



# COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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To: Criminal Justice Services Board Grants Committee

From: Laurel Marks, Manager, Office of Safer Communities and Youth Services, Division of Programs and Services

Date: November 20, 2025

Re: Operation Ceasefire Grant Supplemental Funding

Name of Person Presenting: Laurel Marks

The Operation Ceasefire Grant Fund (OCGF) is designed to support the implementation of strategies that will reduce violent crime within the Commonwealth while implementing effective and sustainable solutions to intercept and eliminate local cycles of violence. The purpose of this OCGF supplemental award is to support continuation of local law enforcement and prosecution programs funded under the 2024 Operation Ceasefire Grant Funding Opportunity.

DCJS currently supports eight (8) programmatic grants under this opportunity, as well as various equipment-only grants. We are recommending supplemental funding to the programmatic grantees to continue the work begun under their existing grants.

DCJS Recommendations	
Total Original Awarded Amount	\$1,433,338
Supplemental Amount Recommended	\$2,000,000
Total Revised Amount Recommended	\$3,433,338

In summary, DCJS staff request approval to fund eight (8) current OCGF grantees with a supplemental award of \$250,000 each ending June 30, 2028, totaling \$2,000,000, using Operation Ceasefire funds allocated for this purpose. The total revised amount recommended is \$3,433,338.

# OCGF -- Grants Committee Recommendations (Cover Report)

## Operation Ceasefire Grant Fund (Supplemental Funding)

20-Nov-2025

Application Number	Applicant	Organization Type	CISB Awarded Amount	Supplemental Recommended Amount	Revised Recommended Amount
530592	Chesterfield, County	County Government	\$154,190.00	\$250,000.00	\$404,190.00
532687	Dinwiddie, County	County Government	\$206,274.00	\$250,000.00	\$456,274.00
532405	Henrico, County	County Government	\$200,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$450,000.00
529249	Lexington, City	City Government	\$200,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$450,000.00
530052	Petersburg, City	City Government	\$158,595.00	\$250,000.00	\$408,595.00
532562	Pulaski, County	County Government	\$130,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$380,000.00
531137	Richmond Redevelopment & Housing Auth.	City Government	\$184,279.00	\$250,000.00	\$434,279.00
532955	Roanoke, City	City Government	\$200,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$450,000.00
<b>Grant Program Total:</b>			<b>\$1,433,338.00</b>	<b>\$2,000,000.00</b>	<b>\$3,433,338.00</b>