



# Nixa Police Department

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**To:** Cindy Robbins  
**From:** Chief Campbell  
**cc:** Jimmy Liles, City Council, Mayor Steele  
**Date:** 09/07/2021  
**Re:** Officer Safety Equipment and Technology grant (OSET)

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The Missouri Department of Public Safety has the funding opportunity for the SFY 2022 Officer Safety Equipment and Technology (OSET) Grant. This program is funded by the State of Missouri. The OSET grant opportunity provides resources to increase officer safety by providing funding for equipment and technology to law enforcement agencies. The maximum amount of grant funding available is \$7,500.00. This grant is non-matching. However, agencies must certify compliance with RSMO 590.1265 (Police Use of Force Act of 2021) to be eligible. The Nixa Police Department does meet this condition.

If approved, we will seek funds to purchase 24 protective helmets and 23 clear non-ballistic shields which would be used to protect officers who are dealing with large scale protests or riots. This equipment would be used locally as well as in incidents where we are called for mutual aid. Currently, we have no equipment of this type and have no money budgeted for this equipment. We have applied for various other grants to cover the costs of this equipment, but our agency was not selected based on priority. I am requesting permission to apply for and accept this equipment grant in the amount of \$7,498.53.

Respectfully,

Chief Campbell

1 **RESOLUTION NO. 2021-091**

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3 **A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NIXA**  
4 **AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO APPLY FOR AND**  
5 **ACCEPT AN OFFICER SAFETY EQUIPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY GRANT**  
6 **PROVIDED BY THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.**  
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9 **WHEREAS** the Officer Safety Equipment and Technology grant is provided by  
10 the Missouri Department of Public Safety; and  
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12 **WHEREAS** this grant program provides resources to increase officer safety by  
13 providing funding for equipment and technology to law enforcement agencies; and  
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15 **WHEREAS** City staff are requesting authorization to apply for up to \$7,498.53 in  
16 said grant funding to purchase 24 protective helmets and 23 clear non-ballistic shields;  
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19 **WHEREAS** the City Council desires to authorize the City Administrator to apply  
20 for and accept said grant funding.  
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22 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF**  
23 **NIXA, AS FOLLOWS, THAT:**  
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25 **SECTION 1:** The City Administrator, or designee, is hereby authorized to apply  
26 for and accept grant funding provided by the Missouri Department of Public Safety for  
27 an Officer Safety Equipment and Technology grant in an amount up to \$7,498.53 to  
28 purchase 24 protective helmets and 23 clear non-ballistic shields. The City  
29 Administrator is authorized to do all things necessary or convenient to apply for and  
30 accept said funding and to carry out the terms of this Resolution, including the execution  
31 of documents required to obtain said funding.  
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33 **SECTION 2:** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its  
34 final passage by the City Council and after its approval by the Mayor, subject to the  
35 provisions of section 3.11(g) of the City Charter.  
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38 **ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL THIS 13<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021.**  
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41 **ATTEST:**  
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44 **CITY CLERK**

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46 **PRESIDING OFFICER**

47 **APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2021.**

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50 ATTEST:

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53 CITY CLERK

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56 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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59 CITY ATTORNEY

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MAYOR