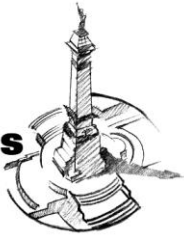


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**Mayor Ballard Announces Community Crime Prevention Grant Recommendations**

INDIANAPOLIS – Mayor Greg Ballard joined with Deputy Mayor of Neighborhoods Olgen Williams and Department of Public Safety Director Scott Newman today to announce recommendations for recipients of approximately \$4.5 million in the city’s inaugural round of Community Crime Prevention Grants.

The decision came after reviewing the recommendations of a nine-member citizen advisory board appointed earlier this year by Mayor Ballard and the City-County Council.

“These crime prevention grants, which recognize the diversity and community spirit of our great city, are essential to our grassroots, neighborhood-focused effort to make Indianapolis a safer place for everyone,” said Mayor Ballard.

During its grant review process, the Crime Prevention Advisory Board considered the merits of 127 grant proposals submitted to the city in late September, with first-year funding requests totaling nearly \$23.4 million.

Fifty community initiatives that focus on areas ranging from employment and health to mentoring and education were selected from the pool of proposals. The recommendations of the advisory board and the Mayor reflect those organizations whose proposals best demonstrated the ability to have an immediate impact on crime and provide measurable results.

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**APPENDIX A:  
Proposed Final Budget  
Community Crime Prevention Grants  
January 5, 2009**

<u>Grantee</u>	<u>Amount</u>
100 Black Men	\$50,000
Alpha Foundation for Youth	\$15,000
Bethlehem House	\$60,000
Big Brothers/Big Sisters	\$75,000
Boys II Men	\$15,000
Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Indianapolis	\$70,000
Central Indiana Community Foundation/ Justice Planning Council	\$102,000
Children Family School Enrichment Center	\$45,000
Children's Bureau	\$75,000
Church of Acts	\$75,000
Clarian Health	\$60,000
Community Addiction Services of Indiana	\$60,000
Ebenezer Retreat & Camping Institute	\$40,000
Emanuel Baptist Church	\$80,000
Family Service of Central Indiana	\$86,000
Fathers and Families	\$200,000
Great Commission Church of God	\$71,352
Hawthorn Community Center	\$96,000
Hillcraft Services	\$80,000

Hispanic Latin Minority Health Coalition	\$60,000
Horizon House	\$60,000
Indianapolis Arts Center	\$45,000
Indiana Black Expo	\$80,000
Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce/Common Goal	\$70,000
Indianapolis Children's Choir	\$50,000
Indianapolis Downtown, Inc.	\$160,000
Indianapolis Peace Institute	\$50,000
Indianapolis Public Schools	\$50,000
Indianapolis Ten Point Coalition	\$170,000
Indianapolis Urban League	\$100,000
LISC, Inc.	\$50,000
Marion County Superior Courts	\$75,000
Mind Trust	\$110,000
New Light Christian Church	\$20,000
Outreach, Inc.	\$89,347
PACE/OAR	\$150,000
Peace Learning Center	\$50,000
Progress House	\$160,000
Reach for Youth	\$60,000
River Valley Resources	\$123,000
Save the Youth	\$90,000
Tanniehill Wrestling	\$40,000
Trusted Mentors	\$70,000
United Neighborhood Centers	\$440,000

Use What You Got Prison Ministries	\$50,000
Voice Crying in the Wilderness	\$90,000
Wishard Health Services	\$257,000
Workforce, Inc.	\$150,000
CrimeWatch	\$100,000
Summer Youth Employment Program Fund	\$125,000

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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4,549,699</b>
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**Administration/Evaluation Costs Not to Exceed:** + \$450,301\*

<b>= FINAL TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$5 MILLION</b>
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