

RES 16-017

Wilmington, Delaware  
February 18, 2016

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Sponsor:  
Council  
Member  
M. Brown

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 2-363 of the Code of the City of Wilmington (“City”), the City may apply for and receive grant funds to be used for a wide variety of City activities, subject to the approval of City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, the City, through the Wilmington Police Department (“Department”), has sought to obtain grant funding from the State of Delaware, Special Law Enforcement Assistance Fund (S.L.E.A.F.) in the amount of \$7,850.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed grant funds will be utilized to purchase licensing for the Automatic Vehicle Locator function of the Department’s Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) system; and

**WHEREAS**, the Automatic Vehicle Locator function will enable a feature which can track the location of patrol vehicles, and ultimately provide an additional officer safety measure; and

**WHEREAS**, the S.L.E.A.F. grant does not require a local or “in kind” match; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the Wilmington Police Department to accept the grant funds from the S.L.E.A.F. in the amount of \$7,850.00, for the aforesaid purposes.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON** that the Wilmington Police Department is hereby authorized to accept

grant funding from the State of Delaware, Special Law Enforcement Assistance Fund in the amount of \$7,850.00.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Chief of Police of the Wilmington Police Department, or his designee, shall be authorized to take all necessary actions to accept and administer the grant funds.

Passed by City Council,  
February 18, 2016

ATTEST: Maribel Seijo  
City Clerk

Approved as to form this  
17 day of February, 2016

Sarah Trueland  
Assistant City Solicitor

**SYNOPSIS:** This Resolution approves the Wilmington Police Department's acceptance of grant funding from the State of Delaware, Special Law Enforcement Assistance Fund in the amount of \$7,850.00. The grant does not require a local or "in kind" match.