

TECHNOLOGIES FOR PUBLIC SAFETY IN CRITICAL INCIDENT RESPONSE CONFERENCE AND EXPOSITION

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Federal Grant Update

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Bureau of Justice Assistance





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- **A component of the Office of Justice Programs(OJP) U.S. Department of Justice.**
- **Provides assistance to state, local, and tribal government criminal justice initiatives through 28 formula and discretionary grant programs.**





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Featured Resources

- **Jointly with the FBI, BJA supports the State and Local Anti-Terrorism Training (SLATT) Program**
- **Manages the Regional Information Sharing Systems (RISS) Program, the only multi-jurisdictional criminal intelligence system operated by and for state and local law enforcement agencies**



<http://www.rissinfo.com/>
<http://www.iir.com/riss>
<http://www.iir.com/slatt>





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Edward Byrne Memorial Formula Grant Program

- **FY 2004 \$474,919,602.00**
- **Distributed according to population- from \$1.9 million to over \$50 million to States and Territories**
- **Administered by Governor appointed
“State Administering Agency”**

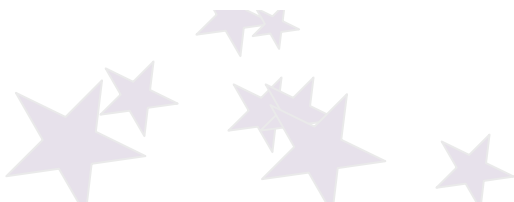




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Byrne Formula Grant

- **The Byrne Formula Grant Program was created by the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 (Public Law 100-690).**
- **# 7B- Developing and implementing anti-terrorism plans for deep draft ports, international airports and other important facilities**
- **# 26- To develop and implement antiterrorism training programs and to procure equipment for use by local law enforcement authorities**





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Byrne Formula Grant

- **The Act requires SAAs to develop a statewide strategy, and to outline the programs it will fund with the Byrne grant.**

State Administering Agencies



www.ojp.usdoj.gov/state.htm



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Local Law Enforcement Block Grant Program (LLEBG)

- **FY2004 \$115 million**
- **Formula based on Violent Part I crimes (UCR) 3-year average**
- **Distribution in proportion to crime rate within State**



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LLEBG Program

Seven Purpose Areas

- Purpose Area 1

**Law enforcement support for: hiring,
training, equipment**

- Purpose Area 2

**Enhancing security measures in and around
schools or other facilities**



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LLEBG Program

- Purpose Area 3

Establishing or supporting drug courts.

- Purpose Area 4

Enhancing the adjudication process of cases involving violent offenders



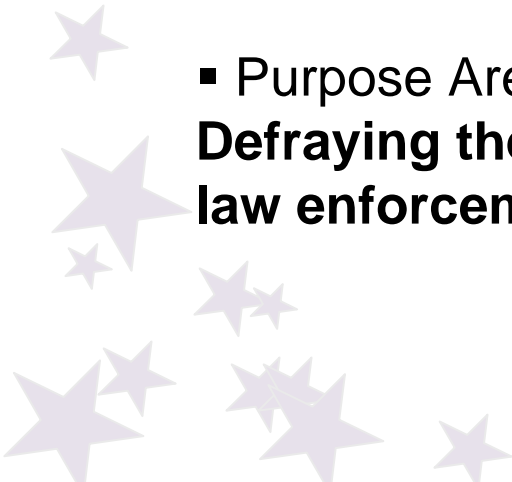
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LLEBG Program

- Purpose Area 5
Establishing a multi-jurisdictional task force

- Purpose Area 6
Establishing cooperative community crime prevention programs

- Purpose Area 7
Defraying the cost of indemnification insurance for law enforcement officers.





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LLEBG Program

- **Advisory Board.** Each jurisdiction must establish or designate an advisory board to review the application. The board must be designated to make nonbinding recommendations for the proposed use of funds received under this program.
- **CEO** determines final use of funds.

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