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FY21 Justice Assistance Grant

Certified as a "Disparate Jurisdiction," the City of Memphis, along with Shelby County, Tennessee, are submitting a joint application for funds in the amount of **\$931,746** as allocated under the **FY2021** Local Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program.

As so prescribed by the JAG guidelines, and by mutual consent, Shelby County is designated as the applicant/fiscal agency for the program. Together the entities have collaborated on a program that provides for the prevention and control of crime for our citizens.

Prior to application submissions, the applicant is required to make the application available to the public and provide an opportunity for citizens and neighborhood or community organizations to comment.

The consolidated application of Memphis and Shelby County is available for comment from any interested party on the **2nd Floor of 160 North Main Street, Suite 250** from noon on Friday July 30th, to noon on Friday, August 6th.