

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
COUNTY OF ESSEX

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RESOLUTION NO. _____
PROPOSED BY: COUNTY EXECUTIVE

AUTHORITY FOR RESOLUTION N.J.S.A. 40:41a-38(O)
AUTHORITY OF ACTION N.J.S.A. 40a:4-87

SUBJECT 2023 Temporary Emergency Appropriation From
The State of New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety
For Restorative and Transformative Justice Pilot Program

WHEREAS, the County of Essex has received a grant from the State of New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety for Restorative and Transformative Justice Pilot Program in the amount of \$1,932,000.00

WHEREAS, no provision has been made in the 2023 Temporary Budget of the County of Essex and,

WHEREAS, the total Emergencies in 2023 pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-20, including this appropriation is now therefore be it, \$32,008,347.00

RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Essex as follows:

1. That by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Essex (no less than 2/3 in the affirmation) in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:4-20 an emergency appropriation is hereby made for the following classification:

STATE AND FEDERAL PROGRAMS OFFSET BY REVENUES

Restorative and Transformative Justice Pilot Program \$1,932,000.00

2. That said emergency shall be provided in the 2023 budget, and,

3. That a copy of this resolution with the Award Letter and State Certification Form be filed forwith with Director of the Division of Local Government Services, County Office of Management and Budget and the Office of Accounts and Control.

4. That a copy of this resolution and all supporting documentation be forwarded to the following:
 Anibal Ramos, Jr., Department Director

Approved as to form and legality  Date 1/24/23
 Essex County Counsel

RECORD OF VOTE (X = Vote N.V. = Abstention ABS = Absent)

Moved by Commissioner _____

Seconded by Commissioner _____

Commissioner	Yes	No	N.V.	ABS	Commissioner	Yes	No	N.V.	ABS
COOPER					MERCADO				
GILL					SEBOLD				
GRAHAM									
JOHNSON					POMARES, V.P.				
LUCIANO					RICHARDSON, PRES.				

It is hereby certified that the foregoing Resolution was () adopted () defeated () tabled by roll call vote at a _____ meeting of the Board of County Commissioner of the County of Essex, New Jersey, held on _____.

Is Publication Required () Yes () No

Date Published _____

 WAYNE L. RICHARDSON, President

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS
DIVISION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87 I hereby certify that the following resolution has been duly adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of COUNTY OF ESSEX _____
Signature, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners

I hereby certify that COUNTY OF ESSEX has realized or is in receipt of written notification of the state or federal monies cited in the following resolution, which meets all statutory requirements and will be included in the 2023 county budget.
Year



Signature, Chief Financial Officer

Resolution Number:	_____	Amount: \$	<u>1,932,000.00</u>
Date of Adoption:	_____	Amount: \$	<u>1,932,000.00</u>
Revenue Source:	<u>State of NJ Department of Law and Public Safety</u>	Amount: \$	_____
Appropriation Title:	<u>Restorative and Transformative Justice Pilot Prg</u>	Amount: \$	_____
Local Match - Source:	_____	Amount: \$	_____

Approval is hereby given to the cited resolution adopted by the Board of County Commissioners pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-87

For Director, Division of Local Government Services
by: _____
Duly Appointed Designee Date Certified

THIS CERTIFICATION FORM MAY BE REPRODUCED
TO BE USED FOR STATE AND FEDERAL GRANTS ONLY

FOR DCA USE ONLY
Municode: _____
Doc. No.: _____



COUNTY OF ESSEX

DECISION MEMORANDUM

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

Joseph N. DiVincenzo, Jr.
COUNTY EXECUTIVE
Robert D. Jackson
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

Citizen Services

DEPARTMENT: _____

Youth Services

DIVISION: _____

**TO: ROBERT D. JACKSON
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR**

FROM: ANIBAL RAMOS, JR. 
DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR

DATE: DECEMBER 15, 2022

**SUBJECT: GRANT ACCEPTANCE AND BUDGET INSERTION OF 2022/2023 TO 2024
RESTORATIVE AND TRANSFORMATIVE JUSTICE FOR YOUTH AND
COMMUNITIES PILOT PROGRAM (RTJ PILOT PROGRAM) GRANT**

INTRODUCTION:

The Juvenile Justice Commission (JJC) has awarded the Department of Citizen Services 2022 Restorative and Transformative Justice for Youths and Communities Pilot Program Grant. This grant award is for a two-year (2) period from November 1, 2022 through October 31, 2024. It is requested that these grant funds be accepted and inserted into the 2023 county budget.

The intent to award Essex County is as follows:

Pilot Program	\$1,642,200.00
Service Administration	\$ <u>289,800.00</u>
Award Total	\$1,932,000.00

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners approve the insertion of these funds into the 2023 county budget to be utilized as approved by the Juvenile Justice Commission through October 31, 2024.

**--DECISION MEMORANDUM--
GRANT ACCEPTANCE AND BUDGET INSERTION
OF 2022/2023 TO 2024 RESTORATIVE AND
TRANSFORMATIVE JUSTICE FOR YOUTHS AND
COMMUNITIES PILOT PROGRAM (RTJ PILOT PROGRAM) GRANT
DECEMBER 15, 2022
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REASON FOR RECOMMENDATION:

The Juvenile Justice Commission (JJC) has awarded the Department of Citizen Services 2022 thru 2024 Restorative and Transformative Justice for Youths and Communities Pilot Program (RTJ Pilot Program) Grant. These monies are to be utilized to contract for juvenile services.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

ALTERNATIVE:

Do not accept these grant funds.

CONCLUSION:

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners approve the acceptance and insertion of these funds outlined above to be utilized as approved by the Juvenile Justice Commission through October 31, 2024.

xc: Jason Martinez, Director of Youth Service Commission

AR:JM:mwd



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Acting Executive Director



December 12, 2022

Jason Martinez
 Essex County Youth Services Commission
 50 South Clinton Street, 3rd Floor
 East Orange, NJ 07020

Dear Mr. Martinez:

We are pleased to advise you that the Juvenile Justice Commission has completed processing Essex County's Restorative and Transformative Justice for Youths and Communities Pilot Program (RTJ Pilot Program) Application Package. Enclosed are the Award Notice, Award Conditions, and Certified Assurances.

Our intent to award Essex County is as follows:

Pilot Program	\$1,642,200
Services Administration	<u>\$ 289,800</u>
Award Total	\$1,932,000

The Award Notice, Award Conditions, and Certified Assurances must be signed by the County Commissioner/County Executive and returned to Safiya L. Baker at the address above. Please also submit a Resolution with a raised seal and ensure that it indicates the award amount. An executed award will then be forwarded to you, upon subsequent signature by the Attorney General.



J. Martinez
December 12, 2022
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As stated in the Award Conditions, any press or media contact in relation to RTJ Pilot Program Funding must be coordinated with the Juvenile Justice Commission in advance.

If you have any questions, please contact Safiya L. Baker at (609) 376-0620.

Sincerely,



Jennifer LeBaron, Ph.D.
Acting Executive Director

JL/slb
Attachments

c: Joseph N. Divincenzo, Jr., County Executive, Essex County
Hossam Mohamed, Chief Financial Officer, Essex County
Anibal Ramos, Jr., Director, Department of Citizens Services, Essex County
Doris S. Darling, Director, Office of Local Programs & Services, JJC
Sean McCarthy, Chief Financial Officer, JJC
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