



State of Wisconsin
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2021 SENATE BILL 124

February 18, 2021 - Introduced by Senators WANGGAARD, L. TAYLOR, DARLING and COWLES, cosponsored by Representatives SPIROS, ARMSTRONG, BRANDTJEN and ORTIZ-VELEZ. Referred to Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 20.455 (2) (cp) and 165.989 of the statutes; **relating to:**
2 community-oriented policing-house grant program and making an
3 appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill establishes a \$600,000 grant program, administered by the Department of Justice, for cities with a population of 60,000 or more to fund community-oriented policing-house programs.

For further information see the state and local fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert
5 the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

SENATE BILL 124**SECTION 1****2019-20****2020-21****1 20.455 Justice, department of****2 (2) LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES****3 (cp) Community-oriented policing-****4 house grant program GPR A -0- 600,000****5 SECTION 2.** 20.455 (2) (cp) of the statutes is created to read:**6 20.455 (2) (cp) *Community-oriented policing-house grant program.* The**
7 amounts in the schedule to provide grants to cities under s. 165.989.**8 SECTION 3.** 165.989 of the statutes is created to read:**9 165.989 Community-oriented policing-house grant program. (1)** From
10 the appropriation under s. 20.455 (2) (cp), the department of justice shall award
11 grants to cities to fund community-oriented policing-house programs.**12 (2)** A city is eligible for a grant under sub. (1) if the city has a population of
13 60,000 or more.**14 (3)** The department of justice shall develop criteria which, notwithstanding s.
15 227.10 (1), need not be promulgated as rules under ch. 227 for use in awarding grants
16 under sub. (1).**17 (END)**