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Public Hearing: YES □ **NO** ⊠ **Department:** State Court

SUBJECT:

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PURPOSE:

Request to accept Subgrant Award A21-8-008 from the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council in the amount not to exceed \$134,621 with a 10% required county match to benefit the DeKalb County DUI Court Program. The Program is fully certified through March 1, 2021.

NEED/IMPACT:

The grant funds are needed and will be used to enhance public safety by reducing recidivism of DUI offenders by breaking the cycle of addiction through a combination of individualized treatment, personal accountability and intensive court supervision to promote individual responsibility and citizenship and return a productive member back to the community. The funds will be used to defray the costs associated with the DUI Court

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Program's operations, training, administration, transportation, drug screening and treatment.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Funding provided by the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council in the amount not to exceed \$134,621 begins July 1, 2020 and will end June 30, 2021. At least 25% of the funding must be spent each quarter and a report submitted within 15 days of said quarter ending. Date Funds and the DUI Court Operating Budget will be used to meet the required 10% match.

RECOMMENDATION:

To approve the resolution and authorize the Chief Executive Officer to execute all necessary documents to accept said award and to appropriate the award amount to a new grant fund to benefit the DeKalb County DUI Court Program. COVID-19 has caused the State Legislature to issue a tentative award not to exceed \$134,621. Upon the Commissioner's approval the final award will be forwarded to the Chief Executive Officer to execute.