



# MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST NOTICE OF INTENT

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## Board Clerk Use Only

**Meeting Date:** 7/8/2010  
**Agenda Item #:** R-5  
**Est. Start Time:** 10:30 am  
**Date Submitted:** 6/22/2010

**Agenda Title:** **NOTICE OF INTENT: National Institute of Corrections and Office of Justice Programs Evidence-Based decision Making in Local Criminal justice System Initiative: Phase II Site Selection Technical Assistance**

*Note: If Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation, provide exact title. For all other submissions, provide a clearly written title sufficient to describe the action requested.*

**Requested Meeting Date:** July 8, 2010 **Amount of Time Needed:** 15 minutes  
**Department:** Local Public Safety Coordinating Council **Division:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Contact(s):** Peter Ozanne/Elizabeth Davies  
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**Presenter(s):** Peter Ozanne

## General Information

### 1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Approval to apply for National Institute of Corrections and Office of Justice Programs Evidence-Based decision Making in Local Criminal Justice System Initiative: Phase II Site Selection Technical Assistance.

### 2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer this action affects and how it impacts the results.

In 2008, the National Institute of Corrections launched the Evidence-Based Decision Making in Local Criminal Justice Systems initiative in order to “build a system wide framework (arrest through final disposition and discharge) that would, when implemented, result in more collaborative, evidence-based decision making and practices in local criminal justice systems.” This initiative has been divided into three phases: Phase I developed a Framework to “advance constructive change in local level criminal justice decision making”; Phase II will provide technical assistance to as many

as six committed and capable “seed sites” who wish to pilot the Framework; and Phase III will fully pilot the Framework in two of the sites identified in Phase II. Multnomah County wishes to become a seed site to receive technical assistance from a team of providers with expertise in evidence based decision making, management, and operations in all facets of the criminal justice system.

**3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).**

Commitment of part of a current employee (~0.5 FTE) to serve the function of Local Initiative Coordinator

**4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.**

N/A

**5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.**

The Local Public Safety Coordinating Council will serve as the lead applicant and will coordinate participation of partners within Multnomah County’s public safety system.

## ATTACHMENT A

### Grant Application/Notice of Intent

If the request is a Grant Application or Notice of Intent, please answer all of the following in detail:

- **Who is the granting agency?**

National Institute of Corrections and Office of Justice Programs

- **Specify grant (matching, reporting and other) requirements and goals.**

Requirements:

1. Identify a Local Initiative Coordinator (recommended 0.5FTE)
2. Convene a Policy Team
3. Develop and Work to Implement a Local System-Wide Vision of Risk/Harm Reduction
4. Build Awareness and Engagement among Policy Team Members and their Staff Regarding Evidence-Based Research and Decision Making
5. Develop Local Logic Models
6. Assess (and as needed, augment) Capacity for Data Collection and Analysis and Gather Baseline Data
7. Develop a Local Criminal Justice System “Scorecard”

Goals:

1. Establishment (or enhancement) of a true and meaningful collaborative partnership among the local criminal justice system’s stakeholders;
2. Development of a shared philosophy and vision for the local criminal justice system;
3. Enhanced capacity to collect and analyze data that will support ongoing analysis of the effectiveness of current and future policies, practices and services that contribute to risk and harm reduction;
4. Increased understanding of research-based risk and harm reduction strategies and system-wide investment and engagement by stakeholders and staff in effectively implementing these strategies;
5. Jurisdiction-specific tools designed to assist in implementation of evidence-based decision making at the system, agency, and case levels;
6. Opportunities for peer-to-peer exchanges with other seed sites; and the
7. Opportunity to be among two jurisdictions selected to participate as pilot sites in Phase III.

- **Explain grant funding detail – is this a one time only or long term commitment?**

N/A

- **What are the estimated filing timelines?**

July 15, 2010

- **If a grant, what period does the grant cover?**

October 2010 – September 2011

- **When the grant expires, what are funding plans?**

N/A

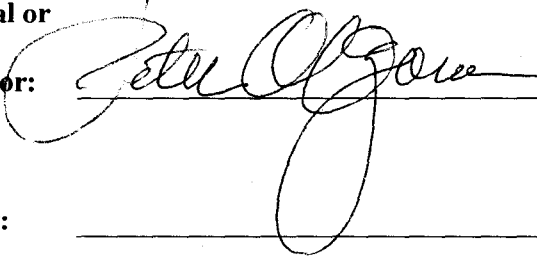
- **Is 100% of the central and departmental indirect recovered? If not, please explain why.**

No. This grant requires that participating jurisdictions allocate a portion of a current employee (~ 0.5 FTE) to serve as site coordinator.

## ATTACHMENT B

### Required Signatures

Elected Official or  
Department/  
Agency Director:



Date:

6/23/10

Budget Analyst:

Date: