

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SARPY COUNTY, NEBRASKA

AUTHORIZE CHAIR TO SIGN THE APPLICATION, CERTIFICATIONS, AND ASSURANCES ASSOCIATED WITH THE SARPY COUNTY JUVENILE JUSTICE COUNTY AID GRANT

WHEREAS, pursuant to Neb Rev Stat §23-104(6) (Reissue 2007), the County has the power to do all acts in relation to the concerns of the County necessary to the exercise of its corporate powers, and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to Neb Rev Stat §23-103 (Reissue 2007), the powers of the County as a body are exercised by the County Board, and,

WHEREAS, a Crime Commission Grant for Sarpy County juvenile programming is available to Sarpy County, and,

WHEREAS, the grant application must be submitted to the Nebraska Crime Commission along with certain certifications and assurances by February 8, 2010, and,

WHEREAS, Sarpy County is committed to and supports the grant application for Sarpy County juvenile programming, and,

WHEREAS, the Sarpy County Board of Commissioners gave permission to Carrie Davis-Sedlacek, Sarpy County Grant Coordinator, to write the County Aid grant on January 26, 2010

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the Sarpy County Board of Commissioners that the Board Chairman is hereby authorized to sign the attached application, certifications, and assurances associated with the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice County Aid grant

DATED this 2nd day of February, 2010

MOVED by Tom Richards, seconded by Rich Jensen, that the above Resolution be adopted Carried

YEAS	NAYS	ABSENT
<u>Rich Jensen</u>	<u>none</u>	<u>none</u>
<u>Tom Richards</u>	_____	_____
<u>Carrie Davis-Sedlacek</u>	_____	ABSTAIN
<u>Tatiana J. Thomas</u>	_____	<u>none</u>
_____	_____	_____

Attest

SEAL



Approved as to form

Debra L. Hansen
County Clerk

Nicole O'Kaf
County Attorney

Grant Number _____
(State Use Only)

**NEBRASKA CRIME COMMISSION
2010 STATE COUNTY AID JUVENILE JUSTICE GRANT APPLICATION**

Section 1: Applicant Information

1. Lead County: The lead county <u>must</u> be the county that will receive and disburse the grant funds	Name Sarpy County	Telephone (402)593-1565 Fax (402)593-4304
2. Federal Employer ID # of Applicant: The Federal Identification Number must be the nine digit number of the applicant	47-600-6504	The Federal Identification Number must be the nine digit number of the applicant
3. Address:	1210 Golden Gate Drive Papillion, NE 68046-2800 (Include last four digits of zip code)	
4. Project Title: Sarpy County Juvenile Services		
5. Project Director: (Receives all grant correspondence)	Name Carrie Davis-Sedlacek Title Grant Coordinator	Telephone(402) 593-1565 Fax (402) 593-4304
	Email carrie@sarpy.com	
	Address 1210 Golden Gate Drive Papillion, NE 68046-2800 (Include last four digits of zip code)	
6. Project Coordinator: (Contact Person)	Name Jean Brazda Title Executive Director, Victim Witness/Diversion	Telephone(402) 593-2323 Fax (402) 593-2212
	Email jbrazda@sarpy.com	
	Address 1257 Golden Gate Drive, Suite 11W Papillion, NE 68046-2800 (Include last four digits of zip code)	
7. Fiscal Officer: (Cannot be the Project Director)	Name Brian Hanson Title Fiscal Administrator	Telephone(402) 593-2349 Fax (402) 593-4304
	Email bhanson@sarpy.com	
	Address 1210 Golden Gate Drive Papillion, NE 68046-2800 (Include last four digits of zip code)	
8. Authorized Official: (NOTE The authorized official includes county board chair, mayor, city administrator, state agency director, chair or vice-chair of non-profit agency)	Name Joni Jones Title Chair, Board of Commissioners	Telephone (402)593+4155 Fax (402)593-4304
	Email jjones@sarpy.com	
	Address 1210 Golden Gate Drive Papillion, NE 68046-2800 (Include last four digits of zip code)	

9. Proposed Project Period: From July 1, 2010

To June 30, 2011

10. Is the proposed program a model or best-practice program? Yes No

If yes, program name and source (agency which promotes program). See application kit for more instructions.

11. Previous Crime Commission Funding for This Project:

Grant #: 09-CA-583	Amount: \$113,089	Year: 2009
Grant #: 08-CA-508	Amount: \$113,089	Year: 2008
Grant #: 07-CA-507	Amount: \$113,089	Year: 2007

12. Type of Agency:

Unit of Local Government

13. If Awarded, These Funds Will:

- Create New Service/Activity
- Enhance Existing Program
- Continue Existing Program
- Technology
- Other _____

14. Community Plan:

YES

NO

Our community has an approved current Three Year Comprehensive Juvenile Services Plan on file with the Nebraska Crime Commission (If your plan is not current please have the plan writer submit a 1 page letter on where the county is on the planning process)

List begin and end date of plan January 1, 2009 – December 31, 2011

15. Community Team Information: Provide information for the group responsible for developing the Comprehensive Juvenile Services Plan. Do not provide a list of members.

Committee Name Sarpy County SAFE Committee

Number of Members 20

Meeting Schedule (i e monthly, quarterly) Quarterly

List the agencies/groups represented on the committee Bellevue Public Schools, Papillion-La Vista Public Schools, Gretna Public Schools, South Sarpy District 46 Public Schools, Bellevue Police Department, Papillion Police Department, La Vista Police Department, Sarpy County Sheriff's Office, Sarpy County Juvenile Justice Center, Sarpy County Diversion Services, District 5 Probation, Sarpy County Juvenile Court, Sarpy County Attorney, Sarpy County Public Defender, Sarpy/Cass Department of Health and Wellness, Sarpy County Community Service, Sarpy County Board of Commissioners

Committee Chair Name Curtis Range

Address 1210 Golden Gate Drive
Papillion, NE 68046-2800

Phone Number 4020-593-4366

Email crange@sarpy.com

NEBRASKA CRIME COMMISSION

Section 2: Budget Summary

Category	Requested Amount	Match Share	Total Project Cost
A. Personnel	\$95,983	\$0	\$95,983
B Consultants/Contracts	\$7,860	\$45,236	\$53,096
C Travel	\$1,256	\$0	\$1,256
D. Supplies/ Operating Expenses	\$7,990	\$0	\$7,990
E. Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$0
F. Other Costs	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL AMOUNT	\$113,089	\$45,236	\$158,325
% Contribution	71%	29%	100%

CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify the information in this application is accurate and, as the Authorized Official for the project, hereby agree to comply with all provisions of the grant program and all other applicable state and federal laws.

Name of Authorized Official: Joni Jones
Title: Chair, Sarpy County Board of Commissioners
Address: 1210 Golden Gate Drive
City, State, Zip+4: Papillion, NE 68046-2800
Telephone: 402-593-4155
Signature: 
Date: February 2, 2010

(NOTE The authorized official must be the county board chair. If more than one county is participating in the grant application than the lead county board chairs signature is required)

Category A – Personnel

Position	Annual Salary	% Time Devoted	Amount Requested	Match	Subtotal	Requested Fringe	Match Fringe	TOTAL COSTS
Drug Court Liaison – Sr. JSO	\$44,383	100%	\$38,517	\$0	\$38,517	\$16,894	\$0	\$55,411
Juvenile Services Officer	\$34,529	100%	\$29,966	\$0	\$29,966	\$10,606	\$0	\$40,572
Total Personnel Budget			Amount Requested	Match	Subtotal	Fringe Requested	Fringe Match	TOTAL COSTS
			\$68,483	\$0	\$68,483	\$27,500	\$0	\$95,983

CATEGORY A – PERSONNEL NARRATIVE:

1 Full Time Sr. JSO (Drug Court Liaison):

Base Salary (2,080 hours @ \$20 61/hour)	42,883 00
Overtime	750 00
Holiday Overtime	<u>750 00</u>
Total Salary:	\$44,383.00

Fringe Benefits:

Health Insurance	11,612 00
Long Term Disability	219 00
Life & Accidental Death	59.00
Social Security	3,281.00
Retirement Contributions	2,895.00
Dental Insurance	741 00
Uniform Allowance	<u>660 00</u>
Total Fringe:	\$19,467.00

TOTAL SENIOR JUVENILE SERVICES OFFICER COST: \$63,850.00

1 Full Time Juvenile Services Officer:

Base Salary (2,080 hours @ \$15.879/hour)	33,029 00
Overtime	750 00
Holiday Overtime	<u>750 00</u>
Total Salary:	\$34,529.00

Fringe Benefits:

Health Insurance	5,836.00
Long Term Disability	168.00
Life & Accidental Death	59.00
Social Security	2,527.00
Retirement Contributions	2,229 00
Dental Insurance	741.00
Uniform Allowance	<u>660 00</u>
Total Fringe:	\$12,222.00

TOTAL JUVENILE SERVICES OFFICER COST: \$46,750.00

GRAND PERSONNEL TOTAL: \$110,600.00

This is a request for an existing Full Time Senior Juvenile Services Officer (SJSO) who acts in a supervisory position as a Drug Court Liaison as well as juveniles placed in the Staff Secure Juvenile Justice Center or on the CARE Program (Electronic Monitoring). The Sr. JSO Drug Court Liaison attends all Drug Court hearings as well as participates in the weekly planning meetings for the juveniles placed on the program. In addition to this, the Sr JSO supervises the CARE Staff who conduct daily checks on the juveniles placed on the CARE Program and assists in the random Drug Testing of the clients.

The full time Juvenile Services Officer will provide assistance and supervision of juveniles placed in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice Center, CARE Program and on the Drug Court Program

The program is requesting 86.78% of the salary and fringe for these positions. The remaining \$14,617 (13.22%) of the salary and fringe for these positions will be drawn from the Sarpy County General Fund but will not be used as match.

The total request for personnel is \$95,983.

CATEGORY B – CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS:

1. PURPOSE: Secured Juvenile Detention					
2. TYPE OF CONSULTANT:				<input type="checkbox"/> Individual	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization
3. CONSULTANT FEES:					
	Rate	# Hours	Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost
Preparation Fees			\$	\$	\$
Presentation Fees			\$	\$	\$
Travel Time Fees			\$	\$	\$
Total			\$	\$	\$
4. TRAVEL EXPENSES:					
a. Mileage					
Total Miles		X .50	\$	\$	\$
b. Air Fare					
From		to	\$	\$	\$
From		to	\$	\$	\$
c. Meals					
# of days		X\$	\$	\$	\$
# of days		X\$	\$	\$	\$
d. Lodging					
# of nights		X\$	\$	\$	\$
# of nights		X\$	\$	\$	\$
e. Other Costs (Must Also Be Explained in Budget Narrative)					
Youth Detention			\$	\$45,236	\$45,236
			\$	\$	\$
			\$	\$	\$
5. TOTAL COST:			\$	\$45,236	\$45,236

CATEGORY B – CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS NARRATIVE:

This contract includes expenses involved in detaining Sarpy County youth who are inappropriate for detention at the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice Center. Various secure juvenile detention facilities in the area will be used. This contract will be funded with match dollars that will be taken from the Sarpy County General Fund.

Total amount of match for this contract: \$45,236.

CATEGORY B – CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS:

1. PURPOSE: Victim Impact Panel

Individual **Organization**

2. TYPE OF CONSULTANT:

3. CONSULTANT FEES:

	Rate	# Hours	Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost
Preparation Fees			\$	\$	\$
Presentation Fees	\$40		\$240	\$0	\$240
Travel Time Fees			\$	\$	\$
Total	\$40		\$240	\$0	\$240

4. TRAVEL EXPENSES:

a. Mileage

Total Miles		X .50	\$	\$	\$
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b. Air Fare

From		to		\$	\$	\$
From		to		\$	\$	\$

c. Meals

# of days		X\$		\$	\$	\$
# of days		X\$		\$	\$	\$

d. Lodging

# of nights		X\$		\$	\$	\$
# of nights		X\$		\$	\$	\$

e. Other Costs (Must Also Be Explained in Budget Narrative)

	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$

5. TOTAL COST:

			\$240	\$0	\$240
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CATEGORY B - CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS NARRATIVE:

Sarpy County Diversion Services will contract with community speakers to present at three Victim Impact Panel (VIP) presentations. The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake/Teen Court VIP is a forum of 2 to 3 speakers whose lives have been affected negatively by alcohol or drugs. The panel of speakers consists of people who have lost a family member by a driver under the influence of drugs or alcohol or they themselves have injured or killed someone while they were driving under the influence. This is an emotional and important part of the Diversion program as many involved in Diversion don't think about the ultimate consequence that could happen when they are driving under the influence.

The Victim Impact Panel is held six times a year and will serve approximately 40 to 50 youth age 16-18 per panel. Many of the youth in attendance are in Diversion for an alcohol or drug related offense or have a history of alcohol/drug use. Attendance to VIP reinforces the message that underage drinking and/or driving under the influence will not be tolerated and the consequences can be deadly.

Stipends for community presenters: $\$40/\text{speaker} \times 2 = \$80 \times 3 \text{ panels} = \240

The total request for this contract is \$240.

CATEGORY B – CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS:

1. PURPOSE: Young Men's Work Class

Individual **Organization**

2. TYPE OF CONSULTANT:

3. CONSULTANT FEES:

	Rate	# Hours	Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost
Preparation Fees			\$	\$	\$
Presentation Fees	\$40	96	\$3,840	\$0	\$3,840
Travel Time Fees			\$	\$	\$
Total	\$40		\$3,840	\$0	\$3,840

4. TRAVEL EXPENSES:

a. Mileage

Total Miles		X 50	\$	\$	\$
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b. Air Fare

From		to		\$	\$	\$
From		to		\$	\$	\$

c. Meals

# of days		X\$		\$	\$	\$
# of days		X\$		\$	\$	\$

d. Lodging

# of nights		X\$		\$	\$	\$
# of nights		X\$		\$	\$	\$

e. Other Costs (Must Also Be Explained in Budget Narrative)

	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$

5. TOTAL COST:

		\$3,840	\$0	\$3,840
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CATEGORY B - CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS:

The purpose of this contract is to hire a facilitator for the Young Men’s Work class. This class is designed to assist young men ages 14-19 who are working to solve problems without resorting to violence.

Part I will cover session 1-10 on the following topics:

Power & Violence	Who Am I
Act Like a Man	Women
Being Hurt By Violence	Allies to Women
Bullies	Becoming Allies
Out of the Box	Between Men

Part II will cover session 11-26 on the following topics:

Reintroduction	Drugs
The Big Boxes	Taking Care of Myself
Getting By. Men, Class, & Money	Relationships With Men
Men, Race, & Culture	Creating Relationships 1-3
Losses	Creating Family
My Future	Starting Where You Are
Saying Good-Bye	What’s Next

This class will serve 8-10 youth per session and will be held six times during the fiscal year. This class will use \$3,840 of the requested funding to contract with a facilitator.

Facilitator: 6 sessions X 4 classes per session = 24 classes X 4 hours per class = 96 hours X \$40 per hour = \$3,840

The total request for this contract is \$3,840.

CATEGORY B – CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS:

1. PURPOSE: Class Action Education Class

Individual **Organization**

2. TYPE OF CONSULTANT:

3. CONSULTANT FEES:

	Rate	# Hours	Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost
Preparation Fees			\$	\$	\$
Presentation Fees	\$40	42	\$1,680	\$0	\$1,680
Travel Time Fees			\$	\$	\$
Total	\$40	42	\$1,680	\$0	\$1,680

4. TRAVEL EXPENSES:

a. Mileage

Total Miles		X .50	\$	\$	\$
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b. Air Fare

From		to		\$	\$	\$
From		to		\$	\$	\$

c. Meals

# of days		X\$		\$	\$	\$
# of days		X\$		\$	\$	\$

d. Lodging

# of nights		X\$		\$	\$	\$
# of nights		X\$		\$	\$	\$

e. Other Costs (Must Also Be Explained in Budget Narrative)

	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$

5. TOTAL COST:

		\$1,680	\$0	\$1,680
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CATEGORY B - CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS:

The purpose of this contract is to hire a facilitator to provide the Class Action Education Class. This educational experience gives youth an opportunity to explore their decision making processes. Youth will participate in a court room setting with a jury of their peers while they debate topics such as "Drinking and Driving", "Drinking and Violence", "Date Rape", "Drinking and Vandalism", and "School Alcohol Policies". This class will enhance the current 12 drug/alcohol classes and will assist youth in making personal commitments in these areas. Each class will serve 10-15 youth.

Facilitator: 6 sessions X 7 hours per session = 42 hours X \$40 per hour = \$3,360

The Class Action Education Class will use \$1,680 of the requested funding for a contract with a facilitator.

The total request for this contract is \$1,680.

CATEGORY B – CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS:

1. PURPOSE: Bereavement Group Facilitator

Individual **Organization**

2. TYPE OF CONSULTANT:

3. CONSULTANT FEES:

	Rate	# Hours	Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost
Preparation Fees			\$	\$	\$
Presentation Fees	\$150	Per Session	\$300	\$0	\$300
Travel Time Fees			\$	\$	\$
Total	\$150		\$300	\$0	\$300

4. TRAVEL EXPENSES:

a. Mileage

Total Miles		X .50	\$	\$	\$
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b. Air Fare

From		to		\$	\$	\$
From		to		\$	\$	\$

c. Meals

# of days		X\$		\$	\$	\$
# of days		X\$		\$	\$	\$

d. Lodging

# of nights		X\$		\$	\$	\$
# of nights		X\$		\$	\$	\$

e. Other Costs (Must Also Be Explained in Budget Narrative)

	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$

5. TOTAL COST:

		\$300	\$0	\$300
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CATEGORY B - CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS:

Sarpy County will contract with Ted E Bear Hallow to assist with the first two Bereavement Group sessions and to provide technical assistance

The Bereavement Group will provide a comprehensive adolescent grief and loss curriculum for adolescents who have experienced a loss. Losses often include family divorce, abandonment, death, sexual abuse, physical abuse and pregnancy loss. In an effort to deal with these losses “Growing Through Loss” is a 12 session curriculum which combines grief education, life skills, anger management & character education and leadership training.

Facilitator: 2 sessions X \$150 per session = \$300.

The Bereavement Group will use \$300 of the requested funding for a contract with a facilitator

The total request for this contract is \$300.

CATEGORY B - CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS

1. PURPOSE: A World of Difference Class						
2. TYPE OF CONSULTANT		<input type="checkbox"/> Individual			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization	
3. CONSULTANT FEES						
	Rate	# Hours	Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost	
a. Preparation Fees						
b. Presentation Fees	\$600	Per Class	\$1,800	\$0	\$1,800	
c. Travel Time Fees			\$	\$	\$	
d. Total			\$1,800	\$0	\$1,800	
4. TRAVEL EXPENSES:						
a. Mileage						
Total Miles		X 50.5	\$	\$	\$	
b. Air Fare						
From		to		\$	\$	\$
From		to		\$	\$	\$
c. Meals						
# of days		X \$		\$	\$	\$
# of days		X \$		\$	\$	\$
d. Lodging						
# of nights		X \$		\$	\$	\$
# of nights		X \$		\$	\$	\$
e. Other Costs (Must Also Be Explained in Budget Narrative						
Educational Supplies		\$	\$	\$	\$	
		\$	\$	\$	\$	
		\$	\$	\$	\$	
5. TOTAL COST:			\$1,800	\$0	\$1,800	

CATEGORY B - CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTS

The Sarpy County Juvenile Reporting Center will contract with the Plains States Region of the Anti-Defamation League to provide the youth in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice System with a cultural sensitivity class called, "Sarpy County a World of Difference Program" This Program will assist youth in developing tolerance and understanding of diversity in daily life. The goal of the Program is to treat bias and bigotry with education, to build communication skills and positive self-esteem. The Program holds participants responsible for their actions and helps reshape their attitudes and behaviors, it is the hope that learned prejudice can be interrupted and unlearned so that youth can become change agents to stop racism, bias, and bigotry. The Program first explores the participants' own experiences as victims of prejudice and then builds skills for listening, hearing differing perspectives, and confronting bias. Youth learn about difference in this non-judgmental atmosphere that encourages candid questions and fosters the free expression of opinions.

This program will help deter and counteract hate-motivated criminal activity, allowing youth to better understand the pluralism of our society. This World of Difference class is the designated program used by the Anti-Defamation League and is used throughout the United States with youth, teachers, administrators, and community members.

The class will be offered three times throughout the project period and will be taught by two facilitators.

Facilitators: 2 per class X \$300 each X 3 classes = \$1,800.

The request for this contract is \$1,800.

CATEGORY C – TRAVEL EXPENSES:

1. Travel Purpose: Bereavement Group Facilitation Training

2. Type of Travel Local In-State Out-Of-State

3. Position (s) which will be traveling for this purpose:

Two Juvenile Diversion Officers

4. Cost Breakdown:

			Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost
a. Mileage					
Total Miles		X .50	\$	\$	\$
b. Air Fare					
From		to	\$	\$	\$
From		to	\$	\$	\$
c. Meals					
# of days		X \$	\$	\$	\$
# of days		X \$	\$	\$	\$
d. Lodging					
# of nights		X \$	\$	\$	\$
# of nights		X \$	\$	\$	\$
e. Other Costs (Must Also be Explained in Budget Narrative)					
Registration for 2 staff @ \$250 each	\$500	\$500	\$0	\$500	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	
5. TOTAL COST FOR THIS PURPOSE:			\$500	\$0	\$500

CATEGORY C - TRAVEL EXPENSES NARRATIVE:

Funds requested under the Travel Expenses Category will be used to send two Diversion Officers to the “Growing Through Loss” bereavement group training. The group will be offered by Diversion to juveniles in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice System to help them cope with loss and grief. The “Growing Through Loss” is a 12 session curriculum which combines grief education, life skills, anger management & character education and leadership training.

- Registration for the “Growing Through Loss” curriculum training for 2 staff @\$250/staff **\$500**

The request for local travel to the “Growing Through Loss” bereavement group training is \$500.

CATEGORY C – TRAVEL EXPENSES:

. Travel Purpose: National Juvenile Justice Association Conference

. Type of Travel Local In-State Out-Of-State

. Position (s) which will be traveling for this purpose:

Two Juvenile Diversion Officers

. Cost Breakdown:

	Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost
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. Mileage

Total Miles		X 50	\$	\$	\$
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. Air Fare

From		to		\$	\$	\$
From		to		\$	\$	\$

. Meals

of days	3	X \$46	\$138	\$138	\$0	\$138
of days	3	X \$46	\$138	\$138	\$0	\$138

. Lodging

of nights	2	X \$70	\$140	\$140	\$0	\$140
of nights	2	X \$70	\$140	\$140	\$0	\$140

. Other Costs (Must Also be Explained in Budget Narrative)

Registration for 2 staff	\$200	\$200	\$0	\$200
	\$	\$	\$	\$
	\$	\$	\$	\$

5. TOTAL COST FOR THIS PURPOSE:

	\$756	\$0	\$756
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CATEGORY C – TRAVEL EXPENSES NARRATIVE:

Funds requested under the Travel Expenses Category will be used to send two Diversion Officers to the Nebraska Juvenile Justice Association (NJJA) Spring Conference in Grand Island, Nebraska

- Registration for NJJA for 2 staff @\$100/staff **\$200**
- Hotel for 2 staff @\$70/night for 2 nights **\$280**
- Meals for 2 staff @\$46/day for 3 days **\$276**
- **The total request for travel to the NJJA Conference is** **\$756**

The request for travel to the NJJA Spring Conference is \$756.

CATEGORY D – SUPPLIES AND OPERATING EXPENSES:

I. SUPPLIES:

Item	Quantity	Unit Price	Amount Requested	Applicant's Match	Total Cost
Educational Videos			\$300	\$0	\$300
Young Women's Lives Class Supplies			\$235	\$0	\$235
Young Men's Class Supplies			\$246	\$0	\$246
Shoplifting Education Class Supplies			\$238	\$0	\$238
Bereavement Group Facilitator Manuals	2	\$50	\$100	\$0	\$100
Bereavement Group student workbooks	122	\$13.50	\$1,647	\$0	\$1,647
Drug Tests	2,612	\$2.00	\$5,224	\$0	\$5,224
SUPPLIES SUBTOTAL			\$7,990	\$0	\$7,990

2. OPERATING EXPENSES – (Note Special Instructions):

OPERATING EXPENSES SUBTOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL SUPPLY COST	\$7,988	\$0	\$7,988

CATEGORY D - SUPPLIES AND OPERATING EXPENSES NARRATIVE:

Educational Videos:

The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake program will use \$500 of the requested funding to purchase Educational Videos to be used during their classes

The Young Women’s Lives/FACE Class

This four week class is designed to assist young women ages 14-18 in learning decision making, conflict resolution, goal setting, and other life skills. Each class will serve 6-10 youth and will be held six times during the fiscal year.

Discussions revolve around who they are as females, Society’s view on females, self esteem, communication, and futures. Session one covers who they are, gender stereotypes, and the relationship between advertising and stereotypes. In session two the young women discuss self destructive behaviors, self esteem, and their personal struggles. In session three the focus is on appropriate communication styles, barriers to communication, responsibility, and resolving conflict. In the final session the participants discuss their plans for the future, talk about realistic goals, steps to set goals, and their plans.

Supplies for this class include age appropriate videos relating to all the discussion topics. Workbooks for each of the videos will enhance the discussion process and assist the young women in retaining the information they learn.

The Young Women’s Lives/FACE Class will use \$235 of the requested funding to purchase supplies.

Young Men’s Work Class

This fifteen hour class is designed to assist young men ages 14-19 who are working to solve problems without resorting to violence

Part I will cover session 1-10 on the following topics.

Power & Violence	Who Am I
Act Like a Man	Women
Being Hurt By Violence	Allies to Women
Bullies	Becoming Allies
Out of the Box	Between Men

Part II will cover session 11-26 on the following topics:

Reintroduction	Drugs
The Big Boxes	Taking Care of Myself
Getting By: Men, Class, & Money	Relationships With Men

Men, Race, & Culture	Creating Relationships 1-3
Losses	Creating Family
My Future	Starting Where You Are
Saying Good-Bye	What's Next

This class will serve 8-10 youth per session and will be held four times during the fiscal year

The Young Men's Work Class will use \$246 of the requested funding to purchase supplies

Shoplifting Education Class

The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake program will provide Shoplifting Education Classes for youth offenders participating in the Sarpy County juvenile justice system. This class will use \$238 of the requested funding for class supplies.

Bereavement Group

The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake program will provide a Bereavement Group for juveniles in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice System. This group will use \$100 of the requested funding to purchase two facilitator manuals at \$50 each. In addition, the program will purchase 122 student workbooks at \$13.50 each for a total of \$1,647.

Drug Testing

The Sarpy County Juvenile Drug Treatment Court provides drug testing to all youth involved in the program. Funds requested in this proposal will be used to purchase 2,612 four-panel drug tests at \$2.00 per test for a total cost of \$5,224.

The total request for supplies is \$7,990.

Section 3: Community Description

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Gender, Race & Ethnicity	Total Population of Grant Area		Total Juvenile Population of Grant Area	
	Number	% of total #	Number	% of total #
Male	60,919	49.7%	19,928	51%
Female	61,676	50.3%	19,166	49%
White	109,335	89.2%	35,700	91%
Black	5,340	4.4%	2,224	6%
American Indian and Alaska Native	515	0.4%	190	0.5%
Asian	2,331	1.9%	980	3%
Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander	108	0.1%	NA*	NA*
Other	2,275	1.9%	NA*	NA*
Total	122,595	100%	39,094	100%
Hispanic or Latino	5,358	4.4%	2,821	7%
Not Hispanic or Latino	117,237	95.6%	36,273	93%
Total	122,595	100%	39,094	100%

Cities, Counties, Towns included above: Sarpy County

Source of data: U.S. Census website & OJJDP website

*This data was not available (NA) from the U.S. Census website or the OJJDP website for the most recent year

B. Sarpy County is a unique county where Nebraska's origins began. Located in the southeast area of Nebraska, Sarpy County is directly adjacent to the greater Omaha metropolitan area to the north. Sarpy County is composed of a rural population in the Gretna and Springfield area to the west, Offutt Air Force Base to the southeast, the cities of Papillion and LaVista in the center, and the rapidly growing city of Bellevue to the east.

C. Although Sarpy County is an affluent county compared to others in Nebraska, there are a substantial number of youth experiencing risk factors for delinquency. These factors include, but are not limited to, poverty, mental illness, alcohol/substance abuse, school truancy/dropout, family/living instability, child abuse and neglect, family conflict, and learning disorders. The Sarpy County SAFE Committee has identified the need for local community based services for youth and their families as one of the biggest risk factors facing Sarpy County residents. The increase in the juvenile population of Sarpy County, combined with unlimited and unstructured time after school, on weekends, and in the summer, has factored into the increase of crime in the County. The results of youth participating in risky behavior such as substance abuse, gang activity, assaults, and other criminal mischief has also contributed to youth involvement in the juvenile justice system.

The Sarpy County SAFE Committee has determined there is a substantial lack of mental health services for both adults and juveniles in the community. Many of the youth entering the juvenile justice system have mental health treatment needs. Screening and assessment of mental health is critical to identifying service needs.

Additionally, in a recent study of juvenile offenders in Nebraska the impact of truancy in particular became very clear. The study showed that 84% of juvenile offenders did not attend school, or had severe problems attending school.

D. During adolescence, the need to belong, have a place that is valued, and be bonded to others intensifies. Youth who are not bonded to conventional community institutions such as school, work, religious, and recreational organizations are much more likely to engage in criminal behavior.

Using the balanced mission and restorative justice framework, Sarpy County juvenile justice agencies are working to interrupt the cycle of isolation and disconnectedness among community members, youth, and their parents while holding youth offenders accountable for their crimes and building trust within their communities.

Civic organizations and faith based communities in Sarpy County are working to provide a strong sense of community and support system through structured learning for youth and families

Today portions of Sarpy County youth are educational underachievers who are skeptical about their ability to enter the American mainstream. Civic organizations, clubs (i.e. 4-H, Boy and Girl Scouts, etc.), faith based communities, and other youth serving organizations (GREAT, DARE, and School Resource Officers) are working to build the skills necessary for youth to meet the requirements and responsibilities needed to find success in their families, workplaces, and communities.

The SAFE Committee and Sarpy County Officials are committed to providing prevention and early intervention services to assist youth in avoiding delinquent and criminal behavior and to facilitate full and just participation of young people in society. Sarpy County collaborates with other juvenile justice agencies within the area through their participation on the SAFE Committee and Underage Drinking Task Force. Staff of Sarpy County Juvenile Justice agencies also attend other community meetings to address issues related to juvenile delinquency and restorative justice. Additionally, Sarpy County Juvenile Justice agencies are committed to collaborating with each other to provide the necessary and appropriate care for the youth who receive their services

Section 4: Problem Statement

A1 The Problem to be addressed by this application is youth in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice System will not be adequately served without varying levels of care on the continuum of care.

A2. Sarpy County is the fastest growing county in Nebraska. Approximately one-third of the total population in the County is made up of juveniles between the ages of 0-17. The juvenile population in Sarpy County is projected to grow by 2% per year through 2020. This rapid increase in population has placed a strain on the current juvenile justice system's ability to keep up with the demand for services and to provide the necessary services youth need.

An increase in the juvenile population of Sarpy County, combined with unlimited and unstructured time after school, on weekends, and in the summer, has factored into the increase of crime in the County. The results of youth participating in risky behavior such as substance abuse, gang activity, assaults, and other criminal mischief has also contributed to youth involvement in the juvenile justice system.

By the time a youth is sent to detention, he or she has usually committed multiple law offenses. Initial encounters with law enforcement often begin with status offenses such as running away, truancy, or minor in possession of alcohol, tobacco or other drugs, and escalate to violations that are more serious.

The types of crimes committed by juveniles in Sarpy County are changing and so must the juvenile justice system. In the past year alone the Juvenile Court has heard a 1st degree sexual assault, multiple cases involving 3rd degree sexual assault, 3rd degree assault, terroristic threats, 3rd degree arson, use of a weapon and cases involving felony burglary.

Research continues to show that children who are victims of violent crimes or witness violence in their homes are more likely to become involved in the juvenile/criminal justice system at some point in their lives. In addition to the changes in the types of cases in the juvenile court system, the adult criminal system has experienced changes in the number of families that are being served as well. From 2006 to 2008 there was a 60% increase in the number of child sexual abuse cases the Sarpy County Victim Witness Unit assisted with. There was also a 27% increase from 2006 to 2008 in the number of children (ages 0-17) the Unit served. The Unit provided 452 people with protection order information and assistance.

There has been a continuous population of juvenile offenders charged with drug and alcohol violations within the county, which significantly influences juvenile crime. Between July 1, 2009 and December 31, 2009 (1,261) were referred to the Juvenile Diversion Program. A total of 833 (66%) were referred for minor in possession of alcohol, 24% (298) for possession of marijuana, and 108 (8%) for paraphernalia. From July 1, 2009 to December 31, 2009 a total of 22 youth referred to the Diversion Program had received citations for driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

From January 1, 2009 until December 31, 2009 a total of 557 youth participating in the Juvenile Diversion Program were tested for alcohol and illegal drugs. Of those participating in Random

Drug/Alcohol Testing 90% (504) passed their tests and was able to remain abstinent from the use of drugs and alcohol. A total of 12% (65) failed their tests and were subsequently sent to substance abuse treatment or were referred to the Sarpy County Attorney's Office for court action

Based on offender profile information and services needs, the continuum of juvenile justice services and sanctions should be expanded to deal more effectively with youth in the juvenile justice system

A3.

	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	% Of Change from 2006 to 2008
Total juvenile population between the ages of 0-18 in Sarpy County	39,094	39,094	39,094	39,094	0%
Total population of Juvenile offenders involved in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice System	2,314	2,304	2,016	1,202	-15%
Number of juveniles referred to Diversion	692	617	614	256	-13%
Number of juveniles referred for assessment	119	119	163	36	+27%
Number of juveniles completing the assessment process	119	207	162	36	+27%
Number of juveniles entering Diversion	542	483	411	175	-32%
Number of juveniles successfully completing Diversion	329	353	383	151	+14%
Number of juveniles unsuccessfully completing Diversion	274	287	346	121	+21%
Number of juveniles detained at the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice Center (JJC)	490	806	899	973	+49%
Total number of days served by youth at the JJC	6,202	6,260	8,696	7,687	+29%
Number of juveniles involved in the CARE program	263	269	366	322	+28%

*Source of data State Probation Office, Lincoln, NE.; Sarpy County JAMIN database system, Papillion, NE.; LB640 Annual Report statistics; OJJDP Website Statistics State and County Quick Facts

The reported statistics reflect activity on a fiscal year basis; therefore FY 2009 statistics reflect activity from July 1, 2009 through December 31, 2009. Furthermore, percent of change is shown from 2006-2008 due to the incomplete statistics for FY 2009. Brief explanation of statistics provided:

- Sarpy County experienced a 15% (2,008 to 2,355) decrease in the number of juvenile offenders involved in the Juvenile Justice System from 2006 to 2008; however data from the July 1, 2009 – December 31, 2009 suggests the numbers are on the rise.
- The Juvenile Intake Diversion Program experienced a 13% (692 to 614) decrease in the number of juveniles referred to Diversion from 2006-2008.
- From 2006 to 2008 the Juvenile Intake Diversion Program experienced a 14% (329 to 383) increase in the number of juveniles successfully completing Diversion
- From 2006 to 2008 the Pretrial Juvenile Assessment Center experienced a 27% (119 to 163) increase in the number of juveniles referred for assessment.
- From 2006 to 2008 the Pretrial Juvenile Assessment Center experienced a 27% (119 to 162) increase in the number of juveniles completing the assessment process.
- The CARE program experienced a 28% (263-366) increase in the number of juveniles served by the program from 2006-2008.
- The Sarpy County Juvenile Justice Center (JJC) has experienced a 49% (490-899) increase in the number of juveniles detained at the JJC.
- The average length of stay for youth detained at the JJC has increased due to a decrease in the number of youth sent to the Douglas County Youth Center. Also changes in the Department of Health and Human Services at the state level have had a significant impact on the average length of stay at the JJC for youth awaiting court ordered evaluations

A4. The purpose of the Sarpy County Comprehensive Plan is to reduce juvenile delinquency, and enhance public safety by (1) identifying the risk factors related to delinquency and abuse/neglect, (2) developing appropriate prevention and intervention programs for delinquency and abuse/neglect, and (3) fostering system communication and cooperation across agencies and with the public to strengthen system effectiveness. The Comprehensive Plan illustrates Sarpy County's commitment to providing varying levels of care to juveniles in Sarpy County. Without a variety of options available to service providers too many juveniles would end up in detention facilities without the intervention services they desperately need.

Funds from this grant will support different facets of the 2009-2011 Sarpy County Comprehensive Juvenile Services Plan. Sarpy County is dedicated to creating a balanced and restorative approach to juvenile justice by maintaining and initiating programs that allow juvenile justice systems and agencies to improve their capacity to protect the community and ensure accountability of youth offenders. It is an established priority of Sarpy County to continue existing programs. It is imperative that current programming be maintained to ensure proper service provision to Sarpy County youth and their families.

Priority two of the current Comprehensive Plan discusses strategies for enhancing existing programs and services to juvenile offenders. As part of this priority, Sarpy County will focus on the continuation of existing programs as well as enhancement. Funding from this grant will support the continuation and enhancement of the Sarpy County Juvenile Drug Treatment Court, the Sarpy County Juvenile Reporting Center, and Diversion youth programming. These programs include the Young Women's Lives/FACE class, the Young Men's Work class, the Victim Impact Panel, the Shoplifting Education Class, the Growing Through Loss bereavement group, and the Class Action Education class.

Section 5: Program Description

Sarpy County Juvenile Drug Treatment Court (DTC) Program:

The Full Time Senior Juvenile Services Officer (SJSO) acts in a supervisory position as a Drug Court Liaison as well as juveniles placed in the Staff Secure Juvenile Justice Center or on the CARE Program (Electronic Monitoring). The Sr. JSO Drug Court Liaison attends all Drug Court hearings as well as participates in the weekly planning meetings for the juveniles placed on the program. In addition to this, the Sr. JSO supervises the CARE Staff who conduct daily checks on the juveniles placed on the CARE Program and assists in the random Drug Testing of the clients.

The full time Juvenile Services Officer will provide assistance and supervision of juveniles placed in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice Center, CARE Program and on the Drug Court Program.

Youth enter the program through the adjudication process. Once a youth has been charged with an offense the process begins. All youth receive an assessment following their first appearance in court. The assessment tool identifies youth who are using alcohol and other drugs. A pre-disposition investigation (PDI) is completed and youth are screened for the DTC program using a point system. If the youth's score indicates he/she is eligible to participate in Drug Court, a recommendation is made by the Senior Probation Officer completing the PDI. The Judge and the Drug Court Coordinator determine if the youth will be admitted to the program. If accepted, the Judge, the youth, and their parents sign a contract.

While in this program, all youth receive treatment provided by outside agencies selected by the Court. The youth are also required to attend a minimum of two support groups a week as well as obtain and maintain a sponsor. In addition, they are required to submit to random drug testing on demand. Parents are required to attend all court hearings, family group meetings, and to interact with family support workers. The program length varies from nine months to sixteen months depending on the progress of the juvenile. Youth must have a working relationship with a sponsor and be sober and clean for a minimum of six months. They also must complete a Moral Reconciliation Therapy course to complete the program. Youth exit the program either by successfully graduating or unsuccessful dismissal from Drug Court.

A full time Juvenile Services Officer serves as a Drug Court Liaison. The Drug Court Liaison assists the Drug Court in the supervision of juveniles placed in the DTC program. The Drug Court Liaison also assists in the supervision of juveniles placed in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice Center while appropriate placement and treatment is provided. The Drug Court Liaison assists other DTC staff in providing life skills education classes and special projects for youth to enhance the vital skills they need to become productive citizens in their homes, school, and communities. In addition, a full time Juvenile Services Officer will provide assistance and supervision of juveniles placed in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice Center.

Youth enter the Juvenile Justice Center when apprehended by law enforcement agencies in Sarpy County. A Probation Officer is contacted and a decision on detention is made. The length of

stay varies for each youth dependent upon when a formal detention hearing is held. Youth also are sent to the Juvenile Justice Center for violation of a Probation order or as a sanction of the Juvenile Drug Court. While housed at the Juvenile Justice Center, youth participate in a variety of activities including school, physical fitness, and assessment services. A youth may exit the Center at their detention hearing by serving the length of stay ordered by the Drug Court or Separate Juvenile Court.

County Aid funds a portion of the salaries and benefits for two Juvenile Services Officers who work with the Juvenile Drug Treatment Court. These positions have been previously funded through County Aid for the past seven years.

Victim Impact Panel:

Sarpy County Diversion Services will contract with community speakers to present Victim Impact Panel (VIP) presentations. The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake/Teen Court VIP is a forum of 2 to 3 speakers whose lives have been affected negatively by alcohol or drugs. The panel of speakers consists of people who have lost a family member by a driver under the influence of drugs or alcohol or they themselves have injured or killed someone while they were driving under the influence. This is an emotional and important part of our program as many involved in our program don't think about the ultimate consequence that could happen when they are driving under the influence.

The Victim Impact Panel will serve approximately 40 to 50 youth age 16-18 per panel. Many of the youth in attendance are in Diversion for an alcohol or drug related offense or have a history of alcohol/drug use. Attendance to VIP reinforces the message that underage drinking and/or driving under the influence will not be tolerated and the consequences can be deadly.

Youth enter the program by referral from their Diversion Officer. To successfully complete their Diversion contract, youth are required to complete specific classes depending on their individual needs. At each class, the facilitator signs in each client to ensure attendance. The youth exits the program by successfully completing their Diversion contract. Facilitators of each program give the youth a signed Certificate of Completion that they give to their Diversion Officer to verify successful participation and completion. The Certificate is copied and placed into their file.

The Victim Impact Panel has been funded by County Aid for three years.

Staff Training:

The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake Diversion Program will send two staff members to the National Juvenile Justice Association Spring Conference in Grand Island, Nebraska. Training for juvenile justice professionals will be provided in the areas of drug treatment options, alternatives to detention, restorative justice, and other related programming.

The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake Diversion program will send two staff members to the Growing Through Loss facilitator training at Ted E. Bear Hallow. This will allow the Sarpy

County Juvenile Intake Diversion program the ability to offer the group without contracting with an outside facilitator for the full duration of the curriculum.

County Aid funding has been utilized for staff training for the past seven years.

Young Women’s Lives/FACE Class:

This four week class is designed to assist young women ages 14-18 in learning decision making, conflict resolution, goal setting, and other life skills. Discussions revolve around who they are as females, Society’s view on females, self esteem, communication, and futures. Session one covers who they are, gender stereotypes, and the relationship between advertising and stereotypes. In session two the young women discuss self destructive behaviors, self esteem, and their personal struggles. In session three the focus is on appropriate communication styles, barriers to communication, responsibility, and resolving conflict. In the final session the participants discuss their plans for the future, talk about realistic goals, steps to set goals, and their plans.

Young women enter the program by referral from their Diversion Officer. To successfully complete their Diversion contract, youth are required to complete specific classes depending on their individual needs. At each class, the facilitator signs in each client to ensure attendance. The youth exits the program by successfully completing their Diversion contract. Facilitators of each program give the youth a signed Certificate of Completion that they give to their Diversion Officer to verify successful participation and completion. The Certificate is copied and placed into their file.

County Aid funds have been utilized for the Young Women’s Lives/FACE Class for three years.

Young Men’s Work: Stopping Violence and Building Community:

This fifteen hour class is designed to assist young men ages 14-19 who are working to solve problems without resorting to violence.

Part I will cover session 1-10 on the following topics:

Power & Violence	Who Am I
Act Like a Man	Women
Being Hurt By Violence	Allies to Women
Bullies	Becoming Allies
Out of the Box	Between Men

Part II will cover session 11-26 on the following topics:

Reintroduction	Drugs
The Big Boxes	Taking Care of Myself
Getting By: Men, Class, & Money	Relationships With Men
Men, Race, & Culture	Creating Relationships 1-3

Losses	Creating Family
My Future	Starting Where You Are
Saying Good-Bye	What's Next

This class will serve 8-10 youth per session

Young men enter the program by referral from their Diversion Officer. To successfully complete their Diversion contract, youth are required to complete specific classes depending on their individual needs. At each class, the facilitator signs in each client to ensure attendance. The youth exits the program by successfully completing their Diversion contract. Facilitators of each program give the youth a signed Certificate of Completion that they give to their Diversion Officer to verify successful participation and completion. The Certificate is copied and placed into their file.

The Young Men's Work Class has been funded by County Aid for three years.

The Class Action Education Class:

This educational experience gives youth an opportunity to explore their decision making processes in relation to current issues they are facing. Youth will experience a courtroom setting with a jury of their peers while they debate topics including, "Drinking and Driving", "Drinking and Violence", "Date Rape", "Drinking and Vandalism", and "School Alcohol Policies". This class will enhance the current 12 drug/alcohol classes and will assist youth in making personal commitments in these areas. Each class will serve 10-15 youth.

Youth enter the program by referral from their Diversion Officer. To successfully complete their Diversion contract, youth are required to complete specific classes depending on their individual needs. At each class, the facilitator signs in each client to ensure attendance. The youth exits the program by successfully completing their Diversion contract. Facilitators of each program give the youth a signed Certificate of Completion that they give to their Diversion Officer to verify successful participation and completion. The Certificate is copied and placed into their file.

The Class Action Education Class has been funded by County Aid for three years.

Shoplifting Education Class:

The class begins by "putting the cards on the table." Everyone is asked a series of questions on a worksheet where they write the answers to questions such as "why did you shoplift, what did you take, how much was it worth, how did they catch you." The instructor will then ask "if you were NOT caught what would you have accomplished by shoplifting, i.e., financially, socially, emotionally, physically, and legally. Clients are also asked because you were caught, what have you actually accomplished by shoplifting i.e., financially, socially, emotionally, physically, and legally. The participants are asked what their motivation/risk is to never shoplift again. The participants are given handouts on what shoplifting actually costs everyone and a worksheet that demonstrates how shoplifting accounts for large losses that must be recovered by stores before a profit is made. Participants are given statistical information on how many people in American

are actually arrested for shoplifting. The instructor will explain what the primary reasons for Juveniles to shoplift are such as they want to have nice things or they were pressured by their friends. Participants will write out their plan on how they are going to stop shoplifting.

They also review how shoplifting is a \$34 billion a year problem. Other topics include; are “lookouts” for shoplifters guilty as well? Can you be arrested for shoplifting after leaving the store? Is switching price tags shoplifting? Everyone pays for shoplifters – community, your family, and the stores. Stores are rewarded for catching and prosecuting shoplifters. You could be arrested for criminal trespassing if you return to the store in which you shoplift. The youth also watch a video on “Shoplifting is Stealing”.

Youth enter the program by referral from their Diversion Officer. To successfully complete their Diversion contract, youth are required to complete specific classes depending on their individual needs. At each class, the facilitator signs in each client to ensure attendance. The youth exits the program by successfully completing their Diversion contract. Facilitators of each program give the youth a signed Certificate of Completion that they give to their Diversion Officer to verify successful participation and completion. The Certificate is copied and placed into their file.

The Shoplifting Education Class has been funded by County Aid for three years.

Growing Through Loss Bereavement Group

The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake Diversion program will provide a comprehensive adolescent grief and loss curriculum for adolescents who have experienced a loss. Losses often include family divorce, abandonment, death, sexual abuse, physical abuse and pregnancy loss.

In an effort to deal with these losses “Growing Through Loss” is a 12 session curriculum which combines grief education, life skills, anger management & character education and leadership training. Research completed by the YWCA of Indianapolis revealed that 85% of those completing the program have experienced a decrease in levels of depression upon completion.

“Growing Through Loss” has received national recognition and has been used by the YWCA, YMCA, correctional facilities, alternative schools, community centers, traditional schools, churches and residential treatment centers.

The experience of grief wears many faces for adolescents. Death, sexual abuse, physical abuse, divorce, abandonment, pregnancy loss or an incarcerated parent often leaves a teen struggling to cope with life. The feelings and emotions experienced from such losses are often intense frequently resulting in depression, destructive behaviors, drug and alcohol abuse, self-mutilation and eating disorders. While programs are available for grieving adults, little support and few resources are available for grieving teens often resulting in a teen left to grieve alone or with very limited support. When teens experience severe emotional pain they are tempted to “numb out” to avoid the painful and unfamiliar emotions.

The Growing Through Loss curriculum, a seven-year project, developed upon the recognition that many youth entering the correctional system had experienced multiple losses. Using

collected data, surveys from participants, trial and error and feedback from counselors and facilitators, it became crucial to address the core issues of grief rather than treating the symptoms of the destructive behaviors we were observing in our youth

Growing Through Loss has been created with defined goals, objectives and session activities. The curriculum contains information that covers antisocial attitudes, values, beliefs, interpersonal skills, consequences of alcohol and drugs abuse and adverse family circumstances. The curriculum employs multiple strategies that have consistently proven to be effective in teaching pro-social skills.

Youth enter the program by referral from their Diversion Officer. To successfully complete their Diversion contract, youth are required to complete specific classes depending on their individual needs. At each class, the facilitator signs in each client to ensure attendance. The youth exits the program by successfully completing their Diversion contract. Facilitators of each program give the youth a signed Certificate of Completion that they give to their Diversion Officer to verify successful participation and completion. The Certificate is copied and placed into their file.

County Aid has never funded this program, this will be the first year

Drug Testing:

Funds will be used to purchase drug testing supplies to verify that youth participating in the CARE program are not using drugs.

Youth are ordered by the Sarpy County Separate Juvenile Court to participate in the CARE program. The Program performs urine screenings on all youth in the program. Youth provide an initial urine screening at the time they are court order to the CARE Program. They are screened for the following drugs of abuse: marijuana, meth amphetamines, cocaine and opiates. Other testing includes oxycontin, nicotine, and alcohol. These screenings assist in determining a youth's drug(s) of choice and current safety, i.e. if the youth provides a screening that is positive for several different substances then they may need to seek medical assistance for their physical and mental health. Otherwise the testing provides a baseline for the CARE Program to utilize and track drug abuse. Youth are then randomly tested throughout the CARE Program for all substances. Upon exiting the program youth provide a final screening and are successfully released once they provide a negative screening. Parents are advised of the results of all tests provided.

County Aid funds have been utilized for Drug Testing for the past seven years

Section 6: Continuation Information

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Diversion	<u>Dates: 2007</u>		<u>Dates: 2008</u>		<u>Dates: 2009</u>	
Total number of referrals	626		659		582	
Total number of youth accepted into the program	NA		NA		NA	
Why were youth not accepted into program						
a Previous law violation						
b Refused services	NA		NA		NA	
c County attorney requested ticket back						
d Other Specify						
Total number of youth serviced	407		490		367	
Total number of unduplicated youth served(Example, if a youth was in diversion twice in one reporting year than you would count them once)	407		490		367	
Total number of unduplicated youth who completed program	356		400		324	
Total number of unduplicated youth not completing the program why						
a New law violation						
b Drop out	287		282		292	
c Moved						
d Other Specify						
RACE/ETHNICITY	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
White	510	NA	552	NA	517	NA
American Indian or Alaskan Native	4	NA	6	NA	3	NA
Black or African American	58	NA	82	NA	54	NA
Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA
Hispanic	54	NA	29	NA	8	NA
GENDER	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
Male	332	NA	356	NA	339	NA
Female	293	NA	303	NA	243	NA
AGE	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
9	1	NA	1	NA	1	NA
10	1	NA	4	NA	1	NA
11	8	NA	7	NA	8	NA
12	20	NA	14	NA	24	NA
13	62	NA	58	NA	79	NA
14	83	NA	90	NA	109	NA
15	120	NA	149	NA	129	NA
16	174	NA	165	NA	169	NA
17	126	NA	139	NA	69	NA
18	31	NA	31	NA	2	NA

*NA - Please note this data is not currently available The program will be working with the Sarpy County Information System Department to develop a database to track this information

B. During 2009 the total number of juveniles in the Sarpy County Juvenile Justice System decreased causing a drop in referrals to the Diversion program

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Sarpy County Juvenile Drug Treatment Court	Dates: 2007		Dates: 2008		Dates: 2009	
Total number of referrals	26		32		36	
Total number of youth accepted into the program	24		10		18	
Total number of unduplicated youth served (Example, if a youth was in diversion twice in one reporting year than you would count them once)						
Total number of average days unduplicated youth attended program	NA		435 days/ graduate		474 days/graduate	
Total number of youth carried over from previous quarter	NA		NA		NA	
Total number of new unduplicated youth attending program	1		0		0	
Total number of unduplicated youth not completing the program why 1 New law violation 2 Drop out 3 Moved 4 Other Specify _____	7 (other)		2 (other)		8 3 Law Violations 5 (other)	
RACE/ETHNICITY	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
White	NA	NA	NA	10	NA	17
American Indian or Alaskan Native	NA	NA	NA		NA	
Black or African American	NA	NA	NA		NA	1
Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	NA	NA	NA		NA	
Hispanic	NA	NA	NA		NA	
GENDER	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
Male	NA	NA	NA	10	NA	16
Female	NA	NA	NA		NA	2
AGE	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
10	NA	NA	NA		NA	
11	NA	NA	NA		NA	
12	NA	NA	NA		NA	
13	NA	NA	NA		NA	
14	NA	NA	NA		NA	1
15	NA	NA	NA	2	NA	
16	NA	NA	NA	3	NA	8
17	NA	NA	NA	5	NA	9

*NA - Please note this data is not currently available The program will be working with the Sarpy County Information System Department to develop a database to track this information.

B. The Program's 2007 statistics and some of the 2008 statistics are missing due to a loss of paperwork during a water pipe break in the Juvenile Probation Office that caused considerable damage and loss. Additionally, the Program also received a new management information system, however, during the conversion some data did not convert over purely so they are in the process of examining each case by hand and updating the management information system.

A.

Juvenile Justice Center – CARE Program	Dates: 2007		Dates: 2008		Dates: 2009	
Total number of referrals	315		402		324	
Total number of youth accepted into the program	315		402		324	
Total number of unduplicated youth served (Example, if a youth was in diversion twice in one reporting year than you would count them once)						
Total number of average days unduplicated youth attended program	71		72		80	
Total number of youth carried over from previous quarter						
Total number of new unduplicated youth attending program						
Total number of unduplicated youth not completing the program why a New law violation > Drop out > Moved ! Other Specify						
RACE/ETHNICITY	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
White	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
American Indian or Alaskan Native	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Black or African American	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hispanic	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
GENDER	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
Male	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Female	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
AGE	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
10	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
11	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
12	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
13	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
14	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
15	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
16	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
17	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

*NA - Please note this data is not currently available. The program will be working with the Sarpy County Information System Department to develop a database to track this information

A.

World of Difference Program – Juvenile Reporting Center	Dates: 2009		Dates:		Dates:	
Total number of referrals	37					
Total number of youth accepted into the program	37					
Total number of unduplicated youth served (Example, if a youth was in diversion twice in one reporting year than you would count them once)	37					
Total number of average days unduplicated youth attended program	1					
Total number of youth carried over from previous quarter	0					
Total number of new unduplicated youth attending program	0					
Total number of unduplicated youth not completing the program why 1 New law violation 2 Drop out 3 Moved 4 Other Specify	0					
RACE/ETHNICITY	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
White	33	33				
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	0				
Black or African American	2	2				
Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	2	2				
Hispanic	6	6				
GENDER	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
Male	26	26				
Female	11	11				
AGE	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted	Referred	Accepted
10	0	0				
11	0	0				
12	0	0				
13	0	0				
14	3	3				
15	8	8				
16	12	12				
17	11	11				
18	3	3				

*Please note, this class has only been offered for one year; therefore data is available only for calendar year 2009.

C. Due to the formation of a "CARE Unit" and a change in duty hours and shifts, the Supervisor of the Unit is now able to meet 4 times per week to discuss the status of the juveniles on the CARE Program and to prepare and submit written reports to the Juvenile Court Judges at the time of a juvenile's court hearing. The increase communication between the Supervisors and her staff has allowed the Program to respond to client issues more quickly and to have consistency within the program.

During the last project period, Sarpy County Diversion Officers have increased their communication with class instructors which has helped them assess their clients' progress. It has also allowed them to identify certain areas in which their clients' may need more guidance or attention. Through increased communication the Diversion Officers are better prepared to provide the necessary services to their clients.

The World of Difference class offered at the Juvenile Reporting Center is designed to assist youth in developing tolerance and understanding of diversity in daily life. The goal of the Program is to treat bias and bigotry with education and build communication skills and positive self-esteem. The Program holds participants responsible for their actions and helps reshape their attitudes and behaviors, it is hoped that learned prejudice can be interrupted and unlearned, so that youth can become change agents to stop racism, bias, and bigotry. In discussing the classes that have taken place thus far the instructors believe participating youth have been able to use the skills taught in this class to work through their own learned prejudices and understand what it takes to be a change agent. Four individuals made statements after the classes were dismissed regarding how much they learned about others, themselves, and how they will present themselves and their feelings in the future. One youth made the statement that everybody should have to take this class.

Because of County Aid funding, the Sarpy County Diversion Program has been able to continue fairly new programming options to its clients. This grant funds the Young Women's Class, the Young Men's Class, Class Action Education Class, and the Shoplifting Education Class. These are classes that would likely be cancelled without grant funding. In addition, Diversion has been able to continue the Victim Impact Panel program because of County Aid funding.

The Sarpy County Juvenile Drug Treatment Court has provided the juvenile court with another option in addressing juvenile behavior and drug and alcohol use among high risk offenders. In addition, relationships with treatment providers have been enhanced. The County Aid funds provided manpower to do intensive electronic monitoring and curfew compliance checks in addition to weekly drug testing of high risk offenders. Since the inception of the Drug Court in 2000, 84 juveniles have successfully completed and participated in graduation. The County Aid grant funds a large portion of the salaries for two staff members of the Drug Court. Without this funding, the Drug Court would not be as successful.

D. During the last project period, the Sarpy County CARE program experienced a larger number of juveniles being placed on the CARE Program by the Juvenile Court Judge. Due to the increased number of juveniles on CARE the program reorganized and now has a "CARE Unit" which consists of a Supervisor and 6 staff that are completely dedicated to check on juveniles on the CARE program on a daily basis. This change has allowed the Program to have 3 staff per day to monitor the juveniles. Work hours were changed to allow staff coverage from 0900 hours until 0000 hours. Between the 0000 hours and 0900 hours, staff who are assigned to work in the Holdover Facility handle any issues with the CARE Clients. The program is now able to do more contact checks on the juveniles. In addition, this also helps staff with the challenge of working with a "higher risk juvenile" at home.

The Sarpy County Juvenile Intake Diversion Program has experienced difficulty maintaining employment for the Assessment Officer's position. Management decided to change the interview process which clarified the duties so that applicants understood the position as an Assessment Officer was strictly interviewing clients.

Decreasing funding for the Juvenile Drug Court has prompted staff to seek donations for incentives and graduation recognition. Efforts are continuous and will remain constant until additional funding is secured.

E. Have all quarterly activity and cash reports been submitted in a timely manner?

Yes No

The October – December 2009 quarterly report was turned in late with permission from Jamie Rivera. The District 5 Juvenile Probation Office sustained considerable damage during the week of January 11th 2010 due to a broken water pipe. One of the program coordinators who submits a substantial amount of information for the County Aid quarterly report was unable to access his files or electronic information until the middle of the next week. With permission from Jamie Rivera Sarpy County submitted this report late due to the circumstances.

Section 8: Required Forms
CERTIFIED ASSURANCES

Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act Grant Funds

THE HATCH ACT: Federal law prohibits certain partisan political activity by an officer or employee of the state or local agency if his or her principal employment is in connection with an activity which is financed in whole or part by loans or grants made by the United States or a federal agency. The law is enforced by the United States Civil Service Commission.

UNIFORM RELOCATION. Pursuant to the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policy Act of 1970, P L. 91-646, 84 Stat. 1984, and Guideline G 4061 1A, as amended any program which uses federal financial assistance to pay all or part of the cost of any program or project which will result in the displacement of any person shall provide that.

- a Fair and reasonable relocation payments and assistance shall be provided to or for displaced persons as are required in such regulations as are issued by the U S Attorney General
- b Relocation or assistance programs shall be provided for such persons in accordance with such regulations issued by the U S Attorney General
- c Within a reasonable period of time prior to displacement, decent, safe and sanitary replacement must be available to the displaced person in accordance with such regulations as issued by the U S Attorney General

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT: No portion of any grant which might have an effect on the environment will be approved until an environmental evaluation form has been submitted and a determination made that the project will not have an adverse affect on the environment. An environmental evaluation will be required with the grant application if the applicant's project involves any of the following:

- d New construction projects,
- e The renovation or modification of a facility which leads to an occupancy of more than 25 persons,
- f The implementation of programs involving the use of pesticides or other harmful chemicals
- g The implementation of programs involving the use of microwaves or radiation
- h Research and technology whose anticipated or intended future application could be expected to have a potential effect on the environment
- i Other actions which require the substantial commitment of resources or trigger such a substantial commitment by another as determined by the responsible federal official to possibly have a significant effect on the quality of the environment

PROCUREMENT OF SPECIAL EQUIPMENT. The Juvenile Justice Advisory Group expects that the subgrantee will procure such special equipment being purchased in whole or in part with grant funds by that method, authorized by state law or local ordinance, which results in the lowest price for goods of the kinds or type required.

NON-SUPPLANTING REQUIREMENT The Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act contains a non-supplanting requirement. This requirement stipulates that federal funds under Title II may not be used to supplant state and local funds that would have been available in the absence of federal aid. In complying with this requirement, the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice will rely on written certification by state agencies and local government units to the effect that federal funds have been used to increase state or local funds available for law enforcement.

BUILDING ACCESSIBILITY AND USE BY PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED Any construction, design or alteration of a building or facility which will be used by the public or which may result in the employment or residence of physically handicapped persons shall provide for accessibility and use to physically handicapped persons through appropriate items such as ramps, handrails, guardrails as required by 42 U.S.C. 4152 1970 and 34 Fed. Ref. 12828 1969.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST: Requests for proposals or invitations for bid issued by the grantee or subgrantee to implement the grant or subgrant project are to provide notice to prospective bidders that the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention organizational conflict of interest provision is applicable in that contractors that develop or draft specifications, requirements, statements of work and/or RFP's for a proposed procurement, shall be excluded from bidding or submitting a proposal to compete for the award of such procurement.

ACCOUNTING: The applicant assures that fund accounting, auditing, monitoring, and such evaluation procedures as may be necessary will be maintained to assure fiscal control, proper management, and efficient disbursement of received funds

RECORD KEEPING: The applicant assures that it shall maintain required data and information and shall submit required reports deemed necessary by the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice.

CERTIFICATION: The applicant certifies that the programs contained in its application meet all the requirements, that all the information is correct, that there has been appropriate coordination with affected agencies, and that the applicant will comply with all provisions of applicable federal and state laws

COMPLIANCE: The applicant assures that it will comply and all of its contractors will comply, with the non-discrimination requirements of the Juvenile Services Act, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975; and the Department of Justice Non-Discrimination Regulations 28 CFR Part 42, Subparts C, D, E, and G and the Americans with Disabilities Act.

REPORTING OF LEGAL ACTION: The applicant assures that in the event a federal or state court, or federal or state administrative agency makes a finding of discrimination after a due process hearing on the grounds of race, color, religion, national origin or sex against a recipient of funds, the recipient will forward a copy of the finding to the Crime Commission and the Office of Civil Rights Compliance (OCRC) of the Office of Justice Programs.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT: The applicant assures that, if required, it will formulate an equal employment opportunity program (EEOP) in accordance with 28 CFR 42.301 et seq , and submit a certification to the state that it has a current EEOP on file which meets the requirements therein

SINGLE AUDIT REQUIREMENT Pursuant to Office of Management and Budget Circular A-128, Audits of state and Local Governments and A-133, Private Non-Profit@ agencies, each applicant must comply with the Single Audit Act. A copy of the audit is to be submitted to the Crime Commission.

CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION No recipient of monies under the Juvenile Services Act shall use or reveal any research or statistical information or other type of information acquired or furnished under this program by any person/juvenile and identifiable to any specific private person/juvenile for any purpose other than the purpose for which such information was obtained in accordance with the Act.

FINANCIAL REPORTING: The applicant agrees to submit financial reports and progress reports indicating activities undertaken, expenditures, and general progress of the project. A final report (using the same report forms) is required to be submitted at the end of the project period. The final report will include data necessary to verify the success or failure of the project

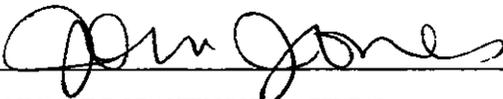
ADHERENCE TO LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS: The applicant also understands and agrees (1) that funds received are to be expended only for the purposes and activities covered by the applicant's approved application and budget, (2) that the grant may be terminated by the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice if the applicant fails to comply with the provisions of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act and all amendments thereto, any of the certified assurances listed above, or any other requirements of the Crime Commission

OTHER CONDITIONS The applicant also understands and agrees: (1) that any grant received as a result of this application shall be subject to the grant conditions and other policies, regulations, and rules issued by the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice and the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention for the administration of grant projects under the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act and any other applicable Federal Acts, Executive Orders, and Guidelines; (2) that funds awarded are to be expended only for the purposes and activities covered by the applicant's approved application and budget; (3) that the grant may be terminated in whole or in part

by the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice at any time that the Commission finds a substantial failure to comply with the provisions of the Act or regulations promulgated there under including these grant conditions, or plan or application obligations but only after notice and hearing and pursuant to Juvenile Justice Advisory Group and Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention procedures; (4) that appropriate grant records and accounts will be maintained and made available for audit as prescribed by the Commission, and (5) that the appropriate share of the total costs of this project shall be contributed by the Applicant from non-federal funds which are not being used in connection with any other program which is receiving federal financial assistance.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that I have read and reviewed the above assurances and the applicant will comply with all provisions and requirements of the Crime Commission, the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 (as amended) and all other applicable federal and state laws

	
(SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL)	
February 2, 2010	
(DATE)	
Joni Jones	Chair, Sarpy County Board of Commissioners
(TYPED NAME)	(TITLE)
402-593-4155	
(TELEPHONE NUMBER)	

EEOP SHORT FORM

STEP 1: INTRODUCTORY INFORMATION

Grant Title Sarpy County Juvenile Services

Grantee Name Sarpy County

Address 1210 Golden Gate Drive
Papillion, NE 68046

Contact Person Jean Brazda

Phone Number 402-593-2323

Grant Number Award Amount

Date and effective duration of EEOP

Policy Statement

CERTIFICATION (EEOP ON FILE)

A. I, Joni Jones, certify that Sarpy County has formulated an Equal Employment Opportunity Plan in accordance with 28 CFR 42 301, et seq, subpart E, that it has been signed into effect by the proper agency authority and disseminated to all employees, and that it is on file in the Office of Debra J Houghtaling, 1210 Golden Gate Drive, Papillion, NE 68046, Sarpy County Clerk, for review or audit by officials of the cognizant State planning agency or the Office for Civil Rights, Office of Justice Programs as required by relevant laws and regulations

	February 2, 2010
[signature]	[date]

CERTIFICATION (NO EEOP REQUIRED)

B. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FUNDED AGENCY HAS LESS THAN 50 EMPLOYEES AND THEREFORE IS NOT REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN AN EEOP, PURSUANT TO 28 CFR 42 301, ET SEQ

[signature]	[date]

OMB Approval No 1121-0140

Expiration Date 12/31/98

Revised 9/20/95

CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING; DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTER; AND DRUG-FREE WORPLACE REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should refer to the regulations cited below to determine the certification to which they are required to attest Applicants should also review the instructions for certification included in the regulations before completing this form Signature of this form provides for compliance with certification requirements under 28 CFR Part 69, "New Restrictions on Lobbying" and 28 CFR Part 67, "Government-wide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Government-wide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants)" The certifications shall be treated as a material representation of fact upon which reliance will be placed when the Department of Justice determines to award the covered transaction, grant, or cooperative agreement

1. LOBBYING

As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U S Code, and implemented at 28 CFR Part 69, for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 28 CFR Part 69, the applicant certifies that

- (a) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement,
- (b) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal grant or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form - LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities," in accordance with its instructions,
- (c) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subgrants, contracts under grants and cooperative agreements, and subcontracts) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly

2. DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS (DIRECT RECIPIENT)

As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension, and implemented at 28 CFR Part 67, for prospective participants in primary covered transaction, as defined at 28 CFR Part 67, Section 67 510-

- A The applicant certifies that it and its principals
- (a) Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, sentenced to a denial of Federal benefits by a State or Federal court, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department of agency,
- (b) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property,
- (c) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1)(b) of this certification, and
- (d) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default, and

- B Where the applicant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this application
- 3. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE (GRANTEES OTHER THAN INDIVIDUALS)**

The applicant certifies that it will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by

- A Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition
- B Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about—
 - (a) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace,
 - (b) The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace,
 - (c) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs, and
 - (d) The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace,
- C Notifying the employee in the statement that the employee will
 - (a) Abide by the terms of the statement, and
 - (b) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five calendar days after such convictions,

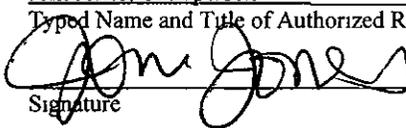
The subgrantee shall notify the Crime Commission in writing of any conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five calendar days after such conviction

The subgrantee certifies that it will take one or more of the following actions within 30 calendar days of receiving notice of the conviction

- A Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, or
- B Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance of rehabilitation program approved for such purpose by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency,

The subgrantee certifies that it will make a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace

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Typed Name and Title of Authorized Representative
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To: Sarpy County Board

From Carrie Davis-Sedlacek

Re. 2010-2011 County Aid Grant Application

On February 2, 2010 the County Board will be asked to authorize the Chair to sign the attached application, certifications, and assurances for the 2010-2011 County Aid grant application.

The grant application requests \$113,089 in federal funds. \$95,983 of those funds will pay a portion of the salaries and benefits for a Senior Juvenile Services Officer and a Juvenile Services Officer. In addition, County Aid will provide \$5,224 for drug testing supplies for the Juvenile Justice Center, \$2,547 for a Bereavement Group facilitator/technical assistance, training, and supplies; \$1,800 for the World of Difference class facilitation, \$240 for stipends for Diversion's Victim Impact Panel, \$238 for Shoplifting Education Classes, \$4,086 for the Young Men's Work Classes, \$1,680 for the Class Action Education Classes, \$300 for videos for Diversion classes, and \$235 for supplies for the Young Women's Lives Class \$756 will pay to send two staff of Diversion to the NJJA Conference

The County is required to provide \$45,236 in local match funds; this will be met with current contracts for secured juvenile detention

January 27, 2010

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