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**IN ADDITION IF A GRANT:**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notice of Intent
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Grant Summary
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Executive Summary (not longer than 5 pages without an explanation)

**Date Submitted:** May 5, 2022

**Meeting Submitted For:** May <sup>16</sup> 10, 2022

**Regular or Suspension Agenda:** Regular

**Submitted By:** Carlos Sosa-Lombardo

**Title of Legislation:**

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF ALDERS OF THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN  
AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN TO SUBMIT AN  
APPLICATION TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, BUREAU OF JUSTICE  
ASSISTANCE, 2022 OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS COMMUNITY BASED  
VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION INITIATIVE, IN AN AMOUNT  
NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 TO EXPAND AND ENHANCE COMMUNITY  
VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION INITIATIVES AND TO ACCEPT  
SUCH FUNDS IF OFFERED AND TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS AND  
CONTRACTS AS NECESSARY.

**Comments:** LM-2022-0255

**Coordinator's Signature:** 

**Controller's Signature (if grant):** 

**Mayor's Office Signature:** 

Call 946-7670 with any questions.





**Justin Elicker**  
*Mayor*

**CITY OF NEW HAVEN**  
**COMMUNITY SERVICES ADMINISTRATION**  
**DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY RESILIENCE**



**Carlos Sosa-Lombardo**  
*Acting Director*

May 5, 2022

The Honorable Tyisha Walker-Myers  
President, Board of Alders  
City of New Haven  
165 Church Street  
New Haven, CT 06510

Dear Alder President Walker-Myers,

In accordance with the Order of the Board of Alders authorizing the Mayor to apply for and accept all grants on behalf of the City of New Haven, passed October 17, 1994, I am writing to respectfully request that the Honorable Board approve the submission of an application by the City of New Haven's Department of Community Resilience to the U.S. Department of Justice, and to accept such funds if offered and to execute all documents and contracts as necessary. The Department would like to apply for \$2,000,000.00 for a three-year grant from the Office of Justice Programs: 2022 Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative.

This important grant will help expand and enhance the work conducted by the New Haven Office of Violence Prevention and community partners. Funds will be used to prevent and reduce violent crime in communities by supporting comprehensive, evidence-based violence intervention and prevention programs, including efforts to address gang and gun violence, based on partnerships among community residents, local government agencies, victim service providers, community-based organizations (CBOs), law enforcement, hospitals, researchers, and other community stakeholders.

The details about the use of the funds are still being developed because the grant came to our attention a couple of days ago, and the deadline to submit the grant is June 16, 2022. Thank you for your understanding and for your consideration. Please contact me if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

**Carlos Sosa-Lombardo**  
*Acting Director*

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**165 Church Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor - New Haven, CT 06510**  
**[www.newhavenct.gov](http://www.newhavenct.gov)**  
**(203) 946-7846**



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WHEREAS, serious violence, including shootings and stabbings, has been on the rise since the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, it is vital to enhance and expand social services support for our residents who are at the highest risk of perpetrating a shooting; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, through the Office of Justice Programs, Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative is offering funding to enhance or expand existing programs that seek to prevent and reduce violent crime in communities by supporting comprehensive, evidence-based violence intervention and prevention programs, including efforts to address gang and gun violence, based on partnerships among community residents, local government agencies, victim service providers, community-based organizations (CBOs), law enforcement, hospitals, researchers, and other community stakeholders.

WHEREAS, the Department of Community Resilience seeks to use grant funding to address violence in the City of New Haven; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED THAT the Board of Alders of the City of New Haven supports efforts to prevent and reduce violence; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED THAT the Board of Alders of the City of New Haven recognizes that violence interruption and prevention is essential to promote community well-being and increase public safety; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED THAT the Board of Alders of the City of New Haven authorizes the Mayor of the City of New Haven to apply for funds offered by the Bureau Of Justice Assistance, Office Of Justice Programs, 2022 Community Based Violence Intervention And Prevention Initiatives, in an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000.00 and to accept such funds, if offered, and to execute all documents and contracts as necessary.



# **PRIOR NOTIFICATION FORM**

## **NOTICE OF MATTER TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE BOARD OF ALDERS**

TO (list applicable aldermen/women): ALL

WARD #

DATE: **May 5, 2022**

FROM:	Department/Office	<u>Community Resilience</u>	
	Person	<u>Carlos Sosa-Lombardo</u>	Telephone <u>203-946-7846</u>

This is to inform you that the following matter affecting your ward(s) will be submitted to the Board of Aldermen in the near future:

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Check one if this an appointment to a commission

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Democrat

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Republican

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Unaffiliated/Independent/Other \_\_\_\_\_

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO DEPARTMENTS**

1. Departments are responsible for sending this form to the alderperson(s) affected by the item.
2. This form must be sent (or delivered) directly to the alderperson(s) **before** it is submitted to the Legislative Services Office for the Board of Aldermen agenda.
3. The date entry must be completed with the date this form was sent the alderperson(s).
4. Copies to: alderperson(s); sponsoring department; attached to submission to the Board of Aldermen.





## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

DATE: May 5, 2022  
FROM (Dept.): Community Resilience  
CONTACT: Carlos Sosa-Lombardo PHONE 203-946-7846

**SUBMISSION ITEM (Title of Legislation):**

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**List Cost:** Describe in as much detail as possible both personnel and non-personnel costs; general, capital or special funds; and source of funds currently budgeted for this purpose.

	GENERAL	SPECIAL	CAPITAL/LINE ITEM/DEPT/ACT/OBJ CODE BO ND
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**A. Personnel**

- 1. Initial start up
- 2. One-time
- 3. Annual To be determined

**B. Non-personnel**

- 1. Initial start up
- 2. One-time
- 3. Annual To be determined

**List Revenues:** Will this item result in any revenues for the City? If Yes, please list amount and type.

NO ☐  
YES ☒

- 1. One-time \$2,000,000
- 2. Annual

**Other Comments:** The budget details are under development.

## **NOTICE OF INTENT**

NOTIFICATION TO THE BOARD OF ALDERS REGARDING PROPOSED GRANT AND CONTRACT APPLICATIONS TO BE MADE BY THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN DURING THE PERIOD: FY 22-23/FY 23-24/FY 24-25. September 1, 2022 through August 31, 2024.

PROGRAM NAME: FY 22 Office of Justice Programs Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative

(x ) New                      ( ) Continuation   ( ) Modification

FUNDING LEVEL AVAILABLE TO PROJECT: \$2,000,000

FUNDING SOURCE: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance

PURPOSE OF PROGRAM: To enhance or expand violence interruption and prevention initiatives

BRIEF SUMMARY OF CITY'S PROPOSAL: New Haven Police Department proposes to use funds for evidence-based violence interruption and prevention initiatives.

MATCH REQUIREMENT FROM GENERAL FUND (if any): \$0

PROPOSED SOURCE OF MATCH: NA

ALLOWABLE INDIRECT COST: NA

NAME OF DEPARTMENT SUBMITTING APPLICATION: Community Resilience

NAME OF CONTACT PERSON: Carlos Sosa-Lombardo

DATE: May 5, 2022



GRANT SUMMARY	
<b>Grant Title:</b>	FY 22 Office of Justice Programs Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative
<b>MUNIS #:</b>	
<b>City Department:</b>	Community Resilience
<b>City Contact Person &amp; Phone:</b>	Carlos Sosa-Lombardo, 203-946-7846
<b>Funding Level:</b>	\$2,000,0000
<b>Funding Period:</b>	October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2025
<b>Funding Source:</b>	US Department of Justice
<b>Funding Source Contact Person &amp; Phone</b>	Bureau of Justice Assistance 1-800-851-3420
<b>Purpose of Program:</b>	To expand or enhance violence intervention and prevention.
<b>Personnel (salary):</b>	To be determined
<b>Personnel (Worker's Comp):</b>	\$
<b>Personnel (Med. Benefit):</b>	\$
<b>Non-Personnel (total):</b>	To be determined
<b>Non-Personnel (M &amp; U):</b>	\$
<b>New or Renewal?</b>	New
<b>Limits on spending (e.g., Admin. Cap)?</b>	NA
<b>Reporting requirements: Fiscal</b>	Award recipients typically must submit quarterly financial reports, semi-annual performance reports, final financial and performance reports, and, if applicable, an annual audit report in accordance with the Part 200 Uniform Requirements or specific award conditions.
<b>Reporting requirements: Programmatic</b>	Award recipients typically must submit quarterly financial reports, semi-annual performance reports, final financial and performance reports, and, if applicable, an annual audit report in accordance with the Part 200 Uniform Requirements or specific award conditions.
<b>Due date of first report:</b>	December 2022
<b>Audit Requirements:</b>	if applicable, an annual audit report in accordance with the Part 200 Uniform Requirements or specific award conditions.



## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

### **US Department of Justice: FY 22 Office of Justice Programs Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative**

New Haven Department of Community Resilience

May 5, 2022

Funding request: \$2,000,000.00 for three years

The New Haven Department of Community Resilience seeks funding from the U.S. Department of Justice to expand or enhance community violence intervention and prevention initiatives.

Funds will be used to:

- Support comprehensive, evidence-based violence intervention and prevention programs, including efforts to address gang and gun violence, based on partnerships among community residents, local government agencies, victim service providers, community-based organizations (CBOs), law enforcement, hospitals, researchers, and other community stakeholders.
- Further integrate public safety, public health, and social justice by engaging stakeholders and multidisciplinary partners from the public, private, and community sectors to prevent and reduce violence, address collective trauma, strengthen community resilience, and build social capital.

Community violence intervention (CVI) is an approach that uses evidence-informed strategies to reduce violence through tailored, community-centered initiatives. These multidisciplinary strategies engage individuals and groups to prevent and disrupt cycles of violence and retaliation and establish relationships between individuals and community assets to deliver services that save lives, address trauma, provide opportunity, and improve the physical, social, and economic conditions that drive violence.

