

RES 16-097

Wilmington, Delaware
December 8, 2016

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Sponsor:

Council
Member
M. Brown

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2-363 of the City Code, the Council deemed it necessary and proper to specify the requirements for review and approval of City-sponsored grant applications and proposals, including authorization for expedited grant applications when necessary, prior to Council's approval by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City, through the Wilmington Police Department, has submitted two separate grant applications to the State of Delaware; and

WHEREAS, the grant applications are as follows: (a) \$58,324.96 from the State Aid to Local Law Enforcement (SALLE) program to provide advanced and specialized training in the areas of law and drug enforcement, and (b) \$31,329.76 from the Emergency Illegal Drug Enforcement (EIDE) program to fund overtime pay for specialized drug investigations; and

WHEREAS, neither of the grants require a local match; and

WHEREAS, the Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the two State of Delaware grant applications totaling \$89,654.72, for the aforesaid purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the Wilmington Police Department to accept the grant funds from the State of Delaware in the total amount of \$89,654.72, 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 SALLE program and the EIDE program, in the total amount of \$89,654.72, for the aforesaid purposes.

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,
December 8, 2016

ATTEST: Maribel Seijo
City Clerk

Approved as to form this
8th day of December 2016

Dany Dhotra
Assistant City Solicitor

SYNOPSIS: This Resolution approves the Wilmington Police Department's acceptance of grant funding in the total amount of \$89,654.72 from the State Aid to Local Law Enforcement (SALLE) program and the Emergency Illegal Drug Enforcement (EIDE) program, both administered by the State of Delaware. The grant application to the SALLE program is in the amount of \$58,324.96 and will be used to provide advanced and specialized training in the areas of law and drug enforcement. The grant application to the EIDE program is in the amount of \$31,329.76 and will be used to fund overtime pay for specialized drug investigations. The grants do not require a local or "in kind" match.