

Sponsor: Dan Spitale
Councilman at Large

ORDINANCE NO. 9620

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A NEW FUND (FUND #2483) FOR THE RURAL AND SMALL DEPARTMENT VIOLENT CRIME REDUCTION PROGRAM FUNDS AWARDED TO CITY OF HAMMOND POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the Rural and Small Department Violent Crime Reduction Program, administered by the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) provides funding to small and/or rural agencies who are interested in implementing or improving the capacity of their organization around BJA critical elements such as, community engagement, technology, training, tactics, and intelligence; and

WHEREAS, after successful application to the program, the BJA has awarded the City of Hammond Police Department \$300,000.00 for FY2023 for the purpose of implementing gunshot technology to improve public safety, decrease gun violence, and increase timely medical assistance; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hammond Police Department requires the use of these monies received from the Rural and Small Department Violent Crime Reduction Program which requires a dedicated fund to receipt and disburse this allocation of grant money; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hammond must now have a new fund established for receipt and distribution of these funds; and

WHEREAS, the City Controller requests that a new account be dedicated and created for the City of Hammond for purposes of accessing these funds; and

WHEREAS, the creation of this fund is not an additional appropriation and a public hearing is not required;


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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Hammond that the Hammond City Controller be and is authorized to provide, dedicate, and create a new account for the City of Hammond as follows:

**City of Hammond #2483 FY2023 Shot Spotter Grant
Budget Account 2483-0000-201-00000-00000-44500
Revenue Account 2483-0000-000-00000-00000-33100**


BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Common Council that this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Common Council, signing by the President thereof and approval by the Mayor, and approval of the DLGF.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY the Common Council of the City of Hammond, Indiana, this 18th day of December, 2023.



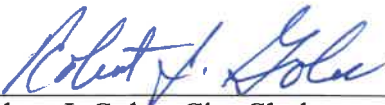
Scott Rakos, President
Hammond Common Council

ATTEST:



Robert J. Golec, City Clerk
City of Hammond, Indiana

PRESENTED BY ME, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Hammond, Indiana, to the Mayor, for approval and signature, this 19th day of December, 2023.



Robert J. Golec, City Clerk
City of Hammond, Indiana

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The foregoing Ordinance No. 9620 consisting of three (3) typewritten pages, including this page, was APPROVED AND SIGNED BY ME, the undersigned Mayor of the City of Hammond, Indiana, this 19th day of December, 2023.



Thomas M. McDermott, Jr., Mayor
City of Hammond, Indiana

PASSED by the Common Council on the 18th day of December, 2023 and Approved by the Mayor on the 19th day of December, 2023.



Robert J. Golec, City Clerk,
Hammond, Indiana