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NOTICE OF FUNDS AVAILABILITY (NOFA) AND

RELEASE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

DATE: October 25, 2022

TO: California Counties

FROM: Kathleen T. Howard, Executive Director

SUBJECT: AVAILABLILITY OF FUNDING FOR THE EDWARD BYRNE JUSTICE

MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM

The Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) is announcing the release of the Edward Byrne Justice Memorial Justise Assistance Grant (JAG) Program, Request for Proposals (RFP). This RFP makes \$47 million available through a competitive process.

In general, JAG funds may be used to hire personnel and/or purchase equipment, supplies, contractual support, training, technical assistance, and information systems for criminal justice, including for any one or more pre-identified Program Purpose Areas (PPA) listed below:

- PPA 1: Law enforcement programs
- PPA 2: Prosecution and court programs
- PPA 3: Prevention and education programs
- PPA 5: Drug treatment and enforcement programs
- PPA 8: Mental health programs and related law enforcement and corrections programs

Proposals must be received through the BSCC-Submittable Application online portal by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, December 2, 2022. Instructions for using the BSCC-Submittable Application online portal are provided on the <u>JAG Homepage</u>, as well as the JAG RFP Instruction Packet and mandatory documents for upload into the application portal.

A virtual Bidder's Conference will be held via Zoom on October 31, 2022 at 10:00 A.M. A link to the Bidder's Conference is provided within the RFP and will be posted on the BSCC website.

The BSCC staff cannot assist the applicant or its partners with the actual preparation of the proposal. Any technical questions concerning the RFP, the proposal process, or programmatic issues must be submitted by email to JAG2022@bscc.ca.gov.