. This condition also applies to any subrecipients. Potential fraud, waste, abuse, or misconduct should be reported to the OIG by -

mail:

Office of the Inspector General
U.S. Department of Justice
Investigations Division
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Room 4706
Washington, DC 20530

e-mail: oig.hotline@usdoj.gov

hotline: (contact information in English and Spanish); (800) 869-4499

or hotline fax: (202) 616-9881

Additional information is available from the DOJ OIG website at www.usdoj.gov/oig.

6. Recipient understands and agrees that it cannot use any federal funds, either directly or indirectly, in support of any contract or subaward to either the Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (ACORN) or its subsidiaries, without the express prior written approval of OJP.
7. The recipient agrees to comply with any additional requirements that may be imposed during the grant performance period if the agency determines that the recipient is a high-risk grantee. Cf. 28 C.F.R. parts 66, 70.



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8. To support public safety and justice information sharing, OJP requires the grantee to use the National Information Exchange Model (NIEM) specifications and guidelines for this particular grant. Grantee shall publish and make available without restriction all schemas generated as a result of this grant to the component registry as specified in the guidelines. For more information on compliance with this special condition, visit <http://www.niem.gov/implementationguide.php>.
9. To avoid duplicating existing networks or IT systems in any initiatives funded by BJA for law enforcement information sharing systems which involve interstate connectivity between jurisdiction, such systems shall employ, to the extent possible, existing networks as the communication backbone to achieve interstate connectivity, unless the grantee can demonstrate to the satisfaction of BJA that this requirement would not be cost effective or would impair the functionality of an existing or proposed IT system.
10. The grantee agrees to comply with the applicable requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 38, the Department of Justice regulation governing "Equal Treatment for Faith Based Organizations" (the "Equal Treatment Regulation"). The Equal Treatment Regulation provides in part that Department of Justice grant awards of direct funding may not be used to fund any inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization. Recipients of direct grants may still engage in inherently religious activities, but such activities must be separate in time or place from the Department of Justice funded program, and participation in such activities by individuals receiving services from the grantee or a sub-grantee must be voluntary. The Equal Treatment Regulation also makes clear that organizations participating in programs directly funded by the Department of Justice are not permitted to discriminate in the provision of services on the basis of a beneficiary's religion. Notwithstanding any other special condition of this award, faith-based organizations may, in some circumstances, consider religion as a basis for employment. See http://www.ojp.gov/about/ocr/equal_fbo.htm.
11. The recipient acknowledges that all programs funded through subawards, whether at the state or local levels, must conform to the grant program requirements as stated in BJA program guidance.
12. The recipient agrees that any information technology system funded or supported by OJP funds will comply with 28 C.F.R. Part 23, Criminal Intelligence Systems Operating Policies, if OJP determines this regulation to be applicable. Should OJP determine 28 C.F.R. Part 23 to be applicable, OJP may, at its discretion, perform audits of the system, as per the regulation. Should any violation of 28 C.F.R. Part 23 occur, the recipient may be fined as per 42 U.S.C. 3789g(c)-(d). Recipient may not satisfy such a fine with federal funds.
13. The recipient agrees to ensure that the State Information Technology Point of Contact receives written notification regarding any information technology project funded by this grant during the obligation and expenditure period. This is to facilitate communication among local and state governmental entities regarding various information technology projects being conducted with these grant funds. In addition, the recipient agrees to maintain an administrative file documenting the meeting of this requirement. For a list of State Information Technology Points of Contact, go to <http://www.it.ojp.gov/default.aspx?area=policyAndPractice&page=1046>.
14. Grantee agrees to comply with the requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 46 and all Office of Justice Programs policies and procedures regarding the protection of human research subjects, including obtainment of Institutional Review Board approval, if appropriate, and subject informed consent.
15. Grantee agrees to comply with all confidentiality requirements of 42 U.S.C. section 3789g and 28 C.F.R. Part 22 that are applicable to collection, use, and revelation of data or information. Grantee further agrees, as a condition of grant approval, to submit a Privacy Certificate that is in accord with requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 22 and, in particular, section 22.23.



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16. The grantee agrees to assist BJA in complying with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the National Historic Preservation Act, and other related federal environmental impact analyses requirements in the use of these grant funds, either directly by the grantee or by a subgrantee. Accordingly, the grantee agrees to first determine if any of the following activities will be funded by the grant, prior to obligating funds for any of these purposes. If it is determined that any of the following activities will be funded by the grant, the grantee agrees to contact BJA.

The grantee understands that this special condition applies to its following new activities whether or not they are being specifically funded with these grant funds. That is, as long as the activity is being conducted by the grantee, a subgrantee, or any third party and the activity needs to be undertaken in order to use these grant funds, this special condition must first be met. The activities covered by this special condition are:

- a. New construction;
- b. Minor renovation or remodeling of a property located in an environmentally or historically sensitive area, including properties located within a 100-year flood plain, a wetland, or habitat for endangered species, or a property listed on or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places;
- c. A renovation, lease, or any proposed use of a building or facility that will either (a) result in a change in its basic prior use or (b) significantly change its size;
- d. Implementation of a new program involving the use of chemicals other than chemicals that are (a) purchased as an incidental component of a funded activity and (b) traditionally used, for example, in office, household, recreational, or education environments; and
- e. Implementation of a program relating to clandestine methamphetamine laboratory operations, including the identification, seizure, or closure of clandestine methamphetamine laboratories.

The grantee understands and agrees that complying with NEPA may require the preparation of an Environmental Assessment and/or an Environmental Impact Statement, as directed by BJA. The grantee further understands and agrees to the requirements for implementation of a Mitigation Plan, as detailed at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/resource/nepa.html>, for programs relating to methamphetamine laboratory operations.

Application of This Special Condition to Grantee's Existing Programs or Activities: For any of the grantee's or its subgrantees' existing programs or activities that will be funded by these grant funds, the grantee, upon specific request from BJA, agrees to cooperate with BJA in any preparation by BJA of a national or program environmental assessment of that funded program or activity.

17. The recipient is required to establish a trust fund account. (The trust fund may or may not be an interest-bearing account.) The fund, including any interest, may not be used to pay debts or expenses incurred by other activities beyond the scope of the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG). The recipient also agrees to obligate and expend the grant funds in the trust fund (including any interest earned) during the period of the grant. Grant funds (including any interest earned) not expended by the end of the grant period must be returned to the Bureau of Justice Assistance no later than 90 days after the end of the grant period, along with the final submission of the Federal Financial Report (SF-425).
18. The recipient agrees that funds received under this award will not be used to supplant State or local funds, but will be used to increase the amounts of such funds that would, in the absence of Federal funds, be made available for law enforcement activities.



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19. Award recipients must submit quarterly a Federal Financial Report (SF-425) and annual performance reports through GMS (<https://grants.ojp.usdoj.gov>). Consistent with the Department's responsibilities under the Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA), P.L. 103-62, applicants who receive funding under this solicitation must provide data that measure the results of their work. Therefore, quarterly performance metrics reports must be submitted through BJA's Performance Measurement Tool (PMT) website (www.bjaperformancetools.org). For more detailed information on reporting and other JAG requirements, refer to the JAG reporting requirements webpage. Failure to submit required JAG reports by established deadlines may result in the freezing of grant funds and future High Risk designation.
20. Award recipients must verify Point of Contact(POC), Financial Point of Contact (FPOC), and Authorized Representative contact information in GMS, including telephone number and e-mail address. If any information is incorrect or has changed, a Grant Adjustment Notice (GAN) must be submitted via the Grants Management System (GMS) to document changes.
21. The grantee agrees that within 120 days of award acceptance, each member of a law enforcement task force funded with these funds who is a task force commander, agency executive, task force officer, or other task force member of equivalent rank, will complete required online (internet-based) task force training. The training is provided free of charge online through BJA's Center for Task Force Integrity and Leadership (www.ctfli.org). All current and new task force members are required to complete this training once during the life of the award, or once every four years if multiple awards include this requirement. This training addresses task force effectiveness as well as other key issues including privacy and civil liberties/rights, task force performance measurement, personnel selection, and task force oversight and accountability. Additional information is available regarding this required training and access methods via BJA's web site and the Center for Task Force Integrity and Leadership (www.ctfli.org).
22. The recipient agrees expeditiously to obtain active registration with the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database, and to notify the program office in writing of its registration. Following satisfaction of this requirement, a Grant Adjustment Notice will be issued to remove this special condition.



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Washington, D.C. 20531

August 10, 2010

Chairman Eddie Lumsden
Floyd County
P. O. Box 946
Rome, GA 30162-0946

Dear Chairman Lumsden:

On behalf of Attorney General Eric Holder, it is my pleasure to inform you that the Office of Justice Programs has approved your application for funding under the FY 10 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program Local Solicitation in the amount of \$50,911 for Floyd County.

Enclosed you will find the Grant Award and Special Conditions documents. This award is subject to all administrative and financial requirements, including the timely submission of all financial and programmatic reports, resolution of all interim audit findings, and the maintenance of a minimum level of cash-on-hand. Should you not adhere to these requirements, you will be in violation of the terms of this agreement and the award will be subject to termination for cause or other administrative action as appropriate.

If you have questions regarding this award, please contact:

- Program Questions, Flora D. Lawson, Program Manager at (202) 305-9216; and
- Financial Questions, the Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Customer Service Center (CSC) at (800) 458-0786, or you may contact the CSC at ask.ocfo@usdoj.gov.

Congratulations, and we look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

James H. Burch II
Acting Director

Enclosures



Department of Justice
Office of Justice Programs
Office for Civil Rights

Washington, D.C. 20531

August 10, 2010

Chairman Eddie Lumsden
Floyd County
P. O. Box 946
Rome, GA 30162-0946

Dear Chairman Lumsden:

Congratulations on your recent award. In establishing financial assistance programs, Congress linked the receipt of Federal funding to compliance with Federal civil rights laws. The Office for Civil Rights (OCR), Office of Justice Programs (OJP), U.S. Department of Justice is responsible for ensuring that recipients of financial aid from OJP, its component offices and bureaus, the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), and the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) comply with applicable Federal civil rights statutes and regulations. We at OCR are available to help you and your organization meet the civil rights requirements that come with Justice Department funding.

Ensuring Access to Federally Assisted Programs

As you know, Federal laws prohibit recipients of financial assistance from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, or disability in funded programs or activities, not only in respect to employment practices but also in the delivery of services or benefits. Federal law also prohibits funded programs or activities from discriminating on the basis of age in the delivery of services or benefits.

Providing Services to Limited English Proficiency (LEP) Individuals

In accordance with Department of Justice Guidance pertaining to Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, recipients of Federal financial assistance must take reasonable steps to provide meaningful access to their programs and activities for persons with limited English proficiency (LEP). For more information on the civil rights responsibilities that recipients have in providing language services to LEP individuals, please see the website at <http://www.lep.gov>.

Ensuring Equal Treatment for Faith-Based Organizations

The Department of Justice has published a regulation specifically pertaining to the funding of faith-based organizations. In general, the regulation, Participation in Justice Department Programs by Religious Organizations; Providing for Equal Treatment of all Justice Department Program Participants, and known as the Equal Treatment Regulation 28 C.F.R. part 38, requires State Administering Agencies to treat these organizations the same as any other applicant or recipient. The regulation prohibits State Administering Agencies from making award or grant administration decisions on the basis of an organization's religious character or affiliation, religious name, or the religious composition of its board of directors.

The regulation also prohibits faith-based organizations from using financial assistance from the Department of Justice to fund inherently religious activities. While faith-based organizations can engage in non-funded inherently religious activities, they must be held separately from the Department of Justice funded program, and customers or beneficiaries cannot be compelled to participate in them. The Equal Treatment Regulation also makes clear that organizations participating in programs funded by the Department of Justice are not permitted to discriminate in the provision of services on the basis of a beneficiary's religion. For more information on the regulation, please see OCR's website at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/etfbo.htm>.

State Administering Agencies and faith-based organizations should also note that the Safe Streets Act, as amended; the Victims of Crime Act, as amended; and the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act, as amended, contain prohibitions against discrimination on the basis of religion in employment. Despite these nondiscrimination provisions, the Justice Department has concluded that the Religious Freedom Restoration Act (RFRA) is reasonably construed, on a case-by-case basis, to require that its funding agencies permit faith-based organizations applying for funding under the applicable program statutes both to receive DOJ funds and to continue considering religion when hiring staff, even if the statute that authorizes the funding program generally forbids considering of religion in employment decisions by grantees.

Questions about the regulation or the application of RFRA to the statutes that prohibit discrimination in employment may be directed to this Office.

Enforcing Civil Rights Laws

All recipients of Federal financial assistance, regardless of the particular funding source, the amount of the grant award, or the number of employees in the workforce, are subject to the prohibitions against unlawful discrimination. Accordingly, OCR investigates recipients that are the subject of discrimination complaints from both individuals and groups. In addition, based on regulatory criteria, OCR selects a number of recipients each year for compliance reviews, audits that require recipients to submit data showing that they are providing services equitably to all segments of their service population and that their employment practices meet equal employment opportunity standards.

Complying with the Safe Streets Act or Program Requirements

In addition to these general prohibitions, an organization which is a recipient of financial assistance subject to the nondiscrimination provisions of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act (Safe Streets Act) of 1968, 42 U.S.C. § 3789d(c), or other Federal grant program requirements, must meet two additional requirements: (1) complying with Federal regulations pertaining to the development of an Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (EEOP), 28 C.F.R. § 42.301-.308, and (2) submitting to OCR Findings of Discrimination (see 28 C.F.R. §§ 42.205(5) or 31.202(5)).

1) Meeting the EEOP Requirement

In accordance with Federal regulations, Assurance No. 6 in the Standard Assurances, COPS Assurance No. 8.B, or certain Federal grant program requirements, your organization must comply with the following EEOP reporting requirements:

If your organization has received an award for \$500,000 or more and has 50 or more employees (counting both full- and part-time employees but excluding political appointees), then it has to prepare an EEOP and submit it to OCR for review **within 60 days from the date of this letter**. For assistance in developing an EEOP, please consult OCR's website at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/eeop.htm>. You may also request technical assistance from an EEOP specialist at OCR by dialing (202) 616-3208.

If your organization received an award between \$25,000 and \$500,000 and has 50 or more employees, your organization still has to prepare an EEOP, but it does not have to submit the EEOP to OCR for review. Instead, your organization has to maintain the EEOP on file and make it available for review on request. In addition, your organization has to complete Section B of the Certification Form and return it to OCR. The Certification Form can be found at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/eeop.htm>.

If your organization received an award for less than \$25,000; or if your organization has less than 50 employees, regardless of the amount of the award; or if your organization is a medical institution, educational institution, nonprofit organization or Indian tribe, then your organization is exempt from the EEOP requirement. However, your organization must complete Section A of the Certification Form and return it to OCR. The Certification Form can be found at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/eeop.htm>.

2) Submitting Findings of Discrimination

In the event a Federal or State court or Federal or State administrative agency makes an adverse finding of discrimination against your organization after a due process hearing, on the ground of race, color, religion, national origin, or sex, your organization must submit a copy of the finding to OCR for review.

Ensuring the Compliance of Subrecipients

If your organization makes subawards to other agencies, you are responsible for assuring that subrecipients also comply with all of the applicable Federal civil rights laws, including the requirements pertaining to developing and submitting an EEOP, reporting Findings of Discrimination, and providing language services to LEP persons. State agencies that make subawards must have in place standard grant assurances and review procedures to demonstrate that they are effectively monitoring the civil rights compliance of subrecipients.

If we can assist you in any way in fulfilling your civil rights responsibilities as a recipient of Federal funding, please call OCR at (202) 307-0690 or visit our website at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ocr/>.

Sincerely,



Michael L. Alston
Director

cc: Grant Manager
Financial Analyst



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**GRANT MANAGER'S MEMORANDUM, PT. I:
PROJECT SUMMARY**

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This project is supported under FY10 (BJA - JAG) 42 USC 3750, et seq.

1. STAFF CONTACT (Name & telephone number)

Flora D. Lawson
(202) 305-9216

2. PROJECT DIRECTOR (Name, address & telephone number)

Linda Harris
Community Development Specialist
P.O. Box 946
Rome, GA 30162-0946
(706) 291-5131

3a. TITLE OF THE PROGRAM

FY 2010 Justice Assistance Grant Program

**3b. POMS CODE (SEE INSTRUCTIONS
ON REVERSE)**

4. TITLE OF PROJECT

2010 Joint Application to Upgrade and Supplement Equipment

5. NAME & ADDRESS OF GRANTEE

Floyd County
P. O. Box 946
Rome, GA 30162-0946

6. NAME & ADDRESS OF SUBGRANTEE

7. PROGRAM PERIOD

FROM: 10/01/2009 TO: 09/30/2013

8. BUDGET PERIOD

FROM: 10/01/2009 TO: 09/30/2013

9. AMOUNT OF AWARD

\$ 50,911

10. DATE OF AWARD

08/10/2010

11. SECOND YEAR'S BUDGET

12. SECOND YEAR'S BUDGET AMOUNT

13. THIRD YEAR'S BUDGET PERIOD

14. THIRD YEAR'S BUDGET AMOUNT

15. SUMMARY DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT (See instruction on reverse)

The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) allows states and units of local government, including tribes, to support a broad range of activities to prevent and control crime based on their own state and local needs and conditions. Grant funds can be used for state and local initiatives, technical assistance, training, personnel, equipment, supplies, contractual support, and information systems for criminal justice, including for any one or more of the following purpose areas: 1) law enforcement programs; 2) prosecution and court programs; 3) prevention and education programs; 4) corrections and community corrections programs; 5) drug treatment and enforcement programs; 6) planning, evaluation, and technology improvement programs; and 7) crime victim and witness programs (other than compensation).

The disparate jurisdictions consisting of Floyd county and the city of Rome will use the JAG award towards law enforcement equipment. Floyd county, serving as the fiscal agent, will use \$22,925 to purchase upgrades to existing glock weapons, id card system, laptops and hard drives. The city of Rome will use \$28,020 to

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purchase mobile cameras, a license plate reader, and other law enforcement equipment and technology upgrades. The project goal is to reduce crime and victimization in both communities by using preventive measures and updated equipment and technology tools to address any situation involving public safety along with increasing officer safety.

NCA/NCF

**Floyd County & City of Rome Joint Application
2010 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant
CFDA No. 16.738
Application Abstract**

Applicant: Floyd County and Rome City, Georgia

Title: 2010 Joint Application to Upgrade and Supplement Equipment

Goals: To reduce crime and victimization in our community by using preventive measures, information derived after an incident, arrest or recovery, and by being prepared with up-to-date equipment and technology tools to address any situation involving public safety that may present itself.

Strategies: Public safety performance and efficiency is enhanced by dedicated officers with up-to-date equipment and technology that can aid them in identifying criminal activity, wanted individuals, stolen vehicles, stolen property, traffic violations and more. The 2010 JAG will allow Rome and Floyd County Police Departments to upgrade and purchase equipment and technology that will help us to accomplish our goals.

For Rome, this means purchasing ALPR technology, which automatically checks license plates on all vehicles within camera view. In addition to added efficiency, this technology eliminates one manual task for the officer on the street, so that officer can place his/her focus on the critical action taking place, increasing officer safety.

Floyd County has chosen several upgrades to aging equipment and weapons, technology to assist in compliance with mandated ID card data, and purchase of less lethal weapons to give officers more options in situations where deadly force may not be necessary.

**THE STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FLOYD**

**INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE CITY OF ROME, GEORGIA AND COUNTY OF FLOYD, GEORGIA**

2010 BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) PROGRAM AWARD

This agreement is made and entered into this 22 day of June, 2010, by and between The COUNTY of FLOYD, acting by and through its governing body, the Floyd County Board of Commissioners, hereinafter referred to as COUNTY, and the CITY of ROME, acting by and through its governing body, the Rome City Commission, hereinafter referred to as CITY, both of FLOYD County, State of GEORGIA, witnesseth:

WHEREAS, each governing body, in performing governmental functions or in paying for the performance of governmental functions hereunder, shall make that performance or those payments from current revenues legally available to that party; and

WHEREAS, each governing body finds that the performance of this Agreement is in the best interests of both parties, that the undertaking will benefit the public, and that the division of costs fairly compensates the performing party for the services or functions under this agreement; and

WHEREAS, the CITY agrees to provide the COUNTY \$22,925.00 from the JAG award for the FLOYD-ROME JOINT FY2010 JAG Program which totals \$50,911.00; and

WHEREAS, the CITY and COUNTY believe it to be in their best interests to reallocate the JAG funds.

NOW THEREFORE, the COUNTY and CITY agree as follows:

Section 1.

CITY agrees to pay COUNTY a total of \$22,925.00 of JAG funds.

Section 2.

COUNTY agrees to use \$22,925.00 for the FLOYD-ROME JOINT FY2010 JAG Program until July 31, 2014 and each party agrees to comply with applicable conditions and requirements of the JAG program.

Section 3.

Each party to this agreement will be responsible for its own actions in providing services under this agreement and shall not be liable for any civil liability that may arise from the furnishing of the services by the other party.

Section 4.

The parties to this Agreement do not intend for any third party to obtain a right by virtue of this Agreement.

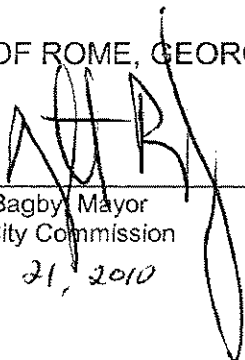
Section 5.

The parties agree that the County of Floyd will serve as the applicant and otherwise provide grant administration including quarterly and progress reporting.

Section 6.

By entering into this Agreement, the parties do not intend to create any obligations express or implied other than those set out herein; further, this Agreement shall not create any rights in any party not a signatory hereto.

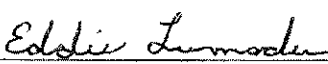
CITY OF ROME, GEORGIA



Wright Bagby, Mayor
Rome City Commission

JUNE 21, 2010

COUNTY OF FLOYD, GEORGIA



Eddie Lumsden, Chairman
Floyd County Board of Commissioners

**JAG GRANT 2010
FLOYD COUNTY & CITY OF ROME JOINT APPLICATION
PROGRAM NARRATIVE**

FLOYD COUNTY:

Floyd County is requesting funding to upgrade current issued Glock Sidearms. In 2001, Floyd County Police Department transitioned to the Glock Model 22 and Model 23, .40 caliber sidearm for duty issue. These new weapons were equipped with Night Sights in order to improve accuracy while firing in subdued lighting conditions. Due to time, the Tritium inserts in the Night Sights are beginning to dim and will eventually fade out completely. The cost of retrofitting new night sights to the existing Glock pistols would cost approximately \$80 per gun whereas the trade-in offer would supply the department with totally new firearms and magazines. We are requesting funding of \$100 trade in fee for each of our 79 Glock Sidearms at a total expense of \$7,900.00. A total of 79 officers would benefit from this purchase.

Floyd County is requesting funding assistance to purchase an I.D. Card system capable of two side printing. With the advent of Federal Regulations concerning off-duty carry of weapons by certified officers, we must now provide Department Identification for each officer that is issued a weapon. By requirement, the identification card must describe the actual weapons that each officer is qualified to carry. Likewise, each identification card must be updated annually to coincide with firearms qualifications. Also, the updated Floyd County Vehicle Towing Ordinance requires that each towing service operator be issued an identification card by the Floyd County Police Department. The addition of the I.D. Card system will allow the Floyd County Police Department to meet the requirements of these additional mandates. All Floyd County Police officers would benefit from this equipment as well as towing service operators who require identification.

Floyd County is requesting funding to purchase one laptop computer with docking station and Flat Screen monitor. The laptop computer will be maintained by the Executive Officer. This computer will serve three functions. The first function is that the computer will be used as the everyday office computer for the Executive Officer. Second, the computer will be used in conjunction with the computer based I.D. Card System. Third, the laptop computer will be used by the Executive Officer to develop power-point programs for use in both departmental and citizen training and presentations.

Floyd County is requesting funding to purchase six ICOP Digital Video Recording System Hard Drives to replace aging units. The ICOP system provides for officer safety as well as evidence collection in support of traffic and criminal case prosecution, and has proven an effective and valuable tool for our officers in the field.

Floyd County is requesting funding to purchase two Tomar Brand Patrol Car Lightbars and power supply units. Currently, in the event that a Tomar Light bar from a patrol vehicle needs repair, the unit must be removed from the patrol vehicle and shipped back to Tomar

for repair. During the time of the repair, the affected patrol vehicle is out of service. This creates a hardship on the patrol division. The addition of two more Tomar Units will allow the exchange of Lightbars without the need for the patrol vehicle to remain out of service while the primary light bar is being repaired. Patrol vehicle productivity will be enhanced.

Floyd County Police Department is requesting funding to purchase five Mossberg AIMPRO Tactical 590A1 Less Lethal shotguns. These shotguns will allow the use of less than lethal munitions to prevent the aggressive actions of someone with the intentions of harming citizens or officers. The use of the less lethal weapons will minimize risk of injury to the assailant, innocent bystanders, and the officers, as well.

CITY OF ROME

The City of Rome Police Department understands that quick and factual information is critical to the safety of its citizens, businesses and community and the safe recovery of property. At times, law enforcement officers lack real time information about data that is vital to public safety; data that can be captured, processed and retrieved in a timely and effective manner, that might aid officers in identifying criminal activity, wanted individuals, stolen vehicles, stolen property, traffic violations and more.

While there is a myriad of information available to law enforcement throughout the United States, there are limited methods of timely analysis that provide essential information to local law enforcement, leaving officers with limited information and tools to locate, identify and analyze much needed information. Information sharing is critical to local law enforcement in their efforts to quickly and effectively identify, control and reduce crime.

Throughout the United States, the state issued vehicle license plate is a major public identifier that has been successfully used by public safety for years. Vehicle license plates are matched to information in computer systems throughout the United States for identification, registration and enforcement purposes. The current system requires an officer or law enforcement person to access vehicle license plate information for a specific purpose per state law. In recent years, technology was developed that automated this process, such as the Automated License Plate Recognition (ALPR). This effective tool provides a solution to simplify the license plate data collection, comparison and result distribution process. ALPR reads vehicle plates as they enter the view of either a vehicle-mounted or stationary ALPR camera. The license plate numbers are transmitted and a comparative analysis is automatically performed against numbers stored in designated databases. Currently, databases exist to match known plates for wanted felons, persons of interest, stolen vehicles, vehicles associated with amber alerts, or any other vehicle of interest.

The City of Rome plans to use their grant funding to purchase the SLATE ALPR system. The effectiveness of this ALPR will grow with the increased use by law enforcement at locations throughout the City of Rome, in areas surrounding infrastructures or key assets, high volume public areas where public safety is a concern, areas of high criminal activity, local school zones, in targeted traffic zones or at other locations as determined by the agency. As the equipment is used, the number of available license plates for comparison

purposes quickly increases. In today's mobile society, with vehicles moving quickly from one jurisdiction to another, it is critical that law enforcement has the ability to quickly identify known violations and violators and share the critical information with other law enforcement agencies. Using the ALRP, Rome Police officers will more effectively enforce laws and locate, identify and respond to violations of law within their community.

GOVERNING BODY REVIEW

The 2010 JAG was made available for review by the governing body on May 18, 2010.

PUBLIC HEARING

Two public hearings were held. The first was held on June 17, 2010 at the Sam King Room at Rome City Hall, 601 Broad Street, Rome, Georgia, and the second was held on June 22, 2010 in the Community Room at 12 E. 4th Ave., Rome, Georgia. The purpose of these hearings was to provide an opportunity to comment on proposed use of funding concerning the 2010 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program.

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BUDGET**

Quantity	Item Description	Unit Price	Total Price
	FLOYD COUNTY		
79	Upgrade Existing Glock Sidearms to Glock M-22 or Glock M-23, .40 caliber Gen-4, with night Sites, and 3 high capacity magazines.	\$100.00	\$ 7,900.00
1	I.D. Card System with Dual Side Print Capability	\$4,040.00	\$ 4,040.00
1	Laptop Computer w/Docking Station and Flat Screen Monitor	\$2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
6	ICOP Hard Drives	\$400.00	\$ 2,400.00
2	Tomar Lightbars with Power Supplies	\$1,600.00	\$ 3,200.00
2	Tomar Power Supplies	\$650.00	\$ 1,300.00
5	Mossberg AIMPRO Tactical 590A1 Less Lethal Shotgun	\$417.00	\$ 2,085.00
	FLOYD COUNTY TOTAL		\$22,925.00
	CITY OF ROME		
1	4-Camera Mobile SLATE ALPR System	\$23,390.00	\$23,390.00
	Server w/Extended Warranty	4,330.00	\$ 4,330.00
	Miscellaneous Accessories	300.00	\$ 300.00
	CITY OF ROME TOTAL		\$28,020.00
	TOTAL		\$50,945.00

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Floyd County and the City of Rome expect to complete the purchasing process for the proposed technology and equipment well within the grant period. Schedule of expenditures will rely on availability and vendor ship times.

Floyd County and the City of Rome propose to use the grant funding solely for purchase of technology and equipment. Therefore, there will be NO costs associated with personnel, fringe benefits, travel, supplies, construction, consultants/contracts or any indirect costs. The anticipated total project cost is \$50,945 which is slightly higher than the grant funding available. This overage is due to the slightly higher anticipated cost amount by the City of Rome request. However, the City of Rome believes this is an important addition to its police force and has pledged to make up any shortfalls to ensure the ALPR system is implemented and sustained.

Floyd County has chosen a number of areas to upgrade or enhance safety and service to the community. A total of 79 officers would benefit from the purchase of new Glock sidearms. All Floyd County Police officers would benefit from this I.D. card system as well as towing service operators who require identification. The purchase of a laptop computer will be used by the Executive Officer to develop power-point programs for use in both departmental and citizen training and presentations. The six ICOP Digital Video Recording System Hard Drives will replace aging units. The ICOP system provides for officer safety as well as evidence collection in support of traffic and criminal case prosecution, and has proven an effective and valuable tool for our officers in the field. The addition of two more Tomar Units will allow the exchange of Lightbars without the need for the patrol vehicle to remain out of service while the primary light bar is being repaired, keeping more patrols on the street. The purchase of five Mossberg AIMPRO Tactical 590A1 Less Lethal shotguns will allow the use of less than lethal munitions to prevent the aggressive actions of someone with the intentions of harming citizens or officers, minimizing the risk of injury to the assailant, innocent bystanders, and the officers involved. Using the ALRP, Rome Police officers will more effectively enforce laws and locate, identify and respond to violations of law within their community.

Floyd County Total	\$22,925
City of Rome Total	<u>\$28,020</u>

Total Project Cost \$50,945

Total Available	
Federal Grant	<u>\$50,911</u>

Anticipated	
Non-Federal	
Amount	\$ 34