

Assembly Bill No. 97

CHAPTER 14

An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of Section 12 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of California, relating to the state budget, to take effect immediately, budget bill.

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5227-108-0001—For local assistance, Board of State and Community Corrections 9,215,000

Schedule:

- (1) 4945-Corrections Planning and Grant Programs 9,215,000
- (a) Grants to the City of Los Angeles (1,000,000)
- (b) Competitive grants to all other cities or to community-based organizations (8,215,000)

Provisions:

1. The Board of State and Community Corrections program awarding state grant funds from Schedules (1)(a) and (1)(b) shall be named the California Violence Intervention and Prevention Grant Program (CalVIP).
2. All CalVIP grantees shall provide a dollar-for-dollar match to state grant funds awarded from Schedules (1)(a) and (1)(b).
3. The amount appropriated in Schedule (1)(b) shall be for competitive grants to cities or community-based organizations. A grant shall not exceed \$500,000, and at least two grants shall be awarded to cities with populations of 200,000 or less.
4. In awarding CalVIP grants, the Board of State and Community Corrections shall give preference to applicants in cities or regions that are disproportionately affected by violence, and shall give preference to applicants that propose to direct CalVIP funds to programs that have been shown to be the most effective at reducing violence.
5. Each city that receives a grant from Schedule (1)(a) or (1)(b) shall distribute at least 50 percent of the grant funds it receives to one or more community-based organizations pursuant to the city's application.
6. Each city that receives a grant from Schedule (1)(b) shall collaborate and coordinate with area jurisdictions and agencies, including the existing county juvenile justice coordination council, with the goal of reducing violence in the city and adjacent areas. Each city grantee shall also establish a coordinating and advisory council to prioritize the use of the funds. Membership shall include city officials, local law enforcement, local educational agencies, local community-based organizations, and local residents.
7. Applicants for CalVIP grant funds shall include clearly defined, measurable objectives for the grant in their proposal to the Board of State and Community Corrections. CalVIP grantees shall report to the Board of State and Community Corrections regarding their progress in achieving those objectives.

8. The Board of State and Community Corrections shall report to the Legislature once per funding cycle on the overall effectiveness of the California Violence Intervention and Prevention Grant Program.