

RES 18-053

Wilmington, Delaware  
July 12, 2018

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Sponsors:

Council  
President  
Shabazz

Council  
Member  
Chukwuocha

**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 Wilmington 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 Wilmington 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,  
July 12, 2018

ATTEST:   
City Clerk

**SYNOPSIS:** This Resolution authorizes the City's requests to the State of Delaware for \$40,000 and to New Castle County for \$40,000 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 Wilmington Community Advisory Council formed to help address youth firearm violence in Wilmington through a holistic, public-health lens.