

Council Agenda Report

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SUBJECT: Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) for body-worn cameras in the amount of \$10,729

Recommendation: That Council:

- A. Accept subject grant;
- B. Appropriate \$10,729 into the 2017 General Fund budget; and
- C. Increase the Police Budget by \$10,729 for police grants

Discussion: The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) provides funding to local law enforcement agencies to purchase equipment. This grant was offered to the Dorchester County Sheriff's Office and the Cambridge Police Department. The sheriff decided not to pursue this grant and Dorchester County Council signed a resolution to that effect on June 7, 2016. The grant was awarded to the Cambridge Police Department for \$10,729 to reduce the City's financial contribution for body-worn cameras, maintenance and video cloud storage.

Fiscal Impact: None

Approved:

