

Department: Sheriff **Program Contact:** Jason Gates
Program Offer Type: Innovative/New Program **Program Offer Stage:** As Requested
Related Programs:
Program Characteristics: Out of Target

Executive Summary

A team of two Deputies will work collaboratively with law enforcement and public and private stakeholders to reduce gun violence through an active focus on the causes and related factors of gun violence. The Team will investigate gun crimes and gun suicides, track firearms to their origins, identify unqualified persons attempting to purchase firearms, use data analytics, and community education as a multi-faceted approach to gun violence reduction. Local, state, and federal resources will support this initiative.

Program Summary

The reduction of gun violence is one of the Sheriff's top priorities. This proposed strategy requires two Deputies (2.0 FTE) to lead a program which will 1) Track the use of firearms in gun crimes and suicides, 2) Identify non-qualified persons who attempt to purchase firearms, 3) Identify the illegal sales and trafficking of firearms, 4) collect firearms use data for analysis, and 5) Educate the public on the safe handling and storage of firearms. These deputies will be committed to work on a full-time basis with law enforcement at all levels, with other government entities, public and private entities, and academia to stem gun violence. The Team will focus investigative efforts on armed gang crimes, armed drug trafficking, gun use in other violent crimes and suicides, and in tracing and tracking firearms.

Team/Program Objectives:

1. Reduce gun violence by:
 - a. Collaborative investigative efforts targeting armed gangs, armed drug traffickers, and other gun crimes.
 - b. Collaborative efforts involving outreach programs and LE programs focused on domestic violence.
 - c. Education and outreach regarding Lethal Means Reduction as associated with suicide prevention.
 - d. Education and outreach regarding safe handling/storage practices, theft prevention, and unintentional discharge avoidance.
2. Investigate the means by which criminal entities obtain firearms and work toward disrupting/stopping the flow.
3. Investigate OSP notifications involving prohibited persons attempting to purchase firearms.
4. Work with LE Support Units and the Regional Justice Information Network (RegJIN) in establishing better reporting and data tracking practices and analyzing/reporting/comparing data on a national level.

Partnerships/Stakeholders:

1. Investigative: BATF, FBI, OSP, PPB Gang Team, East Multnomah County Gang Enforcement Team (EMGET), Gresham Police Department (GPD), Department of Community Justice (DCJ), Juvenile Justice, DA.
2. Prevention and Education: Local Public Safety Coordinating Council (LPSCC), Youth Gang Violence Subcommittee, Every Town (gun violence research), MC Health Department, Multnomah County Chair, victim advocate organizations, gun rights organizations, Project Child Safe.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY16 Actual	FY17 Purchased	FY17 Estimate	FY18 Offer
Output	Number of Firearms investigated	0	0	0	100
Outcome	Number of cases presented to the proper prosecuting authority.	0	0	0	25
Output	Education outreach mechanisms (social media, Multco resources, MCSO resources, firearm safety organization	0	0	0	50
Outcome	Number of persons receiving education materials	0	0	0	27,000

Performance Measures Descriptions

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2017	2017	2018	2018
Personnel	\$0	\$0	\$207,602	\$0
Capital Outlay	\$0	\$0	\$98,000	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$0	\$305,602	\$0
Program Total:	\$0		\$305,602	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	2.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Total Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: