

**GOVERNMENTAL GRANT CONTRACT**

(cost reimbursement grant contract with a federal or Tennessee local governmental entity or their agents and instrumentalities)

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**GRANT CONTRACT
BETWEEN THE STATE OF TENNESSEE,
OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE PROGRAMS
AND
ANDERSON COUNTY**

This grant contract ("Grant Contract"), by and between the State of Tennessee, Department of Finance and Administration, Office of Criminal Justice Programs, hereinafter referred to as the "State" or the "Grantor State Agency" and Grantee Anderson County, hereinafter referred to as the "Grantee," is for the provision of administering Violent Crime Intervention Fund (VCIF) funds for the improvement of the criminal justice system, as further defined in the "SCOPE OF SERVICES AND DELIVERABLES."

Grantee Edison Vendor ID # 4143

A. SCOPE OF SERVICES AND DELIVERABLES:

- A.1. The Grantee shall provide the scope of services and deliverables ("Scope") as required, described, and detailed in this Grant Contract.
- A.2. The Grantee shall comply with and perform all services, functions, and/or requirements as stated in the grantee's application under which this Grant Contract is awarded, and that is hereby incorporated into this Grant Contract as Attachment A, attached hereto.
- A.3. The Grantee shall comply with all reporting requirements described in the Grantee's application, in correspondence from the Office of Criminal Justice Programs, and in the Office of Criminal Justice Programs Administrative Manual located on the website at <https://www.tn.gov/finance/office-of-criminal-justice-programs/ocjp/ocjp-grants-manual.html>.
- A.4. The Grantee shall comply with all other requirements described in the Grantee's application and in the Office of Criminal Justice Programs Administrative Manual located on the website at <https://www.tn.gov/finance/office-of-criminal-justice-programs/ocjp/ocjp-grants-manual.html> . The Grantee agrees to comply with any changes in requirements made in the manual and/or identified in correspondence from the Office of Criminal Justice Programs.
- A.5. The purpose of the Violent Crime Intervention Fund (VCIF) program is to provide support to local law enforcement in developing and implementing evidence-based strategies to combat violent crime.
 - a. Program priorities include but are not limited to:
 - 1. Evidence-informed interventions that are shown to have demonstrated impact on violent crime within the community;
 - 2. Equipment and technology purchases that enhance local law enforcement agencies' ability to safety and effectively prevent and address violent crime;
 - 3. Coordinated projects that engage community partners in identifying and implementing interventions to address violent crime; and
 - 4. Training and technical assistance.
 - b. The grantee shall be required to:
 - 1. Submit annual reporting to the Office of Criminal Justice Programs of required outputs, performance measurement data, and deliverables for their project; and
 - 2. Retain inventories and other records of purchases made and services provided using grant funds.
 - 3. Disclose any subcontract, grant agreement or contract to a local government or nonprofit and adhere to the quarterly reporting requirements to include information identifying the name and location of each grant or contract recipient, the amount of the grant or contract and the purpose for which the funds are used.

This quarterly report will be provided by OCJP to the Speakers of each House of the General Assembly, the Chairs of the Finance, Ways and Means Committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives and the Office of Legislative Budget analysis.

A law enforcement agency receiving a grant is authorized to enter into a grant agreement or contract with a local governmental agency or a third-party nonprofit organization to provide programs and services; provided, that a nonprofit organization must have at least five (5) years' experience in providing programs and services focused on violent crime intervention and those programs and services must be evidence-based or research-based (as defined in Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-5-121) and accompanied by monitoring and quality control procedures that ensure that such programs and services are delivered according to applicable standards.

- c. Any change in terms or conditions will require a contract amendment.

A.6. Incorporation of Additional Documents. Each of the following documents is included as a part of this Grant Contract by reference or attachment. In the event of a discrepancy or ambiguity regarding the Grantee's duties, responsibilities, and performance hereunder, these items shall govern in order of precedence below.

- a. this Grant Contract document with any attachments or exhibits (excluding the items listed at subsections b. and c., below);
- b. the State grant proposal solicitation as may be amended, if any;
- c. the Grantee's proposal (Attachment A) incorporated to elaborate supplementary scope of services specifications.

B. TERM OF CONTRACT:

- B.1. This Grant Contract shall be effective on 3/15/2023 ("Effective Date") and extend for a period of Fifteen (15) months and Fifteen (15) days after the Effective Date ("Term"). The State shall have no obligation to the Grantee for fulfillment of the Scope outside the Term.

C. PAYMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- C.1. Maximum Liability. In no event shall the maximum liability of the State under this Grant Contract exceed Two Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars (\$210,000.00) ("Maximum Liability"). The Grant Budget, attached and incorporated as Attachment A-1 for fiscal year 2023 and Attachment A-1 for fiscal year 2024 is the maximum amount due the Grantee under this Grant Contract. The Grant Budget line-items include, but are not limited to, all applicable taxes, fees, overhead, and all other direct and indirect costs incurred or to be incurred by the Grantee.
- C.2. Compensation Firm. The Maximum Liability of the State is not subject to escalation for any reason unless amended. The Grant Budget amounts are firm for the duration of the Grant Contract and are not subject to escalation for any reason unless amended, except as provided in Section C.6.
- C.3. Payment Methodology. The Grantee shall be reimbursed for actual, reasonable, and necessary costs based upon the Grant Budget, not to exceed the Maximum Liability established in Section C.1. Upon progress toward the completion of the Scope, as described in Section A of this Grant Contract, the Grantee shall submit invoices prior to any reimbursement of allowable costs.
- C.4. Travel Compensation. Reimbursement to the Grantee for travel, meals, or lodging shall be subject to amounts and limitations specified in the "State Comprehensive Travel Regulations," as

they are amended from time to time, and shall be contingent upon and limited by the Grant Budget funding for said reimbursement.

- C.5. Invoice Requirements. The Grantee shall invoice the State no more often than monthly, with all necessary supporting documentation, and present such to:

Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration
Office of Business and Finance
Attention: Invoicing
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, Suite 2000
Nashville, TN 37243
OBFG.Grants@tn.gov

- a. Each invoice shall clearly and accurately detail all of the following required information (calculations must be extended and totaled correctly).
- (1) Invoice/Reference Number (assigned by the Grantee).
 - (2) Invoice Date.
 - (3) Invoice Period (to which the reimbursement request is applicable).
 - (4) Grant Contract Number (assigned by the State).
 - (5) Grantor: Department of Finance and Administration, Office of Criminal Justice Programs.
 - (6) Grantor Number (assigned by the Grantee to the above-referenced Grantor).
 - (7) Grantee Name.
 - (8) Grantee Tennessee Edison Registration ID Number Referenced in Preamble of this Grant Contract.
 - (9) Grantee Remittance Address.
 - (10) Grantee Contact for Invoice Questions (name, phone, or fax).
 - (11) Itemization of Reimbursement Requested for the Invoice Period— it must detail, at minimum, all of the following:
 - i. The amount requested by Grant Budget line-item (including any travel expenditure reimbursement requested and for which documentation and receipts, as required by "State Comprehensive Travel Regulations," are attached to the invoice).
 - ii. The amount reimbursed by Grant Budget line-item to date.
 - iii. The total amount reimbursed under the Grant Contract to date.
 - iv. The total amount requested (all line-items) for the Invoice Period.
- b. The Grantee understands and agrees to all of the following.
- (1) An invoice under this Grant Contract shall include only reimbursement requests for actual, reasonable, and necessary expenditures required in the delivery of service described by this Grant Contract and shall be subject to the Grant Budget and any other provision of this Grant Contract relating to allowable reimbursements.
 - (2) An invoice under this Grant Contract shall not include any reimbursement request for future expenditures.
 - (3) An invoice under this Grant Contract shall initiate the timeframe for reimbursement only when the State is in receipt of the invoice, and the invoice meets the minimum requirements of this section C.5.

- C.6. Budget Line-items. Expenditures, reimbursements, and payments under this Grant Contract shall adhere to the Grant Budget. The Grantee may vary from a Grant Budget line-item amount by up to twenty percent (20%) of the line-item amount, provided that any increase is off-set by an equal reduction of other line-item amount(s) such that the net result of variances shall not increase the

total Grant Contract amount detailed by the Grant Budget. Any increase in the Grant Budget, grand total amounts shall require an amendment of this Grant Contract.

- C.7. Disbursement Reconciliation and Close Out. The Grantee shall submit any final invoice and a grant disbursement reconciliation report within ninety (90) days of the Grant Contract end date, in form and substance acceptable to the State.
- a. If total disbursements by the State pursuant to this Grant Contract exceed the amounts permitted by Section C of this Grant Contract, the Grantee shall refund the difference to the State. The Grantee shall submit said refund with the final grant disbursement reconciliation report.
 - b. The State shall not be responsible for the payment of any invoice submitted to the state after the grant disbursement reconciliation report. The State will not deem any Grantee costs submitted for reimbursement after the grant disbursement reconciliation report to be allowable and reimbursable by the State, and such invoices will NOT be paid.
 - c. The Grantee's failure to provide a final grant disbursement reconciliation report to the state as required shall result in the Grantee being deemed ineligible for reimbursement under this Grant Contract, and the Grantee shall be required to refund any and all payments by the state pursuant to this Grant Contract.
 - d. The Grantee must close out its accounting records at the end of the contract period in such a way that reimbursable expenditures and revenue collections are NOT carried forward.
- C.8. Indirect Cost. Should the Grantee request reimbursement for indirect costs, the Grantee must submit to the State a copy of the indirect cost rate approved by the cognizant federal agency or the cognizant state agency, as applicable. The Grantee will be reimbursed for indirect costs in accordance with the approved indirect cost rate and amounts and limitations specified in the attached Grant Budget. Once the Grantee makes an election and treats a given cost as direct or indirect, it must apply that treatment consistently and may not change during the Term. Any changes in the approved indirect cost rate must have prior approval of the cognizant federal agency or the cognizant state agency, as applicable. If the indirect cost rate is provisional during the Term, once the rate becomes final, the Grantee agrees to remit any overpayment of funds to the State, and subject to the availability of funds the State agrees to remit any underpayment to the Grantee.
- C.9. Cost Allocation. If any part of the costs to be reimbursed under this Grant Contract are joint costs involving allocation to more than one program or activity, such costs shall be allocated and reported in accordance with the provisions of Department of Finance and Administration Policy Statement 03 or any amendments or revisions made to this policy statement during the Term.
- C.10. Payment of Invoice. A payment by the State shall not prejudice the State's right to object to or question any reimbursement, invoice, or related matter. A payment by the State shall not be construed as acceptance of any part of the work or service provided or as approval of any amount as an allowable cost.
- C.11. Non-allowable Costs. Any amounts payable to the Grantee shall be subject to reduction for amounts included in any invoice or payment that are determined by the State, on the basis of audits or monitoring conducted in accordance with the terms of this Grant Contract, to constitute unallowable costs.
- C.12. State's Right to Set Off. The State reserves the right to set off or deduct from amounts that are or shall become due and payable to the Grantee under this Grant Contract or under any other agreement between the Grantee and the State of Tennessee under which the Grantee has a right to receive payment from the State.

C.13. Prerequisite Documentation. The Grantee shall not invoice the State under this Grant Contract until the State has received the following, properly completed documentation.

- a. The Grantee shall complete, sign, and return to the State an "Authorization Agreement for Automatic Deposit (ACH Credits) Form" provided by the State. By doing so, the Grantee acknowledges and agrees that, once this form is received by the State, all payments to the Grantee under this or any other grant contract will be made by automated clearing house ("ACH").
- b. The Grantee shall complete, sign, and return to the State the State-provided W-9 form. The taxpayer identification number on the W-9 form must be the same as the Grantee's Federal Employer Identification Number or Social Security Number referenced in the Grantee's Edison registration information.

D. STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

D.1. Required Approvals. The State is not bound by this Grant Contract until it is signed by the parties and approved by appropriate officials in accordance with applicable Tennessee laws and regulations (depending upon the specifics of this Grant Contract, the officials may include, but are not limited to, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, the Commissioner of Human Resources, and the Comptroller of the Treasury).

D.2. Modification and Amendment. This Grant Contract may be modified only by a written amendment signed by all parties and approved by the officials who approved the Grant Contract and, depending upon the specifics of the Grant Contract as amended, any additional officials required by Tennessee laws and regulations (the officials may include, but are not limited to, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, the Commissioner of Human Resources, and the Comptroller of the Treasury).

D.3. Termination for Convenience. The State may terminate this Grant Contract without cause for any reason. A termination for convenience shall not be a breach of this Grant Contract by the State. The State shall give the Grantee at least thirty (30) days written notice before the effective termination date. The Grantee shall be entitled to compensation for authorized expenditures and satisfactory services completed as of the termination date, but in no event shall the State be liable to the Grantee for compensation for any service that has not been rendered. The final decision as to the amount for which the State is liable shall be determined by the State. The Grantee shall not have any right to any actual general, special, incidental, consequential, or any other damages whatsoever of any description or amount for the State's exercise of its right to terminate for convenience.

D.4. Termination for Cause. If the Grantee fails to properly perform its obligations under this Grant Contract, or if the Grantee violates any terms of this Grant Contract, the State shall have the right to immediately terminate this Grant Contract and withhold payments in excess of fair compensation for completed services. Notwithstanding the exercise of the State's right to terminate this Grant Contract for cause, the Grantee shall not be relieved of liability to the State for damages sustained by virtue of any breach of this Grant Contract by the Grantee.

D.5. Subcontracting. The Grantee shall not assign this Grant Contract or enter into a subcontract for any of the services performed under this Grant Contract without obtaining the prior written approval of the State. If such subcontracts are approved by the State, each shall contain, at a minimum, sections of this Grant Contract pertaining to "Conflicts of Interest," "Lobbying," "Nondiscrimination," "Public Accountability," "Public Notice," and "Records" (as identified by the section headings). Notwithstanding any use of approved subcontractors, the Grantee shall remain responsible for all work performed.

- D.6. Conflicts of Interest. The Grantee warrants that no part of the total Grant Contract Amount shall be paid directly or indirectly to an employee or official of the State of Tennessee as wages, compensation, or gifts in exchange for acting as an officer, agent, employee, subcontractor, or consultant to the Grantee in connection with any work contemplated or performed relative to this Grant Contract.
- a. Notwithstanding the foregoing, when administering a Federal or State grant, the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration, Office of Criminal Justice Programs may contract with an entity for which a current employee of the State of Tennessee is providing criminal justice or victim service related professional services including training for allied professionals as an employee or independent contractor of the entity outside of his/her hours of state employment, provided that such outside employment does not violate applicable law, the state agency's policies, or create a conflict of interest.
- D.7. Lobbying. The Grantee certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that:
- a. No federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- b. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the Grantee shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities," in accordance with its instructions.
- c. The Grantee shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into and is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by 31 U.S.C. § 1352.

- D.8. Communications and Contacts. All instructions, notices, consents, demands, or other communications required or contemplated by this Grant Contract shall be in writing and shall be made by certified, first class mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, by overnight courier service with an asset tracking system, or by email or facsimile transmission with recipient confirmation. All communications, regardless of method of transmission, shall be addressed to the respective party as set out below:

The State:

Ben Weinstein, Program Manager
Department of Finance and Administration
Office of Criminal Justice Programs
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, Suite 1800
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102
Email: Benjamin.Weinstein@tn.gov
Telephone # (615) 687-7061

The Grantee:

Lounicia Bolton, Crime Analysis
Anderson County Sheriff's Office
101 S. Main Street , Ste. 400
Clinton, Tennessee 37716
Email: lbolton@tnacso.net
Telephone # (865) 924-7282

A change to the above contact information requires written notice to the person designated by the other party to receive notice.

All instructions, notices, consents, demands, or other communications shall be considered effectively given upon receipt or recipient confirmation as may be required.

- D.9. Subject to Funds Availability. This Grant Contract is subject to the appropriation and availability of State or Federal funds. In the event that the funds are not appropriated or are otherwise unavailable, the State reserves the right to terminate this Grant Contract upon written notice to the Grantee. The State's right to terminate this Grant Contract due to lack of funds is not a breach of this Grant Contract by the State. Upon receipt of the written notice, the Grantee shall cease all work associated with the Grant Contract. Should such an event occur, the Grantee shall be entitled to compensation for all satisfactory and authorized services completed as of the termination date. Upon such termination, the Grantee shall have no right to recover from the State any actual, general, special, incidental, consequential, or any other damages whatsoever of any description or amount.
- D.10. Nondiscrimination. The Grantee hereby agrees, warrants, and assures that no person shall be excluded from participation in, be denied benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Grant Contract or in the employment practices of the Grantee on the grounds of handicap or disability, age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or any other classification protected by federal, Tennessee State constitutional, or statutory law. The Grantee shall, upon request, show proof of such nondiscrimination and shall post in conspicuous places, available to all employees and applicants, notices of nondiscrimination.
- D.11. HIPAA Compliance. The State and the Grantee shall comply with obligations under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (HITECH) and any other relevant laws and regulations regarding privacy (collectively the "Privacy Rules"). The obligations set forth in this Section shall survive the termination of this Grant Contract.
- a. The Grantee warrants to the State that it is familiar with the requirements of the Privacy Rules and will comply with all applicable HIPAA requirements in the course of this Grant Contract.
 - b. The Grantee warrants that it will cooperate with the State, including cooperation and coordination with State privacy officials and other compliance officers required by the

Privacy Rules, in the course of performance of this Grant Contract so that both parties will be in compliance with the Privacy Rules.

- c. The State and the Grantee will sign documents, including but not limited to business associate agreements, as required by the Privacy Rules and that are reasonably necessary to keep the State and the Grantee in compliance with the Privacy Rules. This provision shall not apply if information received by the State under this Grant Contract is NOT "protected health information" as defined by the Privacy Rules, or if the Privacy Rules permit the State to receive such information without entering into a business associate agreement or signing another such document.

- D.12. Public Accountability. If the Grantee is subject to Tenn. Code Ann. § 8-4-401 *et seq.*, or if this Grant Contract involves the provision of services to citizens by the Grantee on behalf of the State, the Grantee agrees to establish a system through which recipients of services may present grievances about the operation of the service program. The Grantee shall also display in a prominent place, located near the passageway through which the public enters in order to receive Grant supported services, a sign at least eleven inches (11") in height and seventeen inches (17") in width stating:

NOTICE: THIS AGENCY IS A RECIPIENT OF TAXPAYER FUNDING. IF YOU OBSERVE AN AGENCY DIRECTOR OR EMPLOYEE ENGAGING IN ANY ACTIVITY WHICH YOU CONSIDER TO BE ILLEGAL, IMPROPER, OR WASTEFUL, PLEASE CALL THE STATE COMPTROLLER'S TOLL-FREE HOTLINE: 1-800-232-5454.

The sign shall be on the form prescribed by the Comptroller of the Treasury. The Grantor State Agency shall obtain copies of the sign from the Comptroller of the Treasury, and upon request from the Grantee, provide Grantee with any necessary signs.

- D.13. Public Notice. All notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared and released by the Grantee in relation to this Grant Contract shall include the statement, "This project is funded under a grant contract with the State of Tennessee." All notices by the Grantee in relation to this Grant Contract shall be approved by the State.
- D.14. Licensure. The Grantee, its employees, and any approved subcontractor shall be licensed pursuant to all applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations and shall upon request provide proof of all licenses.
- D.15. Records. The Grantee and any approved subcontractor shall maintain documentation for all charges under this Grant Contract. The books, records, and documents of the Grantee and any approved subcontractor, insofar as they relate to work performed or money received under this Grant Contract, shall be maintained in accordance with applicable Tennessee law. In no case shall the records be maintained for a period of less than five (5) full years from the date of the final payment. The Grantee's records shall be subject to audit at any reasonable time and upon reasonable notice by the Grantor State Agency, the Comptroller of the Treasury, or their duly appointed representatives.

The records shall be maintained in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Accounting Standards or the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification, as applicable, and any related AICPA Industry Audit and Accounting guides.

In addition, documentation of grant applications, budgets, reports, awards, and expenditures will be maintained in accordance with U.S. Office of Management and Budget's *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*.

Grant expenditures shall be made in accordance with local government purchasing policies and procedures and purchasing procedures for local governments authorized under state law.

The Grantee shall also comply with any recordkeeping and reporting requirements prescribed by the Tennessee Comptroller of the Treasury.

The Grantee shall establish a system of internal controls that utilize the COSO Internal Control - Integrated Framework model as the basic foundation for the internal control system. The Grantee shall incorporate any additional Comptroller of the Treasury directives into its internal control system.

Any other required records or reports which are not contemplated in the above standards shall follow the format designated by the head of the Grantor State Agency, the Central Procurement Office, or the Commissioner of Finance and Administration of the State of Tennessee.

- D.16. Monitoring. The Grantee's activities conducted and records maintained pursuant to this Grant Contract shall be subject to monitoring and evaluation by the State, the Comptroller of the Treasury, or their duly appointed representatives.
- D.17. Progress Reports. The Grantee shall submit brief, periodic, progress reports to the State as requested.
- D.18. Annual and Final Reports. The Grantee shall submit, within three (3) months of the conclusion of each year of the Term, an annual report. For grant contracts with a term of less than one (1) year, the Grantee shall submit a final report within three (3) months of the conclusion of the Term. For grant contracts with multiyear terms, the final report will take the place of the annual report for the final year of the Term. The Grantee shall submit annual and final reports to the Grantor State Agency. At minimum, annual and final reports shall include: (a) the Grantee's name; (b) the Grant Contract's Edison identification number, Term, and total amount; (c) a narrative section that describes the program's goals, outcomes, successes and setbacks, whether the Grantee used benchmarks or indicators to determine progress, and whether any proposed activities were not completed; and (d) other relevant details requested by the Grantor State Agency. Annual and final report documents to be completed by the Grantee shall appear on the Grantor State Agency's website or as an attachment to the Grant Contract.
- D.19. Audit Report. The Grantee shall be audited in accordance with applicable Tennessee law.
- If the Grantee is subject to an audit under this provision, then the Grantee shall complete Attachment B.
- When a federal single audit is required, the audit shall be performed in accordance with U.S. Office of Management and Budget's *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*.
- A copy of the audit report shall be provided to the Comptroller by the licensed, independent public accountant. Audit reports shall be made available to the public.
- D.20. Procurement. If other terms of this Grant Contract allow reimbursement for the cost of goods, materials, supplies, equipment, or contracted services, such procurement shall be made on a competitive basis, including the use of competitive bidding procedures, where practical. The Grantee shall maintain documentation for the basis of each procurement for which reimbursement is paid pursuant to this Grant Contract. In each instance where it is determined that use of a competitive procurement method is not practical, supporting documentation shall include a written justification for the decision and for use of a non-competitive procurement. If the Grantee is a subrecipient, the Grantee shall comply with 2 C.F.R. §§ 200.317—200.326 when procuring property and services under a federal award.

The Grantee shall obtain prior approval from the State before purchasing any equipment under this Grant Contract.

For purposes of this Grant Contract, the term "equipment" shall include any article of nonexpendable, tangible, personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost which equals or exceeds five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

- D.21. Strict Performance. Failure by any party to this Grant Contract to insist in any one or more cases upon the strict performance of any of the terms, covenants, conditions, or provisions of this Grant Contract is not a waiver or relinquishment of any term, covenant, condition, or provision. No term or condition of this Grant Contract shall be held to be waived, modified, or deleted except by a written amendment signed by the parties.
- D.22. Independent Contractor. The parties shall not act as employees, partners, joint venturers, or associates of one another in the performance of this Grant Contract. The parties acknowledge that they are independent contracting entities and that nothing in this Grant Contract shall be construed to create a principal/agent relationship or to allow either to exercise control or direction over the manner or method by which the other transacts its business affairs or provides its usual services. The employees or agents of one party shall not be deemed or construed to be the employees or agents of the other party for any purpose whatsoever.
- D.23. Limitation of State's Liability. The State shall have no liability except as specifically provided in this Grant Contract. In no event will the State be liable to the Grantee or any other party for any lost revenues, lost profits, loss of business, loss of grant funding, decrease in the value of any securities or cash position, time, money, goodwill, or any indirect, special, incidental, punitive, exemplary or consequential damages of any nature, whether based on warranty, contract, statute, regulation, tort (including but not limited to negligence), or any other legal theory that may arise under this Grant Contract or otherwise. The State's total liability under this Grant Contract (including any exhibits, schedules, amendments or other attachments to the Contract) or otherwise shall under no circumstances exceed the Maximum Liability originally established in Section C.1 of this Grant Contract. This limitation of liability is cumulative and not per incident.
- D.24. Force Majeure. "Force Majeure Event" means fire, flood, earthquake, elements of nature or acts of God, wars, riots, civil disorders, rebellions or revolutions, acts of terrorism or any other similar cause beyond the reasonable control of the party except to the extent that the non-performing party is at fault in failing to prevent or causing the default or delay, and provided that the default or delay cannot reasonably be circumvented by the non-performing party through the use of alternate sources, workaround plans or other means. A strike, lockout or labor dispute shall not excuse either party from its obligations under this Grant Contract. Except as set forth in this Section, any failure or delay by a party in the performance of its obligations under this Grant Contract arising from a Force Majeure Event is not a default under this Grant Contract or grounds for termination. The non-performing party will be excused from performing those obligations directly affected by the Force Majeure Event, and only for as long as the Force Majeure Event continues, provided that the party continues to use diligent, good faith efforts to resume performance without delay. The occurrence of a Force Majeure Event affecting Grantee's representatives, suppliers, subcontractors, customers or business apart from this Grant Contract is not a Force Majeure Event under this Grant Contract. Grantee will promptly notify the State of any delay caused by a Force Majeure Event (to be confirmed in a written notice to the State within one (1) day of the inception of the delay) that a Force Majeure Event has occurred, and will describe in reasonable detail the nature of the Force Majeure Event. If any Force Majeure Event results in a delay in Grantee's performance longer than forty-eight (48) hours, the State may, upon notice to Grantee: (a) cease payment of the fees until Grantee resumes performance of the affected obligations; or (b) immediately terminate this Grant Contract or any purchase order, in whole or in part, without further payment except for fees then due and payable. Grantee will not increase its charges under this Grant Contract or charge the State any fees other than those provided for in this Grant Contract as the result of a Force Majeure Event.
- D.25. Tennessee Department of Revenue Registration. The Grantee shall comply with all applicable registration requirements contained in Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 67-6-601 – 608. Compliance with applicable registration requirements is a material requirement of this Grant Contract.

- D.26. Charges to Service Recipients Prohibited. The Grantee shall not collect any amount in the form of fees or reimbursements from the recipients of any service provided pursuant to this Grant Contract.
- D.27. State Interest in Equipment or Motor Vehicles. The Grantee shall take legal title to all equipment or motor vehicles purchased totally or in part with funds provided under this Grant Contract, subject to the State's equitable interest therein, to the extent of its *pro rata* share, based upon the State's contribution to the purchase price. The term "equipment" shall include any article of nonexpendable, tangible, personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost which equals or exceeds five hundred dollars (\$500.00). The term "motor vehicle" shall include any article of tangible personal property that is required to be registered under the "Tennessee Motor Vehicle Title and Registration Law", Tenn. Code Ann. Title 55, Chapters 1-6.

As authorized by the Tennessee Uniform Commercial Code, Tenn. Code Ann. Title 47, Chapter 9 and the "Tennessee Motor Vehicle Title and Registration Law," Tenn. Code Ann. Title 55, Chapters 1-6, the parties intend this Grant Contract to create a security interest in favor of the State in the equipment or motor vehicles acquired by the Grantee pursuant to the provisions of this Grant Contract. A further intent of this Grant Contract is to acknowledge and continue the security interest in favor of the State in the equipment or motor vehicles acquired by the Grantee pursuant to the provisions of this program's prior year Grant Contracts between the State and the Grantee.

The Grantee grants the State a security interest in all equipment or motor vehicles acquired in whole or in part by the Grantee under this Grant Contract. This Grant Contract is intended to be a security agreement pursuant to the Uniform Commercial Code for any of the equipment or motor vehicles herein specified which, under applicable law, may be subject to a security interest pursuant to the Uniform Commercial Code, and the Grantee hereby grants the State a security interest in said equipment or motor vehicles. The Grantee agrees that the State may file this Grant Contract or a reproduction thereof, in any appropriate office, as a financing statement for any of the equipment or motor vehicles herein specified. Any reproduction of this or any other security agreement or financing statement shall be sufficient as a financing statement. In addition, the Grantee agrees to execute and deliver to the State, upon the State's request, any financing statements, as well as extensions, renewals, and amendments thereof, and reproduction of this Grant Contract in such form as the State may require to perfect a security interest with respect to said equipment or motor vehicles. The Grantee shall pay all costs of filing such financing statements and any extensions, renewals, amendments and releases thereof, and shall pay all reasonable costs and expenses of any record searches for financing statements the State may reasonably require. Without the prior written consent of the State, the Grantee shall not create or suffer to be created pursuant to the Uniform Commercial Code any other security interest in said equipment or motor vehicles, including replacements and additions thereto. Upon the Grantee's breach of any covenant or agreement contained in this Grant Contract, including the covenants to pay when due all sums secured by this Grant Contract, the State shall have the remedies of a secured party under the Uniform Commercial Code and, at the State's option, may also invoke the remedies herein provided.

The Grantee agrees to be responsible for the accountability, maintenance, management, and inventory of all property purchased totally or in part with funds provided under this Grant Contract. The Grantee shall maintain a perpetual inventory system for all equipment or motor vehicles purchased with funds provided under this Grant Contract and shall submit an inventory control report which must include, at a minimum, the following:

- a. Description of the equipment or motor vehicles;
- b. Vehicle identification number;
- c. Manufacturer's serial number or other identification number, when applicable;
- d. Acquisition date, cost, and check number;

- e. Fund source, State Grant number, or other applicable fund source identification;
- f. Percentage of state funds applied to the purchase;
- g. Location within the Grantee's operations where the equipment or motor vehicles is used;
- h. Condition of the property or disposition date if Grantee no longer has possession;
- i. Depreciation method, if applicable; and
- j. Monthly depreciation amount, if applicable.

The Grantee shall tag equipment or motor vehicles with an identification number which is cross referenced to the equipment or motor vehicle item on the inventory control report. The Grantee shall inventory equipment or motor vehicles annually. The Grantee must compare the results of the inventory with the inventory control report and investigate any differences. The Grantee must then adjust the inventory control report to reflect the results of the physical inventory and subsequent investigation.

The Grantee shall submit its inventory control report of all equipment or motor vehicles purchased with funding through this Grant Contract within thirty (30) days of its end date and in form and substance acceptable to the State. This inventory control report shall contain, at a minimum, the requirements specified above for inventory control. The Grantee shall notify the State, in writing, of any equipment or motor vehicle loss describing the reasons for the loss. Should the equipment or motor vehicles be destroyed, lost, or stolen, the Grantee shall be responsible to the State for the *pro rata* amount of the residual value at the time of loss based upon the State's original contribution to the purchase price.

Upon termination of the Grant Contract, where a further contractual relationship is not entered into, or at another time during the term of the Grant Contract, the Grantee shall request written approval from the State for any proposed disposition of equipment or motor vehicles purchased with Grant funds. All equipment or motor vehicles shall be disposed of in such a manner as the parties may agree from among alternatives approved by the Tennessee Department of General Services as appropriate and in accordance with any applicable federal laws or regulations.

- D.28. State and Federal Compliance. The Grantee shall comply with all applicable state and federal laws and regulations in the performance of this Grant Contract. The U.S. Office of Management and Budget's Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards is available here: http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=c6b2f053952359ba94470ad3a7c1a975&tpl=/ecfrbrowse/Title02/2cfr200_main_02.tpl
- D.29. Governing Law. This Grant Contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Tennessee, without regard to its conflict or choice of law rules. The Grantee agrees that it will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the State of Tennessee in actions that may arise under this Grant Contract. The Grantee acknowledges and agrees that any rights or claims against the State of Tennessee or its employees hereunder, and any remedies arising there from, shall be subject to and limited to those rights and remedies, if any, available under Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 9-8-101 through 9-8-408.
- D.30. Completeness. This Grant Contract is complete and contains the entire understanding between the parties relating to the subject matter contained herein, including all the terms and conditions agreed to by the parties. This Grant Contract supersedes any and all prior understandings, representations, negotiations, or agreements between the parties, whether written or oral.
- D.31. Severability. If any terms and conditions of this Grant Contract are held to be invalid or unenforceable as a matter of law, the other terms and conditions shall not be affected and shall remain in full force and effect. To this end, the terms and conditions of this Grant Contract are declared severable.
- D.32. Headings. Section headings are for reference purposes only and shall not be construed as part of this Grant Contract.

D.33. Iran Divestment Act. The requirements of Tenn. Code Ann. § 12-12-101, *et seq.*, addressing contracting with persons as defined at Tenn. Code Ann. §12-12-103(5) that engage in investment activities in Iran, shall be a material provision of this Grant Contract. The Grantee certifies, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief that it is not on the list created pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 12-12-106.

D.34. Debarment and Suspension. The Grantee certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it, its current and future principals, its current and future subcontractors and their principals:

- a. are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal or state department or agency;
- b. have not within a three (3) year period preceding this Grant Contract been convicted of, or had a civil judgment rendered against them from commission of fraud, or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state, or local) transaction or grant under a public transaction; violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification, or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
- c. are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a government entity (federal, state, or local) with commission of any of the offenses detailed in section b. of this certification; and
- d. have not within a three (3) year period preceding this Grant Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) terminated for cause or default.

The Grantee shall provide immediate written notice to the State if at any time it learns that there was an earlier failure to disclose information or that due to changed circumstances, its principals or the principals of its subcontractors are excluded or disqualified, or presently fall under any of the prohibitions of sections a-d.

D.35. Confidentiality of Records. Strict standards of confidentiality of records and information shall be maintained in accordance with applicable state and federal law. All material and information, regardless of form, medium or method of communication, provided to the Grantee by the State or acquired by the Grantee on behalf of the State that is regarded as confidential under state or federal law shall be regarded as "Confidential Information." Nothing in this Section shall permit Grantee to disclose any Confidential Information, regardless of whether it has been disclosed or made available to the Grantee due to intentional or negligent actions or inactions of agents of the State or third parties. Confidential Information shall not be disclosed except as required or permitted under state or federal law. Grantee shall take all necessary steps to safeguard the confidentiality of such material or information in conformance with applicable state and federal law.

The obligations set forth in this Section shall survive the termination of this Grant Contract.

E. SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

E.1. Conflicting Terms and Conditions. Should any of these special terms and conditions conflict with any other terms and conditions of this Grant Contract, the special terms and conditions shall be subordinate to the Grant Contract's other terms and conditions.

E.2. Transfer of Contractor's Obligations. The Grantee shall not transfer or restructure its operations related to this Grant Contract without the prior written approval of the State. The Grantee shall immediately notify the State in writing of a proposed transfer of restructuring of its operations

related to this Grant Contract. The State reserves the right to request additional information or impose additional terms and conditions before approving a proposed transfer or restructuring.

- E.3. Counterpart Clause: This agreement may be executed in two or more dated counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same effective instrument.
- E.4. Prohibition on Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment. If applicable and as required by 2 CFR 200.216, Grantee is prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to procure or obtain; extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain; or enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as a critical technology as part of any system. As described in Public Law 115-232, Section 889, "covered telecommunications equipment" is as follows:
- a. Telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).
 - b. For the purpose of public safety, security of government facilities, physical security surveillance of critical infrastructure, and other national security purposes, video surveillance and telecommunications equipment produced by Hytera Communications Corporation, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology Company, or Dahua Technology Company (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).
 - c. Telecommunications or video surveillance services provided by such entities or using such equipment.
 - d. Telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of the National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise connected to, the government of a covered foreign country.
- E.5. Personally Identifiable Information. While performing its obligations under this Grant Contract, Grantee may have access to Personally Identifiable Information held by the State ("PII"). For the purposes of this Grant Contract, "PII" includes "Nonpublic Personal Information" as that term is defined in Title V of the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act of 1999 or any successor federal statute, and the rules and regulations thereunder, all as may be amended or supplemented from time to time ("GLBA") and personally identifiable information and other data protected under any other applicable laws, rule or regulation of any jurisdiction relating to disclosure or use of personal information ("Privacy Laws"). Grantee agrees it shall not do or omit to do anything which would cause the State to be in breach of any Privacy Laws. Grantee shall, and shall cause its employees, agents and representatives to: (i) keep PII confidential and may use and disclose PII only as necessary to carry out those specific aspects of the purpose for which the PII was disclosed to Grantee and in accordance with this Grant Contract, GLBA and Privacy Laws; and (ii) implement and maintain appropriate technical and organizational measures regarding information security to: (A) ensure the security and confidentiality of PII; (B) protect against any threats or hazards to the security or integrity of PII; and (C) prevent unauthorized access to or use of PII. Grantee shall immediately notify State: (1) of any disclosure or use of any PII by Grantee or any of its employees, agents and representatives in breach of this Grant Contract; and (2) of any disclosure of any PII to Grantee or its employees, agents and representatives where the purpose of such disclosure is not known to Grantee or its employees, agents and representatives. The State reserves the right to review Grantee's policies and procedures used to maintain the security and confidentiality of PII and Grantee shall, and cause its employees, agents and representatives to, comply with all reasonable requests or directions from the State to enable the State to verify or ensure that Grantee is in full compliance with its obligations under

this Grant Contract in relation to PII. Upon termination or expiration of the Grant Contract or at the State's direction at any time in its sole discretion, whichever is earlier, Grantee shall immediately return to the State any and all PII which it has received under this Grant Contract and shall destroy all records of such PII.

The Grantee shall report to the State any instances of unauthorized access to or potential disclosure of PII in the custody or control of Grantee ("Unauthorized Disclosure") that come to the Grantee's attention. Any such report shall be made by the Grantee within twenty-four (24) hours after the Unauthorized Disclosure has come to the attention of the Grantee. Grantee shall take all necessary measures to halt any further Unauthorized Disclosures. The Grantee, at the sole discretion of the State, shall provide no cost credit monitoring services for individuals whose PII was affected by the Unauthorized Disclosure. The Grantee shall bear the cost of notification to all individuals affected by the Unauthorized Disclosure, including individual letters and public notice. The remedies set forth in this Section are not exclusive and are in addition to any claims or remedies available to this State under this Grant Contract or otherwise available at law. The obligations set forth in this Section shall survive the termination of this Grant Contract.

E.6. State Sponsored Insurance. The Grantee warrants that it will not enroll or permit its employees, officials, or employees of contractors to enroll or participate in a state sponsored health insurance plan through their employment, official, or contractual relationship with Grantee unless Grantee first demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Department of Finance and Administration that it and any contract entity satisfies the definition of a governmental or quasi-governmental entity as defined by federal law applicable to ERISA. Grantee must submit all required documentation to the Department of Finance and Administration and receive approval on or before July 1, 2023, to comply with this grant requirement.

E.7. Capital Asset. The Grantee shall:

- (a) Use one or more vehicles, equipment, or facilities ("Capital Asset") acquired under this Grant Contract only for the purposes and the manner set forth in the Grantee's application.
- (b) Certify at the beginning of each calendar year, that the Capital Asset acquired under this Grant Contract is still being used in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Grant Contract.
- (c) Pay all fees on the Capital Asset acquired through this Grant Contract, including but not limited to title and registration fees.
- (d) Be responsible for all costs and expenses related to the operation, maintenance, and repair of the Capital Asset acquired through this Grant Contract.
- (e) Provide licensed drivers, as required by the Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security, for operation of all vehicles or equipment received under this Grant Contract.
- (f) Carry insurance on Capital Assets sufficient to cover the State interest, and the Federal interest if applicable, in the Capital Asset.
 - 1. If the Grantee is governed by the Tennessee Governmental Tort Liability Act (Tenn. Code Ann. § 29-20-101 et seq.), then the following insurance coverage is required:
 - a) Bodily injury or death of any one person in any one accident, occurrence or act at a minimum of \$300,000.00 per person.
 - b) Bodily injury or death of all persons in any one accident, occurrence or act at a minimum of \$700,000.00 per accident.
 - c) Injury to or destruction of property of others in any one accident at a minimum of \$100,000.00.

2. If the Grantee is not governed by the Tennessee Governmental Tort Liability Act, then the following insurance coverage is required:
 - a) Personal Injury Liability – minimum of \$300,000.00 per person and \$1,000,000.00 per incident.
 - b) Property Damage Liability – minimum of \$300,000.00 per incident.
 - c) Comprehensive – maximum deductible of \$500.00.
 - d) Collision – maximum deductible of \$500.00.
 - e) Uninsured Motorist – minimum of \$50,000.00 per person and \$100,000.00 per incident.
3. Additionally, if applicable, the Grantee shall comply with the provisions of Section 102(a) of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 4012a(a), with respect to any project activity involving construction or an acquisition having an insurable cost of \$10,000.00 or more.

This insurance shall be in effect at all times while the Capital Asset is used for public transportation services or service vehicle purposes in operations. The Grantee shall furnish the State with evidence of such insurance at the time the Capital Asset is delivered to the Grantee and annually on the anniversary date of the delivery of the Capital Asset. Upon demand by the State, the Grantee shall provide proof of insurance at any time during the term of useful life of the Capital Asset.

- (g) Ensure that any vehicles received under this Grant Contract will comply with the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards ("FMVSS") as established by the United States Department of Transportation.
- (h) Ensure that any Capital Asset received under this Grant Contract shall be used for not less than the useful life, except with the State's prior written approval. The useful life of all Capital Assets purchased under the Grant Contract is as listed in the grant document filed with the Federal Transit Administration ("FTA"). Upon reaching the expiration of the useful life of the Capital Asset, the State may ask the Grantee to provide written notice to the State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,

ANDERSON COUNTY:

GRANTEE SIGNATURE

DATE

Theresa Frank, County Mayor

PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF GRANTEE SIGNATORY (above)

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION:

JIM BRYSON, COMMISSIONER

DATE

OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE PROGRAMS

FUND SOURCE VCIF
OCJP JAG Priority Area

Required Information on Authorizing Agency: Name: Anderson County Federal ID Number (FEIN): 62-6000477 DUNS Number: SAM Expiration Date: Fiscal Year End Date: 6/30		Implementing Agency: Name: Anderson County Sheriff's Office Address: 101 S. Main Street , Ste. 400 Clinton , TN 37716	
Will You Have Any Subcontracts?			
Project Title: Formula Based Grant			
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County/Counties Served (Type ALL if Statewide): Anderson			
U.S. Congressional District(s): 3			

**Formula Based Grant - Scope of Services
Violent Crime Intervention Fund Grant
FY 2023-2024**

APPLICANT AGENCY NAME: Anderson County Sheriff's Department

A. CRIME DATA, PROBLEM STATEMENT, AND TARGET POPULATIONS

- A.1. Please provide current population, demographics, and violent crime data for your jurisdiction, including Tennessee Incident-Based Reporting System (TBIRS) data, local law enforcement data, and local court data.

Anderson County is located in the northern part of East Tennessee. The population of Anderson County in 2021 was 77,576 residents,¹ in addition to an estimated 20,000 commuter workers and increasing daily traffic counts of 54,108 vehicles traveling Interstate 75. Anderson County is home to several exits of Interstate 75. Interstate 75 enters the East Tennessee region following the Tennessee Valley from Georgia, all the way through Knoxville to Rocky Top. On the western edge of Knoxville, Interstate 75 becomes concurrent with Interstate 40, which spans from North Carolina to California and is approximately ten miles from Anderson County. The two routes continue northeasterly through western Knoxville before Interstate 75 leaves, bypassing downtown Knoxville before turning to the north again and continuing through largely rural mountain terrain into Kentucky. In addition to Interstate 75 and all its connections, Anderson County is also home to U.S. Route 25W, TN SR 62, and TN SR 95 which stem to the surrounding counties of Morgan, Cocke, Jefferson, Loudon, Roane, Knox, Putnam, Campbell, Sevier, and Fentress. The confluence of all these systems with Interstate 75 running through the county creates a significant concern for violent crimes. Anderson County is part of the Knoxville–Morristown–Sevierville combined statistical area with a population of 1,156,861. There is a nexus between crime and offenders from this metro area in Anderson County.

TBIRS entries for 2022 indicate that Anderson County Deputies responded to 1,152 violent crimes. Data collected from the department's reporting management system shows deputies responded to 687 domestic situations, 546 disturbances, 130 emotionally disturbed persons, and 122 suicidal persons. According to 2021 Crime Insight statistics² several offenses have increased from 2020 including, drug/narcotic violations up by 40 percent, weapon law violations up 140 percent, non-consensual sex offenses up by 50 percent, and domestic violence up by 5.17 percent. Although murder, aggravated assaults, and officer assaults reflect a slight decrease compared to the prior year, violent crime numbers in Tennessee are

¹ <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/fact/table/andersoncountytennessee/PST045221>.

² <https://crimeinsight.tbi.tn.gov/tops/>.

significantly higher than the national average which, therefore, increases the possibility that Anderson County law enforcement personnel will encounter violent crime incidents.

The increasing trend of domestic violence in Anderson County is disturbing. This increase includes a domestic violence homicide by firearm that occurred in December 2022. Statistics show domestic violence as the motive in 37.5% of aggravated assaults, and 61.8% of simple assaults. Additionally, these crimes are a major component in other peripheral crimes including drug abuse and child abuse/neglect. Drug trafficking and drug overdose deaths correlate geographically with violent crime hotspots and other forms of social disorganization identified by the LexisNexis Virtual Crime Center software as well.



- A.2. Based on the information provided above, please identify which target crime types, victim types, hot spots, and other areas and issues of particular interest VCIF funding will help to address.

The target crime types VCIF grant funding will help address are domestic assaults, active shooter incidents, crimes against children, aggravated robberies, and any other offenses related to violent crimes against persons. The victim types related to these crimes range from all ages, and all different social classes. These targeted crimes affect business owners, devastate families, and ruin communities in Anderson County. The areas in the county that will most benefit from improved law enforcement responses, equipment, and communication are those in vulnerable areas that have limited resources and inefficient law enforcement responses. Time is of the essence with violent crimes and a quick response with the proper equipment can be the difference

between life and death for both responding deputies and victims of violent crimes.

- A.3. Please briefly describe any obstacles or issues your agency has experienced with addressing these targets previously. How will VCIF funding help your agency to mitigate those obstacles?

The Anderson County Sheriff's Office currently has two hundred employees including corrections, patrol, detectives, and support services personnel. There are 345 square miles in Anderson County. On a fully staffed patrol shift there are only seven deputies working patrol in the county. When one does the math, it roughly comes to 50 square miles and 11,000 citizens per deputy. This poses a tremendous danger to deputies when responding to violent crime in two ways.

The first concern is the possibility that backup is a minimum of thirty minutes away. Proper equipment and communication are vital to both the victims of violent crime and a deputy's safety when responding to violent offenses.

The second concern is that deputies do not have the equipment needed to perform their duties safely and efficiently. Please see the case example in this application to better explain the dangers these officers face on a daily basis.

The funding from this grant and collaboration with the VCIF Competitive Collaborative Enhancement Grant Program which the Anderson County Sheriff's Department has also applied for will allow the department to supply personnel with the equipment necessary to keep victims and deputies safe while facing unknown situations when responding to calls of a violent nature.

As the county continues to grow, the need for updated equipment will grow. It is the Department's goal to provide Anderson County Deputies with the requested updated equipment to assist in combating violent crime in the county efficiently and safely. Funding has been the biggest issue with updating and purchasing equipment.

Without VCIF grant funding, the Anderson County Sheriff's Department would not be able to update and purchase equipment specifically focused on combating violent crime and protecting deputies responding to violent calls.

Case Examples

190 Cutters Lane: Suicidal Persons

On 06/27/2021 Anderson County Sheriff's Department responded to 190 Cutters Lane for a report of a suicidal male who had a shot gun. Only five patrol deputies arrived on scene. Once on scene three deputies took cover around the perimeter while two others went around the side of the residence to make contact with the subject Billy Lowe who was standing in the woods with a 12-gage shot gun. The two Deputies then began building a repour with Lowe but only had the cover of one tree. The shot gun was pointed at the Deputies many times as well as the subject placed the gun in his own mouth. The standoff lasted approximately two hours until the deputies

were able to convince Lowe to place the shot gun by a tree. While Lowe was distracted one deputy with no cover or weapon rushed Lowe and was able to keep him away from the shot gun and place Lowe into protective custody.

536 Mehaffey Road: Firearms Complaint

On June 6, 2020, Anderson County Sheriff's Department responded to 536 Mehaffey Road for a firearms complaint. The neighbor stated Jason Lane had busted out one of his windows and was shooting a firearm out of it. Two patrol deputies arrived on scene first and spoke to Jason from the driveway. Jason would not come out of the house and told them they should leave. The two deputies then started walking back to their vehicles when their heard about 10 rounds being fired at them. When they were safely at the bottom of the driveway, they observed their patrol vehicles had been stuck by bullets. The Anderson County SWAT team and a negotiator was then called out. Multiple shot continued to be fired throughout the negotiation process. After the incident it was discovered that Jason Lane had also shot, disemboweled, and killed his three dogs and placed them in trash bags. After eight and a half hours of negotiating Jason Lane finally came out of the house peacefully.

B. PURPOSE

Goals-

1. Respond to Violent Crime more safely and efficiently.

Objectives-

- 1.1 Improve the safety of officers responding to violent crimes.

Activities-

- 1.1.1 Procure equipment requested in the grant.
- 1.1.2 Issue equipment to the patrol division, detective division, school resource officers, and the Special Weapons and Tactics team.
- 1.1.3 Provide training to personnel who are assigned VCIF grant funded equipment.

C. COLLABORATION

- C.1. Describe any partnerships with community-based (nonprofit) partners that your agency plans to employ for the purposes of this project, please attach copies of any current formal agreements (MOUs) and/or Letters of Support.

The Anderson County Sheriff's Department has no plans to employ any community-based (nonprofit) partner personnel for the purposes of this project.

D. PROJECT DESIGN & IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE:

- D.1. List each piece of equipment you intend to purchase to achieve the Goals and Objectives listed above. How will it be deployed/used by your agency?

(65) Ballistic Shields - Will be deployed/utilized by Anderson County Deputies responding to violent crimes such as active shooters, aggravated assaults, robberies, hostage situations, etc. in response to the disturbing violent crime statistics, in order to protect deputies from sustaining fatal injuries related to gunfire while responding to violent crimes.

(7) Radios- Will be deployed/used by deputies as a means of communication with dispatch or other law enforcement personnel. Although it will be used primarily to receive assignments and transmit dispositions (including those of a violent nature), it will also be used to seek assistance from others and coordinate activities.

(60) Tasers- The Taser is an effective non-lethal weapon that will be deployed/used to help Anderson County deputies apprehend suspects safely. Giving deputies more options at different levels of force can only help in their goal of providing safety to the public.

- D.2. List any staff you plan to hire and/or subcontracts your agency intends to utilize to implement your Goals, Objective, and Activities listed above. Please provide JOB DESCRIPTIONS as separate attachments to this Scope.

The Anderson County Sheriff's Department is not requesting staff from the VCIF Grant.

- D.3. Describe how your agency will implement the activities funded by VCIF – provide detail as to how the equipment, staff, training, subcontracts, and other items **listed on your budget** will enable or enhance the Goal(s), Objectives, and Activities listed above.

The equipment purchased with VCIF grant funds will be used to achieve the Anderson County Sheriff's Department's goal of improving officer safety while responding to violent crimes by issuing ballistic shields, radios, and tasers to deputies and providing training for the proper use of issued equipment.

Equipment purchased with VCIF grant funding will be utilized by the Patrol, Detective, SWAT, and SRO divisions while responding to active violent crimes, investigating violent crimes, or serving warrants on incidents involving violent offenders. This equipment will improve the safety of both the deputies responding to violent crimes and the victims of violent crimes.

D.4. What impact will this funding have on your agency's ability to respond to violent crime?

The first Sheriff Deputy that arrives at the scene of a violent crime is often the driving force behind a successful crime scene investigation, suspect apprehension, conflict resolution, and prosecution of the offender(s). Therefore, the importance of supplying the initial responding deputy(s) with the equipment needed to safely and effectively perform their required duties will inadvertently increase deputy safety and reduce violent crime by effective enforcement, benefiting county employees and the citizens of Anderson County.

Length of time	ACTIVITY	INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBLE
60 days after contract execution	Engage with OCJP Technical Assistance Provider for ongoing support and training	Deputy Lounicia Bolton
1 to 12 months	Purchase of ballistic shields and Radios	Lt. Steve Owens
3 to 12 months	Issue ballistic shields, and Radios	Sgt. LB Steele
3 to 28 months	Purchase of Tasers	Lt. Steve Owens
3 to 28 months	Issue Tasers	Sgt. LB Steele
3 to 28 months	Provide Training to Officers on new equipment.	Lt. Steve Owens
Report submission as required	Required benchmark and outcomes reporting	Deputy Lounicia Bolton
End of contract Period	Submit program output report	Deputy Lounicia Bolton

E. OUTPUTS

E.1. The following performance measures will be reported as required. Please select the appropriate **OUTPUTS** from the **VCIF Abstract** and include **any additional Outputs your strategy will yield**:

- Number of equipment purchased

- Number of new arrests provided as a result of this funding
- Number of personnel trained on new equipment
- Number of calls where VCIF grant-funded equipment was used

F. DATA COLLECTION AND INFORMATION SHARING

F.1. Please describe how your agency plans to collect and use data on the violent crime interventions funded with this grant. Please include what method(s) of data collection your agency will utilize and how the information gathered will be used to improve programming over time.

The Anderson County Sheriff's Department will collect reported data and input all arrests and violent crimes into TIBRS.

Protocol will be established by the Crime Analysis Unit (CAU) where all employees track their activities and results related to measuring program-stated outputs. The administrative assistant will compile this data monthly. This collection of data will be analyzed, monthly, by the CAU. The analysis will show the results of our monthly efforts to reach our proposed output goals. For example: Track the number of crimes/calls for service and cases wherein the deputies used the equipment purchased with these grant funds.

The data collected will be used for project evaluations and reviews.

G. ACCOUNTABILITY

G.1. Describe how this funding will have a long-term impact on the violent crime in your region.

Funding from the VCIF grant will continue to have a significant impact on violent crime in our area long after the contract ends due to the longevity of the equipment purchased. The training and equipment provided will continue to result in better outcomes on calls for service which, in return, will lead to arrests, prosecutions, peaceful resolutions, and convictions.

G.2. Include information on how enhanced collaborations, improved investigations, and newly fostered community relationships will be sustained.

Improved less-lethal options and officer safety due to purchased equipment with VCIF grant funding will improve community relations in Anderson County. Newly fostered community relationships will grow due to officers serving their community in the most vulnerable areas and making it safer for visitors and residents alike. Data will assist in evaluating the successes of the project and identify areas for targeted improvement.

G.3. Explain how your agency will ensure that the equipment purchased with VCIF funds will be used for its intended purpose in the future. Please specify the position at your agency that will be responsible for ensuring this.

All equipment purchased for this project will be inventoried and assigned by Lieutenant Steve Owens and Sergeant LB Steele. They will ensure all equipment will be utilized by appropriate personnel in Anderson County. Lieutenant Steve Owens will maintain the inventory list and any issues pertaining to any equipment will be reported to Sergeant LB Steele.

GRANT BUDGET				
AGENCY NAME: Anderson County Sheriff's Department				
FUND SOURCE: State Funding				
SOLICITATION IDENTIFICATION TITLE: Violent Crime Intervention Fund				
The grant budget line-item amounts below shall be applicable only to expense incurred during the following Applicable Period: BEGIN: 03/15/2023 END: 06/30/2023				
POLICY 03 Object Line-item Reference	EXPENSE OBJECT LINE-ITEM CATEGORY ¹	GRANT CONTRACT	GRANTEE PARTICIPATION	TOTAL PROJECT
1, 2	Salaries, Benefits & Taxes ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
4, 15	Professional Fee, Grant & Award ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	Supplies, Telephone, Postage & Shipping, Occupancy, Equipment Rental & Maintenance, Printing & Publications ²	\$29,400.00	\$0.00	\$29,400.00
11, 12	Travel, Conferences & Meetings ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
13	Interest ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
14	Insurance ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
16	Specific Assistance To Individuals ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
17	Depreciation ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
18	Other Non-Personnel ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
20	Capital Purchase ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
22	Indirect Cost ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
24	In-Kind Expense ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
25	GRAND TOTAL	\$29,400.00	\$0.00	\$29,400.00

¹ Each expense object line-item shall be defined by the Department of Finance and Administration Policy 03, *Uniform Reporting Requirements and Cost Allocation Plans for Subrecipients of Federal and State Grant Monies, Appendix A.* (posted on the Internet at: https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/finance/ocip/Appendix_J_Policy_03_Report.xls)

² Applicable detail follows this page if line-item is funded.

GRANT BUDGET LINE-ITEM DETAIL:

AGENCY NAME: Anderson County Sheriff's Department

FUND SOURCE: State Funding

SOLICITATION IDENTIFICATION TITLE: Violent Crime Intervention Fund

SUPPLIES (Includes "Sensitive Minor Equipment"), TELEPHONE, POSTAGE & SHIPPING, OCCUPANCY, EQUIPMENT RENTAL & MAINTENANCE, PRINTING & PUBLICATION	AMOUNT
Sensitive Minor Equipment: VP8000 DUALBAND UHF7/800 portable Radios = \$4,200.00 each x 7	\$29,400.00
TOTAL	\$29,400.00

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GRANT BUDGET				
AGENCY NAME: Anderson County Sheriff's Department				
FUND SOURCE: State Funding				
SOLICITATION IDENTIFICATION TITLE: Violent Crime Intervention Fund				
The grant budget line-item amounts below shall be applicable only to expense incurred during the following Applicable Period: BEGIN: 07/01/2023 END: 06/30/2024				
POLICY 03 Object Line-Item Reference	EXPENSE OBJECT LINE-ITEM CATEGORY ¹	GRANT CONTRACT	GRANTEE PARTICIPATION	TOTAL PROJECT
1, 2	Salaries, Benefits & Taxes ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
4, 15	Professional Fee, Grant & Award ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	Supplies, Telephone, Postage & Shipping, Occupancy, Equipment Rental & Maintenance, Printing & Publications ²	\$180,600.00	\$0.00	\$180,600.00
11, 12	Travel, Conferences & Meetings ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
13	Interest ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
14	Insurance ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
16	Specific Assistance To Individuals ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
17	Depreciation ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
18	Other Non-Personnel ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
20	Capital Purchase ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
22	Indirect Cost ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
24	In-Kind Expense ²	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
25	GRAND TOTAL	\$180,600.00	\$0.00	\$180,600.00

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GRANT BUDGET LINE-ITEM DETAIL:

AGENCY NAME: Anderson County Sheriff's Department

FUND SOURCE: State Funding

SOLICITATION IDENTIFICATION TITLE: Violent Crime Intervention Fund

SUPPLIES (includes "Sensitive Minor Equipment"), TELEPHONE, POSTAGE & SHIPPING, OCCUPANCY, EQUIPMENT RENTAL & MAINTENANCE, PRINTING & PUBLICATION	AMOUNT
Sensitive Minor Equipment: Taser 7 = \$1810.00 each x 60	\$108,600.00
Sensitive Minor Equipment: Taser 7 Holster = \$72.00 each x 60	\$4,320.00
Sensitive Minor Equipment: Taser 7 Cartridge = \$40.00 each x 242	\$9,680.00
Sensitive Minor Equipment: Taser 7 Battery = \$100.00 each x 60	\$6,000.00
Sensitive Minor Equipment: Ballistic Shield = \$800.00 each x 65	\$52,000.00
TOTAL	\$180,600.00

ATTACHMENT B

Parent Child Information

The Grantee should complete this form and submit it with the Grant Contract. The Grantee should submit only one, completed "Parent Child Information" document to the State during the Grantee's fiscal year.

"Parent" means an entity whose IRS filing contains the information of at least one other entity.

"Child" means an entity whose information is contained in another entity's IRS filing.

Grantee's Edison Vendor ID number: 4143

Is Anderson County a parent? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, provide the name and Edison Vendor ID number, if applicable, of any child entities.

Is Anderson County a child? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, complete the fields below.

Parent entity's name: _____

Parent entity's tax identification number: _____

Note: If the parent entity's tax identification number is a social security number, this form must be submitted via US mail to:

Central Procurement Office, Grants Program Manager
3rd Floor, WRS Tennessee Tower
312 Rosa L Parks Avenue
Nashville, TN 37243

Parent entity's contact information

Name of primary contact person: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Parent entity's Edison Vendor ID number, if applicable: _____