

Program #10009C - Transforming Justice Implementation

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Department: Nondepartmental **Program Contact:** Abbey Stamp

Program Offer Type: Innovative/New Program Program Offer Stage: As Adopted

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics: One-Time-Only Request

Executive Summary

The central purpose of Multnomah County's Local Public Safety Coordinating Council (LPSCC) is to coordinate the public safety plans, policies, operations, and strategies of local government agencies to improve the local public safety system's cost-effectiveness and responsiveness to the needs of the community. In 2021, LPSCC embarked on a bold, multi-sector effort to Transform Justice to create a more just, equitable, and service-oriented non-criminal legal response to communities and individuals in need. That effort continued into FY 2022, which will result in an implementable vision for the future, starting in FY 2023.

Program Summary

At the What Works Public Safety conference in January 2020, the criminal legal system leaders, health system administrators, behavioral health experts, advocates for victims of crime, and a number of government leaders in attendance agreed to embark on a large-scale planning and implementation process that will transform the future of local justice policy. This future system must be equitable and acknowledge the 400 years of institutionalized racism perpetrated by its inception. The system currently lacks a North Star, requiring the criminal legal system to often be the intervention for housing, behavioral health, and public health crises.

In order to effectively develop and implement a vision, an outside firm was selected through a competitive procurement process and the visioning process began in earnest in FY 2022. A report summarizing the perspective of several dozen stakeholders (from individuals in recovery to judges) will be completed in late February 2022. Throughout the Spring, local leadership and community members will engage in sessions to use the report to craft the final vision.

In addition to facilitating sessions with LPSCC and its partners in other sectors, including health care, housing, and community advocacy agencies, in FY 2023 a contractor will also help facilitate implementation of the strategies developed by the final vision.

This program offer allocates \$250,000 toward a contractor to support local stakeholders to implement strategies to create a more just criminal legal system.

Performance Measures								
Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY21 Actual	FY22 Budgeted	FY22 Estimate	FY23 Offer			
Output	Nbr of Steering Committee mtgs (includes community groups, system leaders, people w/ lived experience, etc).	N/A	6	6	6			
Outcome	Percentage of strategies moved from vision to implementation.	N/A	N/A	N/A	100			
Outcome	Percentage of strategies that lead with race using data and intentional approaches to reduce disparities.	N/A	N/A	N/A	100			

Performance Measures Descriptions

The FY 2022 performance measure related to the number of people that were to be engaged in surveys, focus groups, interviews, and facilitated sessions. The engagements were very successful, providing ample data for the discovery report. The FY 2023 performance measures are based on probable strategies which will be developed in Spring 2022.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	
Program Expenses	2022	2022	2023	2023	
Contractual Services	\$0	\$200,000	\$250,000	\$0	
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$200,000	\$250,000	\$0	
Program Total:	\$200,000		\$250,000		
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

Program Revenues							
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$200,000	\$0	\$0			
Total Revenue	\$0	\$200,000	\$0	\$0			

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2022: 10009C Local Public Safety Coordinating Council Strategic Planning Contract