



NEW CASTLE COUNTY COUNCIL PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

Co-Chair: J. William Bell, Twelfth District
Co-Chair: Karen Hartley-Nagle, President

April 9, 2024
3:00 PM

VIRTUAL ZOOM WEBINAR MEETING** &
LOUIS L. REDDING CITY/COUNTY BUILDING
1ST FLOOR COUNCIL CHAMBERS
800 N. FRENCH STREET, WILMINGTON, DE 19801

REVISED AGENDA

A. Meeting Call to Order

B. Approval of Minutes - February 2-13-24

C. Review/Discussion of Resolution(s)

D. Review/Discussion of Ordinance(s)

°24-047: (TO BE VOTED 4/23/24) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE \$26,576.00 FROM THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE – SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE FUND (SLEAF) TO THE SLEAF FUMING CABINET GRANT, TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, DIVISION OF POLICE Introduced by: Mr. Bell, Ms. Hartley-Nagle

E. Presentations

- Emergency Medical Services Division Update - Chief Logemann Introduced by:
- Upcoming Paramedic Academies - Chief Logemann Introduced by:
- Introduction of Kailyn Richards, Staff Person, Police Accountability Board - Director Bond Introduced by:
- FACETS Study Update - Kenny Dunn Introduced by:

F. Other

G. Public Comment

H. Adjournment

REVISED AGENDA POSTED: April 4, 2024

AGENDA POSTED: April 2, 2024

*The revised agenda was not posted 7 days prior to the meeting; however, there are two items under other that are time-sensitive and cannot wait until the meeting next month.

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Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Bell, Ms. Hartley-Nagle
Requested by: Public Safety/Police
Date of introduction: April 9, 2024

ORDINANCE NO. 24-047

AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET:

APPROPRIATE \$26,576.00 FROM THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE – SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE FUND (SLEAF) TO THE SLEAF FUMING CABINET GRANT, TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, DIVISION OF POLICE

1 **WHEREAS**, funding has been awarded from the State of Delaware, Department of
2 Justice-Special Law Enforcement Assistance Fund (SLEAF), to the New Castle County
3 Department of Public Safety SLEAF Fuming Cabinet Grant; and
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5 **WHEREAS**, this funding will be used by the New Castle County Department of
6 Public Safety, Division of Police for the purchase of a Fuming Cabinet to be used by the
7 Evidence Detection Unit (EDU); and
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9 **WHEREAS**, the County Executive has determined that funds received are
10 sufficient to cover the increase in the Grants Budget as hereinafter amended; and
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12 **WHEREAS**, Council has determined that the provisions of this Ordinance
13 substantially advance, and are reasonably and rationally related to, legitimate
14 government interests (i.e., promoting the health, safety, morals, convenience, order
15 prosperity and/or welfare of the present and future inhabitants of this State).
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17 **NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNTY OF NEW CASTLE HEREBY ORDAINS:**
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19 Section 1. The Grants Budget, as adopted by Ordinance No. 75-173, is hereby
20 amended by adding the material on the attached “Exhibit A,” which is considered to be
21 underscored in its entirety.
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23 Section 2. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption
24 by County Council and approval by the County Executive, or as otherwise provided by 9
25 *Del. C. § 1156*.
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27 Section 3. It is the intent of the County Council that the provisions of this
28 Ordinance shall be effective retroactive to December 13, 2023.

Adopted by County Council of
New Castle County on:

Karen Hartley-Nagle
President of County Council of
New Castle County

Approved on:

Matthew Meyer
County Executive
New Castle County

SYNOPSIS: This Ordinance, if approved, will appropriate \$26,576.00 from the State of Delaware, Department of Justice-Special Law Enforcement Assistance Fund (SLEAF) to the SLEAF Fuming Cabinet Grant. These funds will be used by the New Castle County Department of Public Safety, Division of Police for the purchase of a Fuming Cabinet to be used by the Evidence Detection Unit (EDU).

It is the intent of the County Council that the provisions of this Ordinance shall be effective retroactive to December 13, 2023.

FISCAL NOTE: This Ordinance, if approved, will appropriate \$26,576.00 from the State of Delaware, Department of Justice-Special Law Enforcement Assistance Fund (SLEAF) to the SLEAF Fuming Cabinet Grant. These funds will be used by the New Castle County Department of Public Safety, Division of Police for the purchase of a Fuming Cabinet to be used by the Evidence Detection Unit (EDU).

The fiscal impact of this Ordinance, if approved, will be an increase in the authorized spending authority of the Grants Budget of \$26,576.00. This increase will impact FY2024 only, since the targeted program completion date of this award is June 30, 2024. There will be no fiscal impact beyond FY2024 as a result of this grant award.

DEPARTMENT:

GRANT TITLE:

PROGRAM TITLE:

Public Safety

SLEAF Fuming Cabinet

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EXHIBIT:

Ordinance No. 24-047

"A"

Revenue	Current	Change	Revised
Federal	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
State	\$ 26,576.00	\$ -	\$ 26,576.00
County	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Program Income	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Other	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total	\$ 26,576.00	\$ -	\$ 26,576.00

Expense	Current	Change	Revised
Salaries and Wages	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Benefits	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Training/Civic Affairs	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Communication/Utilities	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Materials/Supplies	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Contractual Services	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Equipment	\$ 26,576.00	\$ -	\$ 26,576.00
Grants/Fixed Charges	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Land and Structures	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Contingency	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Operating Transfer Charges	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Operating Transfer Credits	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total	\$ 26,576.00	\$ -	\$ 26,576.00

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Estimated Program Initiation:

12/13/2023

Estimated Program Completion:

6/30/2024

The Local Match:

Found in (ORG):

Ordinance Passed:

Date Revised:

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

Funding will allow for the purchase of a Fuming Cabinet to be used by the Evidence Detection Unit (EDU).