

GREAT BARRINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

Grants

Municipal Road Safety Grant

• Award: \$11,955

- -The intended use of these funds is to allow for the adaptation and enhancement of traditional traffic safety programs by addressing the expanding and evolving roles of local law enforcement departments that require a comprehensive approach to keeping roads safe. It is designed to enhance the knowledge, skills, and abilities of officers to ensure changing traffic safety trends are recognized, and new approaches are incorporated into road safety strategies.
- Grant funds will be used towards directed traffic enforcement, as well as, the training of a Accident Reconstruction specialist.

911 Support and Incentive Grant

• Requested amount: \$44,133.00

- -To defray the costs of salary for enhanced 911 telecommunicator personnel, including enhanced 911 telecommunicators who are emergency communications dispatchers or supervisors.
- -To defray costs associated with the maintenance and support technology supplies of other equipment used in the physical space used for the provision of enhanced 911 service. (Printer ink)

911 Training Grant

Amount Requested: To be determined

- -The purpose of the State 911 Department Training Grant is to reimburse primary PSAPs for allowable expenses relating to the training and certification of enhanced 911 telecommunicators, including emergency medical dispatch programs as defined by 560 CMR 5.0
- -By law, each call-taker is required to fulfill 16 hours of in-service. This grant award will go towards this training.

911 EMD Grant

Requested amount: \$840

This amount will pay for the Denise Amber Lee Foundation to conduct quality assurance reviews of a percentage of emergency medical dispatch calls in compliance with 560 CMR 5.0.

Bulletproof Vest Grant

• Award amount: \$2070.00

-This award will be used towards the cost of replacing 4 bulletproof vests that have expired.

Mass. Emergency Management Agency Grant

• Requested amount: \$2700.00

- -Provides funds to assist local governments with emergency management departments in preparing for all hazards and to obtain the resources required to support FEMA's National Preparedness Goal's Mission Areas and Core Capabilities.
- We plan to utilize the funds to purchase a back-up portable radio to be used in emergency management, as well as, a radio charging station to ensure all radios are functional in the case of such emergency.

HRSA Grant

Award: \$1 million over 3 years

'The South County Opioid Working Group announces it has brought a HRSA Rural Communities Opioid Response Program grant to South County! The three year grant funds a peer-support recovery center in South County, will expand access to services, and help to increase prevention capacity over the next three years.'

We have been part of this working group since its inception.

The GBPD will use part of this award to increase the capacity of the current co-responder program.

Dept. of Justice 'STOP' School Violence Grant

• Award: 365,828

-Grant will be utilized to train school personnel and educate students on preventing school violence against others and themselves, including anti-bullying training. This can also include specialized training for school officials to respond to mental health crises.

Dept. of Justice 'STOP' School Violence Grant

• Award: \$452,718

-Develop and implement threat assessment and intervention teams and operate technology solutions such as anonyms reporting systems for threats of school violence. Threat assessment and intervention teams much coordinate with law enforcement agencies and school personnel.