



**CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM APPROVAL FORM**

AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION

MEETING DATE: OCTOBER 18, 2023

AGENDA ITEM TITLE:

RESOLUTION No. 23-24: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE ACCEPTING A VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$76,449.76 TO BE USED TO SUPPORT THE TAYLORSVILLE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT VICTIM ADVOCACY PROGRAM.

PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED:

YES: _____

NO: _____

ORDINANCE REQUIRED:

YES: _____

NO: X

RESOLUTION REQUIRED:

YES: X

NO: _____

PRESENTER: SCOTT HARRINGTON

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY: LIMIT 150 WORDS

THE CITY HAS BEEN AWARDED A VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT ("VOCA") GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$76,449.76 TO BE USED TO SUPPORT THE TAYLORSVILLE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT'S VICTIM ADVOCACY PROGRAM OVER THE COURSE OF THE NEXT TWO (2) YEARS. THIS RESOLUTION ACCEPTS THAT GRANT PURSUANT TO CITY CODE.

ATTACHMENTS:

Exhibit A: Grant Approval Letter

TAYLORSVILLE, UTAH
RESOLUTION NO. 23-24

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE ACCEPTING A VICTIMS OF
CRIME ACT GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$76,449.76 TO BE USED TO SUPPORT
THE TAYLORSVILLE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT VICTIM ADVOCACY
PROGRAM.**

WHEREAS, the Taylorsville City Council (the "Council") met in regular session on October 18, 2023, to consider, among other things, accepting a Victims of Crime Act grant in the amount of \$76,449.76 to be used to support the Taylorsville City Police Department Victim Advocacy Program; and

WHEREAS, TAYLORSVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE § 2.32.180 provides that any grant that anticipates or proposes to bind the City to a particular project or contract shall be submitted to the Council for approval prior to accepting the grant; and

WHEREAS, Victims of Crime Act ("VOCA") victim assistance funds support states and communities with direct services which respond to the immediate needs of crime victims so that the severity of the psychological trauma is reduced; assists the victim in participating in the criminal justice process; and helps restore the victim's sense of dignity, self-esteem, and coping mechanisms; and

WHEREAS, the City has received notice that the Utah Office for Victims of Crime has approved the City's VOCA application for funding under the VOCA Victims Assistance Fund in the amount of \$38,224.88 for year one and \$38,224.88 for year two for a total award amount of \$76,449.76; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the grant is to support the Taylorsville City Police Department's Victim Advocacy program; and

WHEREAS, after careful consideration, the Council has determined that it is in the best interests of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the City to accept the VOCA grant.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Taylorsville City Council hereby accepts the \$76,449.76 grant for the above-stated purpose and directs the City Administrator to include this amount in the 2023-2024 Mid-Year or Year-End Budget Adjustments, increasing both revenue and corresponding expenditure lines.

This Resolution, assigned Resolution No. 23-24, shall take effect immediately upon passage and acceptance as provided herein.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Council of Taylorsville, Utah this _____ day of _____, 2023.

TAYLORSVILLE CITY COUNCIL

By: _____
Chairperson

SEAL:

VOTING:

Ernest Burgess	___ Yea ___	Nay
Curt Cochran	___ Yea ___	Nay
Bob Knudsen	___ Yea ___	Nay
Meredith Harker	___ Yea ___	Nay
Anna Barbieri	___ Yea ___	Nay

PRESENTED to the Mayor of the City of Taylorsville for approval this _____ day of _____, 2023.

APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2023.

Mayor Kristie S. Overson

ATTEST:

Jamie Brooks, City Recorder

DEPOSITED in the office of the City Recorder this ____ day of _____, 2023.

RECORDED this _____ day of _____, 2023.

EXHIBIT A

**UTAH OFFICE FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME
VOCA GRANT**



SPENCER J. COX
Governor

DEIDRE M. HENDERSON
Lieutenant Governor

State of Utah

OFFICE FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME

GARY A. SCHELLER
Director, UOVC

08/21/2023

Kristie Overson
City of Taylorsville

Dear Kristie Overson,

It is my pleasure to inform you that the Utah Office for Victims of Crime has approved the City of Taylorsville Victims of Crime Act (VOCA)2023-2025 application for funding under the VOCA Victim's Assistance Fund in the amount of **\$38,224.88** for year 1 and **\$38,224.88** for year 2 with a total award amount of **\$76,449.76**. VOCA victim assistance funds support states and communities, including American Indian tribes and Alaska Native villages, with direct services which respond to the immediate needs of crime victims, so that the severity of the psychological trauma is reduced; assist the victim in participating in the criminal justice process; and help restore the victim's sense of dignity, self-esteem, and coping mechanisms.

Enclosed you will find the award package. 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.

Please note, all project-related materials and accounting records must be maintained for a period of three years from the date of your last financial status report, unless an audit has been initiated or unresolved audit findings remain. All records must be maintained until the audit findings are resolved. Pursuant to CFR §200.332, recipients of this award are required to permit the awarding agency (UOVC) and auditors to have access to the recipient's records and financial statements as necessary for the awarding agency.

Please find a completed copy of your contract on the online grants management system utahgrants.utah.gov. Quarterly grant progress reports, performance measure reports, and financial status reports must be submitted at least quarterly no later than October 30, January 30, April 30, and July 15. Financial reimbursement requests may be submitted monthly or quarterly.

If you have any questions regarding this award, please contact Tiffany MowerUOVC, Grant Analyst, at tmower@utah.gov. We look forward to working with you during the coming program year.

Sincerely,

Gary Scheller, Director
Utah Office for Victims of Crime