

**RESOLUTION NO. 100 - 2021**  
**OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE**  
**YAVAPAI-APACHE NATION**

**A Resolution Authorizing the Nation to Submit a Grant Application to the United States Department of Justice Office of Justice Programs Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Program**

**WHEREAS:** The Yavapai-Apache Tribal Council (“Council”) is authorized to represent the Yavapai-Apache Nation (“Nation”) and act on all matters that concern the health and welfare of the Nation, and to make decisions not inconsistent with or contrary to the Constitution of the Yavapai-Apache Nation (“Constitution”) as provided under Article V(a) of the Constitution; and

**WHEREAS:** The Council is authorized to negotiate and enter into agreements with federal, state and local governments and to accept grant funds as provided under Article V (b) and (s), respectively, of the Constitution; and

**WHEREAS:** The Council is authorized to manage all tribal economic affairs and to appropriate and regulate the use of the Nation’s funds as provided under Article V (i) and (k), respectively, of the Constitution; and

**WHEREAS:** The Nation’s Contracts and Grants Manager recommends that the Nation apply for grant funding as follows:

- (1) Funding Agency: United States Department of Justice
- (2) Amount of funding application: \$15,300
- (3) Term of grant: 2 years
- (4) Matching funds and source: \$15,300 from Nation’s YAPD Budget
- (5) Nation’s Department or Program administering the grant: YAPD
- (6) Purpose and use of grant funds: Funds will be used to cover 50% of the cost of bulletproof vests for the Nation’s Police Department (YAPD)
- (7) Budget attached or not required: Attached

**WHEREAS:** The Tribal Council finds it in the Nation’s best interest to authorize the above-described grant application.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Yavapai-Apache Nation Tribal Council, in Council assembled, at which a quorum is present, hereby authorizes the Nation to apply for grant funding to the above-named funding agency in the amount and for the term described above.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Nation agrees that it will comply with all program guidelines and regulations applicable to the above referenced grant program and the certifications required in the grant application; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Council authorizes the Nation’s Contracts and Grants Manager to take all actions necessary to complete the grant application and to

submit all necessary information to the funding agency in furtherance of the authorized grant application and authorizes the Nation to receive and expend the grant funds in accordance with the grant requirements and the Nation's Budget Code and Financial Policies.

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that the Chairman and Vice-Chairwoman, or either of them, are hereby authorized to take such further action as deemed necessary to carry out the intent and purposes of this Resolution.

### CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by an affirmative vote of the Tribal Council, with a quorum in attendance, presented for approval on June 10 2021, by a vote of 9 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstaining, pursuant to the authority contained under the Constitution of the Yavapai-Apache Nation as cited above.

  
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Jon Huey, Chairman

ATTEST:

Karla Reimer  
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Karla Reimer, Council Secretary

Approved as to form:

  
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Office of the Attorney General

# EXHIBIT A

Yavapai-Apache Nation

Grant Application – U.S. Department of Justice Bulletproof Vest  
Program

Narrative and Budget

June 10, 2021

## **United States Department of Justice**

### **Bulletproof Vest Program**

**The Yavapai-Apache Nation has received Notice from the Office of Justice Programs that the Nation' Police Department (YAPD) is eligible for the 2021 funding cycle for the Bulletproof Vest Program.**

**This program will support officer safety by providing funding to cover 50% of the cost for bulletproof vests for YAPD officers. The Nation will cover the required 50% match through the YAPD budget.**

**To maximize the funding, the Nation will submit a request for 18 vests to be purchased over the next 2 years.**

**Estimated cost of vest 1,700 each**

**18 vests at 1,700 each = 30,600**

**50% of cost =15,300**

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Quantity	Description	Unit Price	Total
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1	SAFARILAND HARDWIRE BODY ARMOR WITH BLACK CONCEALABLE CARRIER	\$1550.00	\$1,550
	TAX		\$141.05
	TOTAL DUE		\$1,691.05



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# Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership

**Notice: Critical Program Information (Click here.)**

## Overview



The Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership (BVP), created by the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act of 1998 is a unique U.S. Department of Justice initiative designed to provide a critical resource to state and local law enforcement.

**ONE MILLION VESTS:** Since 1999, the BVP program has awarded more than 13,000 jurisdictions a total of \$522 million in federal funds for the purchase of over one million vests (1,441,013) as of November 2020.

**NEW:** The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) is pleased to announce the Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 BVP application funding period. **Applications for FY 2021 BVP funds will be accepted beginning April 29, 2021. All applications must be submitted online by 6:00 p.m. (Eastern Time), June 14, 2021. A SAM registration is required for 2021 BVP applicants.**

**NEW:** The Fiscal Year 2020 BVP awards have been announced. See the complete list of [FY 2020 BVP awards](#).

**System for Award Management (SAM) Registration Requirement:** Jurisdictions must be registered in SAM in order to receive access to FY 2018-2020 BVP award funds. Jurisdictions not registered with SAM are strongly encouraged to access the SAM website at <https://www.sam.gov/SAM/> as soon as possible in order to obtain information on and complete the online SAM registration process. For more information about renewing and updating your existing SAM registration, or registering in SAM as a new entity, please visit [https://fsd.gov/fsd-gov/answer.do?sysparm\\_number=KB0011081](https://fsd.gov/fsd-gov/answer.do?sysparm_number=KB0011081). The SAM Helpdesk can be reached at 866-606-8220.

**Documentation Requirement:** Grantees are required to keep documentation to support the BVP vest application and payment requests for at least a three year period.

**Other Federal Funds:** Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) funds or other federal funding sources may not be used to pay for that portion of the bullet proof vest (50%) that is not covered by BVP funds. JAG or other federal funds may be used to purchase vests for an agency, but they may not be used as the 50% match for BVP purposes.

**Uniquely Fitted Armor Vest Requirement** - Jurisdictions receiving funding for reimbursement of body armor purchases must have in place a uniquely fitted vest requirement when the FY 2019 BVP applications are submitted.

In the BVP Program, "uniquely fitted vests" means protective (ballistic or stab-resistant) armor vests that conform to the individual wearer to provide the best possible fit and coverage, through a combination of: 1) correctly-sized panels and carrier, determined through appropriate measurement, and 2) properly adjusted straps, harnesses, fasteners, flaps, or other adjustable features. The requirement that body armor be "uniquely fitted" does not necessarily require body armor that is individually manufactured based on the measurements of an individual wearer. In support of the Office of Justice Programs' efforts to improve officer safety, the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) International has made available the *Standard Practice for Body Armor Wearer Measurement and Fitting of Armor (Active Standard ASTM E3003)* available at no cost. [The Personal Armor Fit Assessment checklist](#), is excerpted from ASTM E3003.

In addition, a certification section has been added to the 2019 application (in the BVP system) stating the jurisdictions and law enforcement agency are aware of and will comply with this requirement.

**[NEW! UPDATED Mandatory Wear FAQs](#)**

Following two years of declining law enforcement officer line-of-duty deaths, the country realized a dramatic 37 percent increase in officer deaths in 2010. Fifty-nine of the 160 officers killed in 2010 were shot during violent encounters; a 20 percent increase over 2009 numbers. The U.S. Department of Justice is committed to improving officer safety and has undertaken research to review and analyze violent encounters and law enforcement officer deaths and injuries. Due to the increase in the number of law enforcement officer deaths, coupled with our renewed efforts to improve officer safety, beginning with FY 2011, in order to receive BVP funds, jurisdictions must certify, during the application process, that all law enforcement agencies benefitting from the BVP Program have a written "mandatory wear" policy in effect. This policy must be in place for at least all uniformed officers before any FY 2011 funding can be used by the agency. There are no requirements regarding the nature of the policy other than it being a mandatory wear policy for all uniformed officers while on duty. BJA strongly encourages agencies to consult the International Association of Chiefs of Police's Model Policy on Body Armor and to strongly consider all recommendations within that policy. This policy change was announced in October 2010 by Attorney General Holder after consulting with and receiving input from the law enforcement community.

The IACP has very generously provided both its Body Armor Model Policy and position paper to the BVP program. In order to obtain a copy of the Model Policy and position paper, jurisdictions must be registered with the BVP program. To obtain a copy of the Model Policy, contact the BVP Customer Support Center at 1-877-758-3787 or email [vests@usdoj.gov](mailto:vests@usdoj.gov).

For additional information regarding this new BVP program requirement, click [here](#).

### **NIJ Advisory and Safety Notices**

#### **Current National Institute of Justice Body Armor Standard 0101.06**

[NIJ Certification Mark](#)

[NIJ Body Armor Standard 0101.06 Vest List](#)

[NIJ Selection and Application Guide 0101.06 to Ballistic-Resistant Body Armor](#)

**Body Armor Labels: When In Doubt .... Check It Out ([Click here for additional information](#))**

**Closed NIJ Advisory Notices and Safety Notices**

1-16-20: NIJ Advisory Notice: