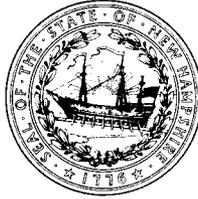


**ATTORNEY GENERAL
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ANN M. RICE
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March 3, 2015

Her Excellency Governor Margaret Wood Hassan
And the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, NH 03301

Your Excellency and Members of the Council:

REQUESTED ACTION

1. Authorize the Department of Justice to amend subgrants in the amount of \$85,835 to the subgrantees listed below, approved at the Governor and Executive Council meeting held July 2, 2014, Item# 16, from Federal Fiscal Year 2011 United States Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention; Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws Block Grant Programs (EUDL) by extending the end date from March 31, 2015 to June 30, 2015. The requested extensions will be effective from the date of Governor and Council approval through June 30, 2015. No additional funds are being added. 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available in account #02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574, Job #20EUD11A, EUDL FFY 11 as follows:

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Vendor No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Berlin Police Department	177362-B007	\$7,500.00
Cheshire County Sheriff's Department	177372-B006	\$7,500.00
Derry Police Department	177379-B006	\$7,500.00
Grafton County Sheriff	177397-B009	\$8,335.00
Laconia Police Department	177419-B006	\$7,500.00
Manchester Police Department	177433-B012	\$7,500.00
Moultonborough Police Department	159911-B001	\$7,500.00
Strafford County Sheriff's Department	177478-B006	\$7,500.00
Sullivan County Sheriff's Department	177482-B006	\$7,500.00
Wolfboro Police Department	177500-B001	\$7,500.00

Funding is available in account #02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500576, Job #20EUD11A, EUDL FFY 11 as follows:

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Vendor No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
NH Liquor Commission – Enforcement	177913-B001	\$10,000.00

2. Authorize the Department of Justice to amend subgrants totaling \$12,000 to the subgrantees listed below, approved at the Governor and Executive Council meeting held January 14, 2015, Item# 35, from Federal Fiscal Year 2011 EUDL by extending the end date from March 31, 2015 to June 30, 2015. The requested extensions will be effective from the date of Governor and Council approval through June 30, 2015. No additional funds are being added. 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available in account #02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574, Job #20EUD11A, EUDL FFY 11 as follows:

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Vendor No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Merrimack County Sheriff	177435-B008	\$7,500.00
Manchester Police Department	177433-B012	\$4,500.00

EXPLANATION

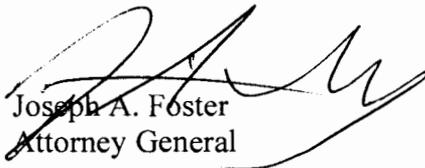
The EUDL program supports and enhances efforts by states and local jurisdictions to prohibit the sale of alcoholic beverages to minors and further supports outreach, education and law enforcement training which includes compliance checks, saturation patrols and parking lot surveillance.

This extension is being requested because the federal award was extended for the final time. The extension will allow the subgrantees to continue monitoring and deterring underage drinking. It will also help the recipients develop programming and schedule patrols especially for prom and graduation season.

In the event that federal funds become unavailable, general funds will not be requested to support this program.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions concerning this request. Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,


Joseph A. Foster
Attorney General

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name: Berlin Police Department	Vendor No.: 177362-B007	
Program Name: Coos County EUDL	Amount: \$ 7,500.00	
Grant Start Date: 7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD25	
Grant End Date: 6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008	
Appropriation No.: 02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574		
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Peter Morency Chief 135 Green Street Berlin, NH 03570	Brian Valerino Deputy Chief	Lisa Arguin
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Peter Morency	Kathleen Carr
Title	Chief	Director of Administration
Date		
All terms of this grant award are not valid unless signed by both authorized parties.		

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name:	Cheshire County Sheriff	Vendor No.: 177372-B006
Program Name:	Cheshire County EUDL	Amount: \$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date:	7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD29
Grant End Date:	6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574	
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Eliezer Rivera Sheriff 12 Court Street Keene, NH 03431	Trevor Croteau Captain	Sheryl Trombly
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Eliezer Rivera	Kathleen Carr
Title	Sheriff	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
 DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
 GRANT AWARD

Agency Name: NH Liquor Commission - Enforcement		Vendor No.: 177913-B001
Program Name: Statewide Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws		Amount: \$ 10,000.00
Grant Start Date: 7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD02	
Grant End Date: 6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008	
Appropriation No.: 02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500576		
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Joseph W. Mollica Commissioner 10 Commercial Street Concord, NH, 03302-1795 271-0313	James Wilson Director	Tina Demers
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	None	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Joseph W. Mollica	Kathleen Carr
Title	Commissioner	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name:	Wolfeboro Police Department	Vendor No.: 177500-B001
Program Name:	Carroll County EUDL	Amount: \$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date:	7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD14
Grant End Date:	6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574	
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Stuart M. Chase Chief P.O. Box 1689 Wolfeboro, NH 03894 603-569-1444	Dean Rondeau Deputy Chief	Peter Chamberlain Finance Officer
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Stuart M. Chase	Kathleen Carr
Title	Chief	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name:	Laconia Police Department	Vendor No.: 177419-B006
Program Name:	Belknap County EUDL	Amount: \$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date:	7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD30
Grant End Date:	6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574	
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Christopher Adams Chief 126 New Salem Street Laconia, NH 03246	Al Lessard Lieutenant	William F. Clary Captain
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Christopher Adams	Kathleen Carr
Title	Chief	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD			
Agency Name:	Sullivan County Sheriff	Vendor No.:	177482-B006
Program Name:	Sullivan County EUDL	Amount:	\$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date:	7/2/2014	State Grant Number:	2014CD31
Grant End Date:	6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number:	2011AHFX0008
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574		
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer	
Michael L. Prozzo, Jr. High Sheriff PO Box 91 Sunapee, NH 03782-0091	David Cahill Chief Sunapee PD	Gregg Chanis	
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws		
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice		
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs		
CFDA Number:	16.727		
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training		
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.		
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.		
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions		
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice	
Name	Michael L. Prozzo, Jr.	Kathleen Carr	
Title	High Sheriff	Director of Administration	
Date			
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
GRANT AWARD

Agency Name: Manchester Police Department		Vendor No.: 177433-B012
Program Name: Hillsborough County EUDL		Amount: \$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date: 7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2013CD37	
Grant End Date: 6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008	
Appropriation No.: 02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574		
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
David Mara Chief 405 Valley Street Manchester, NH 03013	Scott Fuller Sergeant	Steven L. Hoefft
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	David Mara	Kathleen Carr
Title	Chief	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name:	Derry Police Department	Vendor No.: 177379-B006
Program Name:	Rockingham County EUDL	Amount: \$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date:	7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD42
Grant End Date:	6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574	
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Edward B. Garone Chief 1 Municipal Drive Derry, NH 03038	Vern Thomas Captain	Frank Childs
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Edward B. Garone	Kathleen Carr
Title	Chief	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
GRANT AWARD

Agency Name: Grafton County Sheriff		Vendor No.: 177397-B009
Program Name: Grafton County EUDL		Amount: \$ 8,335.00
Grant Start Date: 7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD48	
Grant End Date: 6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008	
Appropriation No.: 02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574		
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Douglas R. Dutile High Sheriff 3785 Dartmouth College Hwy North Haverhill, NH 03774	Eric James Detective	Julie Clough
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Douglas R. Dutile	Kathleen Carr
Title	High Sheriff	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name:	Moultonborough Police Department	Vendor No.: 159911-B001
Program Name:	Carroll County EUDL	Amount: \$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date:	7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD52
Grant End Date:	6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574	
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Leonard Wetherbee Chief PO Box 121 Moultonborough, NH 03254	Scott Fulton Sergeant	Heidi Davis
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Leonard Wetherbee	Kathleen Carr
Title	Chief	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name:	Strafford County Sheriff	Vendor No.: 177478-B006
Program Name:	Strafford County EUDL	Amount: \$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date:	7/2/2014	State Grant Number: 2014CD64
Grant End Date:	6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574	
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
David Dubois High Sheriff 259 County Farm Road, Ste 105 Dover, NH 03821	David Dubois Sheriff	Diane Legere
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	David Dubois	Kathleen Carr
Title	High Sheriff	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name:	Merrimack County Sheriff	Vendor No.: 177435-B008
Program Name:	Merrimack County EUDL	Amount: \$ 7,500.00
Grant Start Date:	1/14/2015	State Grant Number: 2014CD73B
Grant End Date:	6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574	
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Scott Hilliard High Sheriff 333 Daniel Webster Highway Boscawen, NH 03303	Michelle Clarke Deputy Sheriff	Kathleen Bateson County Administrator
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Scott Hilliard	Kathleen Carr
Title	High Sheriff	Director of Administration
Date		
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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name: Manchester Police Department	Vendor No.: 177433-B012	
Program Name: Hillsborough County EUDL	Amount: \$ 4,500.00	
Grant Start Date: 1/14/2015	State Grant Number: 2014CD37C	
Grant End Date: 6/30/2015	Federal Grant Number: 2011AHFX0008	
Appropriation No.: 02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574		
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
David Mara Chief 405 Valley Street Manchester, NH 03013	James Soucy Captain	Steven L. Hoelt
Federal Grant Name:	Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.727	
Purpose of Grant:	Underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach and training	
Financial Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports Annual performance report and audit Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	David Mara	Kathleen Carr
Title	Chief	Director of Administration
Date		
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June 18, 2014

Her Excellency Governor Margaret Wood Hassan
And the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, NH 03301

Your Excellency and Members of the Council:

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Justice to enter into subgrants totaling \$85,835 with the agencies listed below, from the United States Department of Justice's Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention's FFY 2011 Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws Block Grant Programs ("EUDL") for increased enforcement of New Hampshire's underage drinking laws, to include outreach, education and training, effective the date of Governor and Council approval through March 31, 2015. This is 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available in account #02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574, Job #20EUD11A, EUDL FFY 11 as follows:

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Vendor No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Berlin Police Department	177362-B007	\$7,500
Cheshire County Sheriff's Department	177372-B006	\$7,500
Derry Police Department	177379-B006	\$7,500
Grafton County Sheriff	177397-B009	\$8,335
Laconia Police Department	177419-B006	\$7,500
Manchester Police Department	177433-B012	\$7,500
Moultonborough Police Department	159911-B001	\$7,500
Strafford County Sheriff's Department	177478-B006	\$7,500
Sullivan County Sheriff's Department	177482-B006	\$7,500
Wolfeboro Police Department	177500-B001	\$7,500

Funding is available in account #02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500576, Job #20EUD11A, EUDL FFY 11 as follows:

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Vendor No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
NH Liquor Commission – Enforcement	177913-B001	\$10,000

EXPLANATION

The EUDL program supports and enhances efforts by states and local jurisdictions to prohibit the sale of alcoholic beverages to minors and further supports outreach, education and law enforcement training.

In 1998 the EUDL block grant program was first offered by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention to each state and to the five United States Territories to aid in the enforcement of underage drinking laws. The New Hampshire Department of Justice was designated the administering agency for EUDL. For the past fourteen years, the Department has subgranted the majority of the block funding to local law enforcement and the Liquor Commission, Bureau of Enforcement.

This year Congress reduced funding for EUDL programming from \$25 million to \$5 million, virtually eliminating the block grants. Thus, the FFY 2011 EUDL block grant of \$300,000 was the last block grant received. There was no award in 2012 and approximately \$60,000 in FFY 2013. The subgrantees are still expending FFY 2011 funds; this request will combine remaining 2011 funds with the FFY 2013 funds for final subgrant awards.

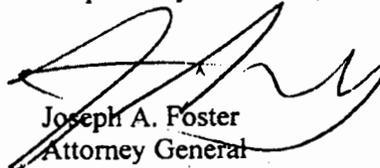
In order to ensure that the funds will be used in an effective and sustainable manner, regional programs have been chosen. All had been selected through a competitive bid process and represent the most experienced subgrantees within their regions, utilizing innovative and forward-thinking strategies on underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach, education and training.

In the event that Federal Funds become unavailable, General Funds will not be requested to support this program.

Please let me know if you have any questions concerning this request.

Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,



Joseph A. Foster
Attorney General

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December 29, 2014

Her Excellency Governor Margaret Wood Hassan
And the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, NH 03301

Your Excellency and Members of the Council:

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Justice to enter into subgrants totaling \$12,000 with the subgrantees listed below, utilizing funds from the United States Department of Justice's Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention's Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws Block Grant Programs ("EUDL") for the purpose of funding increased enforcement of New Hampshire's underage drinking laws, to include outreach, education and training, from the date of Governor and Council approval through March 31, 2015. This is 100% federal funds.

Funding is available in account #02-20-20-201510-4463-072-500574, Job #20EUD11A, EUDL FFY 11 as follows:

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Vendor No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Merrimack County Sheriff	177435-B008	\$7,500.00
Manchester Police Department	177433-B012	\$4,500.00

EXPLANATION

The EUDL program supports and enhances efforts by states and local jurisdictions to prohibit the sale of alcoholic beverages to minors and further supports outreach, education and law enforcement training.

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the majority of the block funding to local law enforcement and the Liquor Commission, Bureau of Enforcement.

In 2012, Congress reduced funding for EUDL programming from \$25 million to \$5 million, virtually eliminating the block grants. Thus, the FFY 2011 EUDL block grant of \$300,000 was the last block grant received. There was no award in 2012 and approximately \$60,000 in FFY 2013. The subgrantees are still expending FFY 2011 funds; this request will combine 2011 funds with the FFY 2013 funds for final subgrant awards.

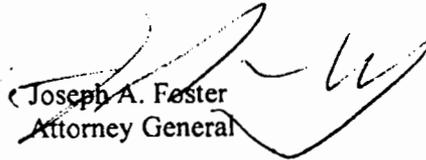
In order to ensure that the funds will be used in an effective and sustainable manner, regional programs have been chosen. All had been selected through a competitive bid process and represent the most experienced subgrantees within their regions, utilizing innovative and forward-thinking strategies on underage drinking laws enforcement, outreach, education and training.

Although these two subgrants are below the Governor and Council limit of \$25,000, this Office has cumulatively awarded the Manchester Police Department and the Merrimack County Sheriff more than \$25,000 each this fiscal year.

In the event that federal funds become unavailable, general funds will not be requested to support this program.

Please let me know if you have any questions concerning this request. Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,


Joseph A. Foster
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Attachments

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