

RESOLUTION NO. 32496

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHATTANOOGA POLICE DEPARTMENT TO APPLY FOR, AND IF AWARDED, ACCEPT 2025 POLICE REFORM AND EQUITABLE JUSTICE GRANT PROGRAM BY THE UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF MAYORS TO BE USED FOR THE CRISIS CO-RESPONSE UNIT (CCRU) TO OBTAIN A CENTRAL HUB DATABASE THAT COULD BE USED FOR BETTER FOLLOW-UP COMMUNICATION, ADDRESSING GAPS IN ACCESS, AND IDENTIFY SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS AND ALSO BE USED FOR SENSORY KITS FOR DE-ESCALATION, HOSTING CIT SCHOOLS, SAFETY EQUIPMENT FOR CCRU MEMBERS, TRAVEL, INFORMATIONAL MATERIAL ABOUT RESOURCES, AND A WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE VEHICLE FOR PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS, FOR A GRANT PERIOD OF ONE YEAR, FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000.00).

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That it is hereby authorizing the Chattanooga Police Department to apply for, and if awarded, accept 2025 Police Reform and Equitable Justice Grant Program by the United States Conference of Mayors to be used for the Crisis Co-Response Unit (CCRU) to obtain a central hub database that could be used for better follow-up communication, addressing gaps in access, and identify services for individuals and also be used for sensory kits for de-escalation, hosting CIT schools, safety equipment for CCRU members, travel, informational material about resources, and a wheelchair accessible vehicle for physical limitations, for a grant period of one year, for an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00.

ADOPTED: May 6, 2025

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