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To: Criminal Justice Services Board Grants Committee

From: Jennifer MacArthur, Adult Justice Program Manager, Division of Programs and Services

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Re: Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for Prisoners (RSAT) Grant Program
(Competitive)

Name of Person Presenting: Patricia Shaw, Grant Monitor, Adult Justice Programs

The purpose of this grant program is to break the cycle of drug addiction and violence by reducing the demand for, use, and trafficking of illegal drugs. RSAT's objectives are to enhance the capabilities of states and units of local and tribal governments to provide residential, evidence-based substance use disorder (SUD) treatment for incarcerated individuals, prepare individuals for reintegration into communities, and assist individuals and communities through the reentry process by delivering community-based treatment and other broad-based aftercare services.

Grant Application Review	
# Grants Submitted	5
# Grants Denied	0
# Grants Recommended	5

DCJS Recommendations	
Amount Requested	\$1,577,818
Amount Denied	\$0
Amount Reduced	\$54,480
Total Amount Recommended	1,523,338

No applications were denied. Reduced funding is due to one applicant requesting excessive amounts for training costs.

Funds will be utilized for peer support staff, treatment services, staff training, medication assisted treatment resources, drug testing supplies, and reentry supports (housing, transportation, ID, etc.).

In summary, **DCJS Staff request approval to fund five (5) grant applications for an 18-month period, totaling \$1,523,338** in 75% federal (\$1,142,080) and 25% local match (\$381,258) funds allocated for this purpose. The exact grant period will be dependent on federal approval for these five grant applications.

RSAT -- Grants Committee Recommendations (Cover Report)

Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for Prisoners (RSAT) Competitive

20-Nov-2025

Application Number	Applicant	Organization Type	Requested DCJS Funds	Requested Local	Requested Total	Recommended DCJS Funds	Recommended Local	Recommended Total
553555	Arlington, County	County Government	\$238,670.00	\$79,557.00	\$318,227.00	\$238,670.00	\$79,557.00	\$318,227.00
553548	Danville, City	City Government	\$243,562.00	\$81,185.00	\$324,747.00	\$243,562.00	\$81,185.00	\$324,747.00
553355	Department of Corrections	State Government	\$244,679.00	\$82,126.00	\$326,805.00	\$244,679.00	\$82,126.00	\$326,805.00
550011	Fairfax, County	County Government	\$118,529.00	\$39,510.00	\$158,039.00	\$77,669.00	\$25,890.00	\$103,559.00
550973	Richmond, City	City Government	\$337,500.00	\$112,500.00	\$450,000.00	\$337,500.00	\$112,500.00	\$450,000.00

Grant Program Total:

\$1,182,940.00 \$394,878.00 \$1,577,818.00 \$1,142,080.00 \$381,258.00 \$1,523,338.00

RSAT -- Grants Committee Recommendations (Summary Report)

Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for Prisoners (RSAT) Competitive

20-Nov-2025

Application Number	Applicant	Organization Type	Type of Application	Requested Funding	Recommended Funding	Application Criteria	Grant Project Description
553555	Arlington, County	County Government	New	\$318,227.00	\$318,227.00	Meets criteria	The Arlington County Sheriff's Office seeks funding to assist incarcerated individuals by providing them with the essential tools to return to the community sober with the knowledge and resources to maintain their sobriety. Funding will allow for certifications, training, and additional supports for program staff. It will also fund workbooks, supplies, participant treatment resources, drug tests, and Suboxone injections for medication assisted treatment. Providing these resources will enhance the jail programs currently treating those battling addiction.
553548	Danville, City	City Government	New	\$324,747.00	\$324,747.00	Meets criteria	The Challenge Project at the Danville Adult Detention Center (ADC) is designed to address substance use disorders (SUD) and opioid use disorders (OUD) among male inmates. With a capacity for 20 participants at a time, the program offers medication management, psychoeducational components, and behavioral health interventions. Inmates are identified at intake through self-referral, positive drug screens, court orders, and staff consultations. The initiative includes vocational programs, relapse prevention, budgeting skills, and the InsideOut Dad program. Funds are to support inmates during custody and post-release through structured case management and after-care services.
553555	Department of Corrections	State Government	New	\$326,805.00	\$326,805.00	Meets criteria	Virginia Department of Corrections, Green Rock Correctional Center, has both a Voluntary, 75-bed SUD program that is self-contained; and a dedicated 75-bed Aftercare Program. Funding would allow the hiring of a full-time Certified Peer Recovery Specialist (CPRS) to serve both of these programs within Green Rock. A CPRS will provide continuity, credibility and inspiration, elements that traditional clinical services alone may lack. This proposal addresses the urgent need for recovery-focused peer support to enhance successful, sober transition to general population and reduce recidivism.
550011	Fairfax, County	County Government	New	\$158,039.00	\$103,559.00	Meets criteria at reduced level	Fairfax JDRDC requests funding to enhance the therapeutic residential units substance abuse treatment components and incorporate additional evidenced based resources for the juvenile clients. Funds would provide for an evidenced based group curriculum to be used throughout all the programs, provide psychoeducational information to the parents, utilize additional assessments for treatment planning purposes, provide staff training, and collaborate with other agencies and community partners for aftercare.
550973	Richmond, City	City Government	New	\$450,000.00	\$450,000.00	Meets criteria	The Richmond City Justice Center Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) Grant will support Richmond City Sheriff's Office (RCSO) staff to provide pre-/post-release reentry services to adult offenders through grant program assistance. Each participant will attend classes within RCSO to foster sobriety and reduce criminogenic behaviors. RCSO has a therapeutic program for substance use and the Medication Assistance Treatment (MAT) program. RSAT funding would allow RCSO to enhance these programs effectiveness in treatment. This grant will directly serve pre-release and those with a minimum of 3-12 months of incarceration, afterwards aided with post release services via community resources.