



**Missouri Department of Public Safety
Office of the Director
SFY 2025 Minority Police Officer Recruitment and
Retention Program (MPORR)
Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO)**

Grant Issued By:

Missouri Department of Public Safety

Funding Opportunity Title:

SFY 2025 Minority Police Officer Recruitment and Retention Program (MPORR)

Introduction:

The purpose of the Minority Police Officer Recruitment and Retention Program (MPORR) is to support minority police officer recruitment and retention programs located in a city not within a county with such program being administered and overseen by an African-American police officer association that supports efforts in reducing crime in a city not in a county and county with more than one million inhabitants.

Funding Allocation:

MPORR funds were established by the State of Missouri House Bill No 8.006 102nd General Assembly. Funds are available for a one-time allocation in SFY 2025 in the amount of \$145,550.00.

Period of Performance: 8 months

Projected Period of Performance Start Date: October 1, 2024

Projected Period of Performance End Date: May 31, 2025

Funding Instrument: Grant – General Revenue Fund 0101

Eligible Applicants:

Minority Police Officer Recruitment and Retention Programs located within a city not within a county with such program being administered and overseen by an African-American police officer association that supports efforts in reducing crime in a city not in a county and county with more than one million inhabitants.

Ineligible Applicants:

For-profit, governmental, and nonprofit organizations that are not registered with the United States IRS as a 501(c)(3) corporation and minority police officer recruitment programs that are not administered and overseen by an African-American police officer association that supports efforts in reducing crime in a city not in a county and county with more than one million inhabitants are ineligible for MPORR funds from the State of Missouri.

Eligible Funding Areas:

MPORR funds may be awarded for any of the following budget categories as deemed necessary to effectively and efficiently operate the proposed project within the eligible area:

1. **Personnel, Personnel Benefits**
2. **Personnel Overtime, & Personnel Overtime Benefits**
3. **Travel/Training**
4. **Equipment**
Equipment is tangible, nonexpendable personal property having a useful life of more than one year and a per-unit acquisition cost of \$5,000.00 or more.
5. **Supplies/Operations**
Supplies are all other items of tangible personal property that are not equipment.
6. **Contractual**
Costs directly associated with the project and its activities that are secured on a contractual nature.

I. Ineligible Activities and Cost Items:

Ineligible activities and cost items include, but are not necessarily limited to the following:

- Management and Administration costs
- Bonuses or Commissions
- Construction/Renovation Projects
- Daily Subsistence (meals) within Official Domicile
- Entertainment Expenses & Bar Charges
- Finance Fees for delinquent payments
- First Class Travel
- Indirect Costs
- Less-than-lethal Weapons
- Lobbying or Fundraising
- Military-Type Equipment
- Office Lease/Purchase
- Pre-Paid Fuel/Phone Cards
- Vehicles (Lease or Purchase)
- Weapons and Ammunition

Application and Submission Information:

1. Key Dates and Times

a. Application Start Date: August 22, 2024

b. Application Submission Deadline: September 19, 2024, 4:00 pm CST

2. Agreeing to Terms and Conditions of the Award

By submitting an application, applicants agree to comply with the requirements of this NOFO and the Articles of Agreement of the award, should they receive an award.

Applications will only be accepted through the Missouri Department of Public Safety (DPS) online WebGrants System: <https://dpsgrants.dps.mo.gov>

A PowerPoint with instructions on how to apply through the WebGrants System will be available in WebGrants and on the Missouri Department of Public Safety Website at: <https://dpsgrants.dps.mo.gov>

As part of the SFY 2025 MPORR application, each eligible applicant must complete all application forms and provide all required documents:

1. Contact Information Form

Applicant will be required to provide the contact information for the agency's Authorized Official, Fiscal Officer, Project Director, and an additional contact (if necessary).

2. Project Form

Applicant will need to describe their project including a timeline for the project to be completed. Specific deliverables and milestones will need to be provided including how data will be collected to show the project outcomes.

3. Budget

The applicant will be required to provide a detailed budget including justification for each expected expenditure.

4. Attachments

- a. Proof of agencies 501(c) (3) corporation status * Required***
- b. Audit or Financial Statement *Required***
- c. Other Supporting Documentation**
- d. Other Supporting Documentation**
- e. Other Supporting Documentation**
- f. Other Supporting Documentation**

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