

METROPOLITAN MAYORS COALITION

SENATOR CHARLES E. SHANNON, JR. COMMUNITY SAFETY INITIATIVE

March 26th, 2021

Somerville Police Department
Attn: Dorothy Cassesso
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Somerville, MA 02143

FY2021 Senator Charles E. Shannon Jr. Community Safety Initiative

The Metro Mayors Community Safety Initiative (CSI) has received a \$651,525.80 Shannon Grant award from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security (EOPSS).

The **Somerville Police Department** has been awarded \$22,692.00 with a match requirement of \$5,612.00. In addition, the **Somerville Police Department Junior Police Academy** has been awarded \$2,910.00. Enclosed, please find a detailed breakdown of approved expenses. In order to be eligible for reimbursement, approved expenses must take place within the following timeframe: January 12, 2021 and December 31, 2021. All partners are strongly encouraged to expend funds by November 15, 2021 to limit the possibility of unanticipated unspent grant funds.

Shannon Grant funds must be used in a manner consistent with the strategies and objectives outlined in the FY2021 Metro Mayors CSI Shannon Grant application. If you would like to modify your plan for Shannon-funded programming, please contact me at amurray@mapc.org as soon as possible. As fiduciary, the Metropolitan Area Planning Council (MAPC) reserves the right to reject any reimbursement request that does not comply with the grant requirements and/or guidelines.

Attached you will find a document containing a copy of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Standard Contract Form, EOPSS Office of Grants and Research General Subrecipient Grant Conditions, and the Availability of Grant Funds for the 2021 Senator Charles E. Shannon Jr. Community Safety Initiative. Following your review of these documents, **please sign and return the FY2021 Metro Mayors CSI Shannon Grant Conditions Acknowledgement Form.** This form shall be signed by the highest ranking official in your department or organization, as well as your designated contact person, and returned to me via email at amurray@mapc.org no later than **March 31, 2021.**

Thank you all for your work on the FY2021 application and your continued efforts within the Metro Mayors communities. I look forward to another year of successful collaboration between the Metro Mayors Shannon CSI and our prevention and law enforcement partners. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Regards,
Austin Murray
Metro Mayors Shannon Grant Program Manager

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cc: Sgt. Devin Schneider, Somerville Police Department