2010 EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT COUNTY OF EL DORADO, CALIFORNIA

REVIEW NARRATIVE

The El Dorado County Law and Justice Functional Group in El Dorado County is comprised of the Sheriff's Department, the District Attorney's Department, the Probation Department and the Public Defender's Department. Justice Assistance Grant opportunities are reviewed by the functional group and recommended to the Board of Supervisors by the Chief Administrative Office on behalf of the functional group.

For the 2010 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant the functional group recommended using the 2010 grant funding to continue the Outstanding Warrant & Apprehension Team (Team) which was started using JAG funding in FY 2007. Team efforts have been highly successful since the program started. Without additional funding the program could be reduced due to economic decline and department budget reductions. The FY2009 JAG funding will allow the County to continue this program as the current program level.

The Chief Administrative Office prepared and submitted for review and comment an agenda item requesting approval to apply for the grant. The agenda item was available for public review and comment beginning May 28, 2009 via the County's on-line, web based, agenda system. The request to apply for the grant was approved by the Board of Supervisors on June 9 2009.

Date available for review by Governing Body: May 10, 2010
Date available for public review and comment: May 10,2010
Date of Board Meeting: June 29, 2010