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Sponsor:

Council President Shabazz 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 of Wilmington has requested grant funds from other governmental entities in Delaware to help support efforts to implement the recommendations of the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, as well as the work of the CDC Community Advisory Council formed to help address youth firearm violence in Wilmington through a holistic, public-health lens; and

WHEREAS, the City has requested \$40,000 from the State of Delaware, and \$40,000 from New Castle County; and

WHEREAS, the Council deems it necessary and appropriate to authorize the City to accept the funds, if awarded, and to facilitate implementation of the recommendations of the CDC in furtherance of the City's objectives to enhance public safety and the quality of life in Wilmington.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON that the City's request for grant funds from State of Delaware and New Castle County is hereby authorized.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City shall be authorized to take all necessary actions to accept the grant funds and move forward with supporting the efforts of the CDC Community Advisory Council to implement the recommendations issued by

the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention related to curbing youth firearm violence in Wilmington.

Passed by City Council, June 15, 2017

ATTEST: Waribel Seize.

Approved as to form this 15 day of June, 2017

Assistant City Solicitor

SYNOPSIS: This Resolution authorizes the City's requests to the State of Delaware and New Castle County for \$40,000 from each entity to help support efforts to implement the recommendations of the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, as well as the work of the CDC Community Advisory Council formed to help address youth firearm violence in Wilmington through a holistic, public-health lens.