

Council Resolution – Funding for the
Consent Decree Between the
Baltimore City Police Department and the
United States Department of Justice
17-0006R

April 4, 2017

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Introduction

1. Overview of the Consent Decree
2. Due Diligence
3. Projected Costs
4. Funding Resources

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Preparation and Research

- Over the past 1.5 years, we visited and collaborated with several other cities:
 - LA, New Orleans, Detroit, Portland, Seattle, Houston, Arlington, Ferguson
- Created Compliance, Accountability, & External Affairs Division

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Lessons Learned

- **STAFFING:** Start day one with a highly qualified team dedicated to reform efforts, with complete support of the Commissioner
- **TECHNOLOGY:** Integrate technology that expedites systems change and improves auditing processes
- **POLICY:** Draft timely/effective policies and training curricula, which are key to early compliance success and morale
- **DATA:** Improve data collection and analysis that will drive our compliance processes, and form the basis for transparent and proactive community engagement.
- **COMMUNITY:** Engage early and often with the community beyond the monitoring obligations

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Consent Decree Progress

- Use of force policy revised
- Policies disseminated through online portal with quizzes and tracking capabilities
- Academy training doubled, de-escalation and youth curriculum added
- Officer wellness program initiated
- Performance Review Board and Use of Force Assessment Unit created
- Transparency webpage published with space for community policy review and input
- Project Comport to provide an online portal for disciplinary data
- Critical Incident Team pilot (6 weeks out)
- Body Worn Cameras issued with audit, review and proactive referral
- Community Engagement Network created

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Projected Timeline

- April 6th – Public hearing for community input
- April – (tentative) Federal Judge approves Consent Decree
- April/May – Request For Application published
 - Community input for all candidate submissions
 - Community Q&A for all finalist
- Summer 2017 – Independent Monitor Selected
- Fall 2017: Monitor, DOJ & BPD create monitoring plan (3 month deadline)

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Projected New Costs: 5-Year

| <u>Operating</u> | Fiscal 2018 | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2020 | Fiscal 2021 | Fiscal 2022 |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Monitor | 1,450,000 | 1,450,000 | 1,450,000 | 1,450,000 | 1,450,000 |
| Technology | 0 | 250,000 | 1,756,250 | 1,800,156 | 1,845,160 |
| BPD Compliance Staffing | 1,672,000 | 1,713,800 | 1,756,645 | 1,800,561 | 1,845,575 |
| Training Staffing | 655,000 | 671,375 | 688,159 | 705,363 | 722,997 |
| Training backfill OT | <u>1,770,000</u> | <u>1,814,250</u> | <u>1,859,606</u> | <u>1,906,096</u> | <u>1,953,749</u> |
| Sub-Total | 5,547,000 | 5,899,425 | 7,510,661 | 7,662,177 | 7,817,482 |
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| <u>Capital</u> | | | - | | |
| Technology Plan | 250,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Data Warehouse | 3,300,000 | 2,700,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mobile Data Computers | 600,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Staffing Study | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Training Tracking System | <u>180,000</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Sub -Total | 4,480,000 | 2,700,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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| Grand Total | 10,027,000 | 8,599,425 | 7,510,661 | 7,662,177 | 7,817,482 |

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Funding Resources

- City Funds
- State Funds
- Federal Funds
- Private Grantors

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