



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

JIM SKINNER, SHERIFF

Date: October 27, 2021

To: Commissioners Court

From: Jim Skinner, Sheriff

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Re: FY 2022 STEP – IMPAIRED DRIVING MOBILIZATION GRANT ACCEPTANCE

The Collin County Sheriff's Office respectfully requests approval to accept funds through the TxDOT Selective Traffic Enforcement Program – Impaired Driving Mobilization (STEP-IDM) grant. The grant amount is \$8,952.13 with an additional match requirement of \$2,331.16 for a total budget of \$11,283.29. The grant application was approved by Commissioners Court (AI50979, Court Order 2021-967-09-27) and the award period is from December 14, 2021 to September 30, 2022.

The grant budget will be used to reimburse for overtime generated by Sheriff's Office deputies while conducting DWI enforcement during peak holiday periods. One of the primary goals of the funding is to reduce the number of DWI-related crashes, injuries, and fatalities in our jurisdiction. The efforts to increase DWI arrests and related media awareness messages support the statewide "Drink. Drive. Go To Jail." and the national Impaired Driving Mobilization campaigns.

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