FY2015/16 JAG ALLOCATION		
For:	SUNNYVALE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY	PROGRAM AND BUDGET WORKSHEET AND NARRATIVE
	SUNNYVALE, CALIFORNIA	
		PROGRAM NARRATIVE (ATTACHMENT 1)

The Sunnyvale Department of Public Safety proposes to purchase necessary equipment for front-line law enforcement utilizing the allocation of \$11,432 in FY2015/16 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) funding. The Department's law enforcement capabilities will be enhanced by using the supplies and equipment listed below. Ongoing budgetary constraints have made it necessary to acquire grant funding for the purchase of this vital equipment.

Item #1: Three (3) Sage Guns @ \$1,795 each......\$5,385.00

To more adequately serve frontline operational needs, three (3) additional Sage Guns are needed to expand and enhance the Department of Public Safety's law enforcement response capabilities. The model requested is the Over/Under Launcher which is perfectly suited for use by patrol officers and SWAT Team members

Item #2: One (1) K-9 Bite Suit\$1,500.00

The Department of Public Safety currently employs four (4) canine patrol officers who participate in ongoing inhouse training and monthly/quarterly training at the county level. The bite suit currently being used for training is 10-15 years old and has already had its arms replaced more than once. The purchase of a new bite suit would allow canine handlers to train without concern for injury resulting from failure of the training equipment.

Item #3: Five (5) First responder vests @ \$194.40 each......\$972.00

The Crisis Negotiation Team (CNT) is currently in need of equipment designed to allow each operator to carry

necessary safety equipment in an ergonomically appropriate manner. Officers operating in the CNT environment are often faced with long operational periods in which they are required to carry negotiating and safety equipment on their person for extended periods of time. The load bearing first responder vests will enable them to carry all necessary equipment in a balanced and functional manner, thus allowing operators to work at maximum efficiency while sustaining operations over protracted time intervals.

Item #4: One (1) Master Crime Scene Barrier Kit......\$2,299.00

An SRN 1000 Privacy Barrier System includes 4 screens, 3 tripods, 1 Mobile travel bag, 3 weighted bags and 2 Caution Beacons barriers. Acquisition of this kit would provide patrol with a means for maintaining the privacy of families and victims who are injured or deceased, and would allow officers to secure and block off any scene, reducing the incidence of visual infringement by the public and media.

Performance metrics associated with the equipment purchased will be in the form of performance evaluations conducted by department personnel. The evaluations will answer the following questions:

- a) Does the equipment improve or enhance readiness in the field or in training exercises?
- b) Does the equipment create any efficiencies in terms of response time or capability?
- c) Is officer training a prerequisite for using this equipment? If so, how much training per officer is required?
- d) Did use of this equipment present any unexpected challenges? If so, how could those challenges be overcome in the future?
- e) Was there any feedback from the public or media regarding deployment of this equipment?