



RAPID CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Karl Jegeris, Chief of Police
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May 18, 2015

Mayor Sam Kooiker
City Council Members
300 Sixth Street
Rapid City, SD 57701

RE: 2015 BJA Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program

Dear Mayor and City Council,

It is the desire of the Rapid City Police Department, in partnership with the Pennington County Sheriff's Office, to apply for the aforementioned grant, which allows an annual opportunity to purchase law enforcement equipment. This grant does not require a financial commitment from the City or County and is exclusively funded through the U.S. Department of Justice.

The grant amount is \$46,099.00. If monies are awarded, they will be used to purchase an enhanced courthouse security system, less lethal technology, and a mechanical lift used in the preservation/storage of evidence. The application deadline is June 26, 2015, with an award notice expected in or around October.

Should you have concerns regarding this matter you can contact me at your convenience. I am requesting your approval to apply for this grant opportunity, and to accept the grant if awarded.

Sincerely,



Karl Jegeris
Chief of Police

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