



# DeKalb County Government

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## Legislation Text

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**Public Hearing:** YES ☒ NO ☐

**Department:** Solicitor - State Court

**SUBJECT:**

**Commission District(s):** All Commission Districts

Approval To Accept The VOCA FY20 Grant Award From PAC/CJCC For The Solicitor-Genera's Victim-Witness Assistance Program

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**PURPOSE:**

To consider accepting the FY20 Victim of Crimes Act (VOCA) grant award in the amount of \$212,075 from the Prosecuting Attorney's Council (PAC) to fund salaries for four (4) Victim-Witness Advocates, professional development through trainings and conferences, and program supplies.

**NEED/IMPACT:**

PAC/CJCC awarded the Solicitor-General's Office the VOCA grant for our office to continue providing essential victim-centered services and resources; being adequately staffed; and trainings and other professional development activities in order to be better equipped and knowledgeable when dealing with victims of crime.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The award provides additional funds the Solicitor's Office for victim-centered services. A county match of 20% (\$53,019) is required and covered through our transfer to grants account.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

To approve and accept grant funds in the amount of \$212,075 from PAC/CJCC