National Guard Counterdrug Support FY2018 Request: $100,000

Reference No: 42898

AP/AL: Appropriation
Category: Public Protection
Location: Statewide
Impact House District: Statewide (HD 1-40)
Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2017 - 06/30/2022

Project Type: Life / Health / Safety
House District: Statewide (HD 1-40)
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Brief Summary and Statement of Need:
The National Guard Counterdrug Support Program (CDSP) supports law enforcement agencies in drug enforcement operations, assists in training Law Enforcement Officers, and provides community-based drug awareness programs. The primary purpose of the U.S. Department of Justice Asset Forfeiture Program is to deter crime by depriving criminals of profits and proceeds from their illegal activities. The CDSP program is needed to provide citizen protection and life safety measures.

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Prior Funding History / Additional Information:
Sec1 Ch2 SLA2016 P5 L10 SB138 $100,000
Sec1 Ch16 SLA2013 P69 L19 SB18 $100,000
Sec1 Ch17 SLA2012 P122 L13 SB160 $100,000
Sec1 Ch5 SLA2011 P87 L33 SB46 $100,000
Sec1 Ch43 SLA2010 P29 L24 SB230 $100,000

Project Description/Justification:
The Counterdrug Support Program (CDSP) encompasses two critical areas: Drug Interdiction and Drug Demand Reduction (DDR). The Drug Interdiction program provides assistance to law enforcement agencies working in investigations or prosecutions that result in a federal forfeiture. This participation allows the state to receive federal funds as a result of forfeiture situations. Funds are receipted and expended in accordance with the U.S. Department of Justice’s (USDOJ) guidance, primarily in the area of technological support supplies and/or facility improvements to the program.

The Drug Demand Reduction program incorporates experiential learning and facilitation of drug education and positive life skills instruction. The curriculum is provided to youth statewide.