CITY OF VINELAND, NJ

RESOLUTION NO. 2019- ⁹⁷

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION FOR 2019 DISTRACTED DRIVING CRACKDOWN GRANT FUNDS.

WHEREAS, grant funds are available through the New Jersey Division of Highway Traffic Safety for overtime enforcement related to special enforcement patrols to reduce the number of motor vehicle fatalities in the state with a distracted driver contributing cause through targeted distracted driving enforcement and education during the 2019 Distracted Driving Crackdown - U Drive, U Text, U Pay grant from April 1 through April 21, 2019; and

WHEREAS, it is considered to be in the best interest of the City of Vineland that an application be submitted by the Vineland Police Department in the amount of \$14,128.32 for said grant funds;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Vineland that the Application for the 2019 Distracted Driving Crackdown Grant Funds and such other documents as required be and the same are hereby authorized for execution by the Mayor, Financial Director and Project Director.

Adopted:	
ATTEST:	President of Council
City Clerk	



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Distracted Driving 2019 Statewide Crackdown Grant

February 4, 2019

Dear Chief:

I am pleased to offer your department the opportunity to participate in our upcoming Distracted Driving Crackdown grant program. The Division of Highway Traffic Safety is prepared to offer your agency \$5,500 in overtime enforcement grant funding, to be utilized during the Distracted Driving 2019 Statewide Crackdown from April 1-21, 2019.

If you choose to accept this invitation, you will submit your grant application <u>online</u> through the SAGE e-grant system. Detailed instructions follow. Please read the instructions carefully. The application for this grant will be available in SAGE beginning February 4, 2019 and **must be submitted to NJDHTS by <u>March 15, 2019</u>**.

When you access the grant application in SAGE, please familiarize yourself with the Project Methodology, as you will be expected to adhere to all components of it. This is a <u>reimbursement grant</u>, meaning your agency will incur the costs and then submit documentation to the Division, also through the SAGE system, to be reimbursed. The <u>maximum hourly rate that will be reimbursed for the enforcement overtime is \$55 per hour</u>.

After you have submitted your completed application through SAGE, you will be notified of your approval through SAGE, as well. No written approvals will be sent out. Please be advised that submitting your application does not guarantee that you will get the grant, as the overall level of available funding for the campaign has not yet been determined.

If you have any questions, please call me at (609) 376-9706.

Sincerely,

Bob Gaydosh North Region Supervisor



