



**OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF**  
COLLIN COUNTY, TEXAS

JIM SKINNER, SHERIFF

Date: May 2, 2019  
To: Commissioners' Court  
From: Jim Skinner, Sheriff *JS*  
Re: Project Safe Neighborhoods Program

The Collin County Sheriff's Office respectfully request ratification of the Judge's prior approval to apply for a grant through the Project Safe Neighborhoods Program. The performance period for the grant is October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2020, with a grant deadline of April 24, 2019. We are requesting \$124,863 in grant funding with no county match required.

This funding will be used to purchase law enforcement equipment that would address a multitude of criminal activities such as drug trafficking, transnational gang and criminal organization activities, human trafficking, smuggling and sexual exploitation of minors. This equipment would greatly enhance the law enforcement capabilities of the CCSO, which, in turn, would enhance the protection of the citizens and constituents within Collin County and the NTFC twenty-county area of responsibility (AOR).

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