Letter of Support Competitive Collaborative Enhancement Grant

This letter is to acknowledge the support of Maryville Police Department, to partner with the Alcoa Police Department, Blount County Sheriff's Office, and Blount County Emergency Communications District (911) for the purpose of submitting a joint grant proposal to pursue funding made available by the Violent Crime Intervention Fund that the State of Tennessee has designated to support regional and/or multijurisdictional interventions to address violent crime.

Whereas, the mission of this collaborative partnership is to install evidence-based intervention strategies to bolster our collective investigative resources and intelligence in an effort to combat violent crime.

Whereas, Alcoa City Police, Maryville City Police, Blount County Sheriff's Office, and Blount County Emergency Communications District (911) are partnering on this venture to acquire funding through the referenced Competitive Collaborative Enhancement Grant to address violent crime conjointly. Maryville Police Department will work together to achieve their strategic objective and thereby agree to submit a joint grant proposal in pursuit of this initiative.

Tony Jay Crisp, Chief of Police Maryville Police Department

Date Signed

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