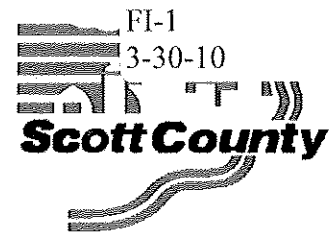


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To: Board of Supervisors

Re: 2010/2011 ODCP Grant Application

The Scott County Attorney's Office is preparing a grant to be submitted by Monday, April 5, 2010 to the Governor's Office of Drug Control Policy to continue to fund the QCMEG. The ODCP award received for FY10 was \$87,018.

The JAG grant award was cut by 67% for 08/09. The JAG award for 09/10 was \$234,683 which we will again apply for in 10/11.

If funding is not received, there is a potential for officers to be cut from the QCMEG program which would be detrimental to the drug task force and the community.

The Scott County Sheriff's Department, Davenport and Bettendorf Police Departments each has officers assigned to the QCMEG. 75% will be funded by the ODCP grant and this year we will be requesting salaries, benefits and overtime expenses. Last year funding only included salaries and some overtime, but we are hopeful that this year's grant will cover more expenses.

All agencies agree to be responsible for the 25% match required for their office plus any additional overtime not covered by the grant. Operating expenses are paid 100% by HIDE forfeiture funds prior to any distribution to agencies.

The grant request for 2009-2010 was approximated at \$262,219 federal funds, \$87,408 match support, for a total of \$349,627. We only received \$87,018 in federal funds. The 10/11 estimated figures total \$341,660. We are unsure of the amount that may be granted to us.

Again this year, the Certified Assurances pages will be printed for your initials. Thank you.

cc: Michael J. Walton
Program Director