

Lead Agency: District Attorney

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Program Offer Type: Existing Operating

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics: Backfill State/Federal/Grant

Executive Summary

This position has, for the past 3 years, been funded with congressional mandated funding. The Deputy District Attorney works closely with the community, public safety partners and forensic experts to prosecute financial fraud crimes committed against the elderly.

Program Description

This position engages the community and local law enforcement agencies to educate them on financial fraud committed against elder citizens. The Deputy meets with the Interagency Committee for Abuse Prevention on a bi-monthly basis to discuss issues surrounding the abuse of elder citizens. Working closely with Investigators and Forensic Experts the Deputy prosecutes Fraud cases involving crimes against the growing Elder population. In addition this position takes calls and letters from the community regarding potential fraud and abuse situations and connects these victims with both Adult Protective Services as well as law enforcement, so that the victim can be protected from the perpetrator. The Deputy DA has successfully prosecuted 99% of offenders which has resulted in over 2 million in restitution being ordered.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	Previous Year Actual (FY09-10)	Current Year Purchased (FY10-11)	Current Year Estimate (FY10-11)	Next Year Offer (FY11-12)
Output	Restitution ordered	2,229,004	0	2,000,000	2,000,000
Outcome	percentage of defendants convicted	98.7%	0.0%	98.0%	98.0%

Performance Measure - Description

conviction Rate- percentage of defendants convicted

restitution ordered- the amount of restitution ordered as a result of the case.

Legal/Contractual Obligation

ORS 8.660 Attending court and prosecuting offenses. (1) The district attorney shall attend the terms of all courts having jurisdiction of public offenses within the district attorney's county, and, except as otherwise provided in this section, conduct, on behalf of the state, all prosecutions for such offenses therein.

ORS 8.665 Prosecuting violations. Upon the issuance of a citation by any person authorized to issue citations for violations, a district attorney shall prosecute the case if it appears that a violation has occurred.

ORS 8.670 Proceedings before magistrates and grand jury. The district attorney shall institute proceedings before magistrates for the arrest of persons charged with or reasonably suspected of public offenses, when the district attorney has information that any such offense has been committed, and attend upon and advise the grand jury when required.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2011	2011	2012	2012
Personnel	\$0	\$0	\$146,198	\$0
Total GF/non-GF:	\$0	\$0	\$146,198	\$0
Program Total:	\$0		\$146,198	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00
Program Revenues				
Total Revenue:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last year this program was:

This position is outside of constraint due to lost federal funding.