



**MULTNOMAH COUNTY  
AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST  
NOTICE OF INTENT**

(revised 12/31/09)

**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  
**Phone:** 988-5777 **Ext.** 85777 **I/O Address:** 503/600  
**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.

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## ATTACHMENT B

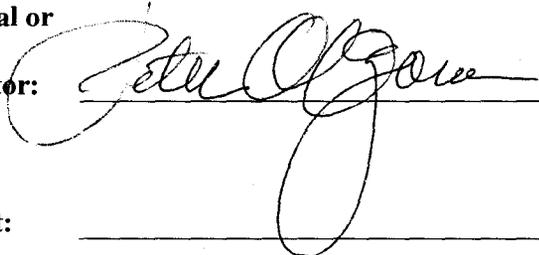
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### Required Signatures

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Elected Official or  
Department/  
Agency Director:



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Date: 6/23/10

Budget Analyst:

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_