



County of Fort Bend, Texas

Grant Intent to Apply Form

Name of Grant: Gangs / Organized Crime Prosecutor		
Purpose of Grant: Prosecution of Organized Crime with a Focus on Gang Activity		
Department/Division: District Attorney		
Point of Contact: Chad Bridges		Phone Number: (281) 238-3353
Announcement Date: 12/14/20	Commissioners Court: 2/2/21	Submission Deadline: 2/11/21

Pre-Application Considerations:

1) Financial

i) Financial Breakdown (First-year applicants, please provide best estimates.)

Grant Funding Request:	\$206,661.00	
Match	Amount	Source
Cash:	\$0.00	
In-kind:	0	
Program Income:	0	
Total Project Cost:	\$206,661.00	

ii) Staffing Requirements (including salary and benefits increases for multi-year grants, number of personnel and brief description of duties. If this a first-year application, please provide best estimates.)

This grant supports the prosecution of gang and gang related violence in Fort Bend County by the Fort Bend County DA's Office. The position will supervise other felony level attorneys prosecuting gang/organized crimes including trafficking. The position will supervise the Gang Investigator in the Fort Bend County DA's Office as well as staff working on human trafficking. The person in this position should have credentials such as board certification, significant jury trial experience and at least twenty years experience in the field. The pay will be at Division Chief level as dictated by the Fort Bend County salary plan. \$186261.00 is the total salary amount including fringe benefits. \$139894.00 is salary and \$46367.00 is fringe.

iii) Operational Needs (i.e., office space, equipment, IT needs, etc.)

\$19400 for furniture, a computer and other office set up materials. Also, a budget for bar dues, training, and travel.

iv) Grant Financial History (Two-year history if available. Please write N/A for first-year applications.)

N/A

v) Sustainability Plan (continuation for grant-funded program if grant funding is reduced or terminated)

Absorption by Fort Bend County

2) Programmatic

i) Alignment with department/program's plans and priorities

The Fort Bend County DA's Office is committed to aggressively prosecuting violent crime including crimes committed by gangs.

ii) Department's capacity to administer the financial and administrative aspects of the grant

The District Attorney's Office has a long history of successfully administering grants and being in compliance with CJD guidelines. As mentioned above, the Auditor's Office has made all reports to CJD in an accurate and timely fashion.

iii) Prior year performance data and accomplishments (Please write N/A for first-year applications.)

N/A