

**PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

Meeting Date:	11/19/2001	Reference No.:	CR-73-2001
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Proposer:	County Executive	Draft No.:	1
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Sponsors: Russell, Bailey, Shapiro, Wilson, Esteppe, Scott

Item Title: A Resolution providing additional funding from grants in the amount of \$2,610,107 to the Health Department, Police Department, Department of Housing and Community Development, Fire Department, Sheriff's Department, Department of Environmental Resources, and the Department of Social Services

Drafter:	Muriel Weatherly OMB	Resource Personnel:	Darlene Horton OMB
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LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date Presented:	__/__/__	Executive Action:	__/__/__	__
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Committee Referral:	11/6/2001	PSFM	Effective Date:	__/__/__
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Committee Action: 11/13/2001 FAV

Date Introduced: 11/6/2001

Public Hearing: __/__/__ __:__ __

Council Action: 11/19/2001 ADOPTED

Council Votes: RVR:A, DB:A, JE:A, IG:A, TH:A, AS:A, PS:A, MW:A

Pass/Fail: P

Remarks: _____

PUBLIC SAFETY & FISCAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT Date: 11/13/01

Committee Vote: Favorable, 3-0, (In favor: Councilmembers Scott, Esteppe and Shapiro).

This resolution will provide for FY2002 supplementary appropriations for grant programs in the amount of \$2,610,107. The additional grant appropriations will support new or expanded efforts of seven agencies.

The Health Department received additional funding for several existing grant programs in the amount of \$245,352 and four new FY2002 grants totaling \$1.4 million. A \$54,000 FY2001 award was received for the Ryan White HIV/AIDS program. The four new grants are: Healthline Media

(\$350,000); Safe Motherhood (\$937,545); Arbovirus Surveillance (\$10,000); and Hepatitis C Surveillance (\$52,749). The Healthline Media Grant will provide information, referral and appointment services for uninsured and underinsured pregnant women and their children. Safe Motherhood will provide comprehensive perinatal services to Prince George's County residents who are uninsured through a contractual arrangement with a community-based, private group of pre-natal and family planning providers. Arbovirus Surveillance will provide dead bird pick-up services pertaining to the West Nile Virus. The Hepatitis C grant will investigate findings related to Hepatitis C.

The Police Department has received funding for two new grants totaling \$330,869: the Anti-Money Laundering Grant (\$229,032); and the Street and Commercial Robbery Abatement Grant (\$101,837).

The Department of Housing and Community Development received additional FY2001 funds in the amount of \$1,980 for the Rental Allowance Program.

The Fire Department received \$3,000 for car seat safety checks and for activities associated with the International Walk to School Day. An unanticipated grant appropriation in the amount of \$50,000 was given to the Fire/EMS Department to cover the costs of any minor grants throughout the current fiscal year.

The Sheriff's Department received funds in the amount of \$51,601 to purchase and install technology equipment associated with the Department's implementation of the firearm seizure and recovery tracking system.

The Department of Environmental Resources received \$315,000 to administer a Federal Emergency Management Agency grant for mitigation and prevention in some of the County's environmental disaster-prone areas. This grant was previously programmed for administration by the Fire/Ems Department.

Finally, the Department of Social Services was awarded a new federally-funded grant for Adoption Mediation in the amount of \$208,011.

The Director of Finance has certified in writing that such funds are available or anticipated for this appropriation.

There should not be any negative fiscal impact on the County as a result of adopting CR-73-2001.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT
(Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory requirements)

This legislation will provide for supplementary appropriations for grant programs for FY2002. The adjustments to appropriations total \$2,610,107 and will support new or expanded efforts of seven agencies.

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