

## **SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

### **Item 21: Department of Justice Community Based Violence Prevention Program**

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To: Emergency Board Full Committee  
From: General Government Subcommittee  
Carrier: Representative Sanchez

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The General Government Subcommittee recommends that the Emergency Board allocate from the Emergency Fund, on a one-time basis, \$357,161 General Fund and authorize the establishment of three limited duration positions (1.42 FTE) for the Department of Justice - Crime Victim and Survivor Services Division and the community-based violence prevention grant program.

The Legislature in 2022 provided the Department of Justice with \$15 million Other Funds expenditure limitation, on a one-time basis, for a community-based violence prevention grant program. The revenue source is American Rescue Plan Act State Fiscal Recovery Funds transferred from the Department of Administrative Services to DOJ.

DOJ is requesting the establishment of three limited duration positions for the administration of the grant program, including establishing eligibility requirements, the review and approval of grant applications, and meeting both federal and state reporting requirements. General Fund is needed to fund the program's administrative costs.

The Subcommittee recommends approval.