SUBJECT: 21-23 JRI Grant Application	
Background:	Requested Action:
The 21-23 Justice Reinvestment Grant Application has been drafted and is before the Board for review and approval. A letter of support from the Board is now part of the application process.	Approve grant application and authorize Chair to signed letter of support
ATTACHMENTS: Draft Letter of Support	

Checkoffs: () Dept. Heard (copy) () Human Resources (copy) () Fiscal	To be notified of Meeting: Mark Royal
(X) Legal (copy) () (Other - List:)	Needed at Meeting:

Scheduled for meeting on: August 18, 2021	
Action taken:	

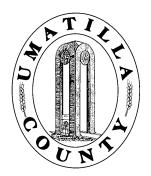
AGENDA ITEM FOR ADMINISTRATIVE MEETING

FROM (DEPT/ DIVISION): County Counsel

() Discussion only (X) Action

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August 18, 2021

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Re: 2021-23 JRI Grant Application

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Umatilla County Board of Commissioners reviewed the Umatilla County's Justice Reinvestment application for 2021/23 grant funding at the meeting of August 18, 2021. This letter is notification that the Board of Commissioners approves and supports the application and reaffirms its commitment to this program.

The application reflects the continued commitment by the county and its Board of Commissioners to implement the goals of Justice Reinvestment, and expansion of community programs to reduce recidivism. The County and its partners continue to actively review its programs and the results to prioritize our current evidence based programming, as well as to evaluate additional evidence based alternatives to help us continue to succeed in meeting those goals. We are seeking continuation of funding to reduce recidivism while protecting public safety and holding offenders accountable.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this application.

Sincerely yours,

George L. Murdock Chair, Board of Commissioners

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