

RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION 2026-148 ACCEPTING VAWA GRANT AWARD FROM THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES (OCJS), FOR THE ASHTABULA COUNTY VICTIMS OF CRIME ASSISTANCE OFFICE, PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE, 2025-WF-VA5-38090

WHEREAS, the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) was originally passed by Congress and signed into law by the president in 2013 and established the VAWA Grant Fund and was reauthorized in 2022; and

WHEREAS, Resolution Number 2026-148 approved by the Board of Commissioners on March 17, 2026 listed grant award amounts that need adjusted, as follows:

OCJS Funds: \$41,683.01

Cash Match: \$13,894.34

Total: \$55,577.35

WHEREAS, the Commissioners feel such an amendment desirable and is necessary; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of Commissioners of Ashtabula County, Ohio that the amendment to Resolution No. 2026-148 on March 17, 2026 regarding the VAWA grant award from the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services is hereby approved in accordance with a copy of said amendment on file in this office.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that J. P. Ducro IV, on behalf of the Board of Commissioners of Ashtabula County, is authorized to execute any and all necessary documents.

**ASHTABULA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CERTIFICATION PAGE**

Resolution No. 2026-204

April 28, 2026

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Upon the motion of Kathryn L. Whittington, seconded by Casey R. Kozlowski.

VOTE:

Casey R. Kozlowski
Kathryn L. Whittington
J.P. Ducro IV

Aye
Aye
Absent

CERTIFICATE OF CLERK

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of a resolution acted upon and duly passed by the Board of County Commissioners of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the date noted above.

Lisa Hawkins

Lisa Hawkins, Clerk of the Board
Board of County Commissioners
Ashtabula County, Ohio



Office of Criminal Justice Services

SUBGRANT AWARD AGREEMENT

Subgrant Number: 2025-WF-VA5-38090

Title: STOP VAWA Proposal 25

In accordance with the provisions of the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA), as enacted by the 103rd Congress, as set forth in Title IV of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994, Pub. L. No. 103-322, 108 Stat. 1796 (Sept, 1994). The VAWA, in part, amends the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, as amended (the Omnibus Act), U.S.C. 3711 et seq., by adding a new 'Part T', (Catalog of Federal Assistance 16.588). Part T comprises Sections 2001 through 2006 to be codified at 42 U.S.C. 3796gg through 3796gg-5. Unless otherwise specified, statutory references to those provisions will be to the Sections in Part T of the Omnibus Act, as amended by the VAWA, in accordance with the Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services, as the duly authorized State Agency, hereby approves the project application submitted as complying with the requirements of the Agency for the fiscal year indicated in the subgrant number above and awards to the foregoing Subgrantee a Subgrant as follows:

Subgrantee:	Ashtabula County		
Implementing Agency:	Ashtabula County Prosecutor's Office		
Award Periods:	01/01/2026 to 12/31/2026		
Closeout Deadline:	03/01/2027		
Award Amounts:	OCJS Funds:	\$41,683.01	75%
	Cash Match:	\$13,894.34	25%
	Inkind Match:	\$0.00	0%
	Project Total	\$55,577.35	100%

The terms set forth in the 'Responsibility for Claims' section of the OCJS Standard Federal Subgrant Conditions Handbook are subject to Ohio law, including section 3345.15 of the Ohio Revised Code and the Ohio Constitution. As a result, those terms may not apply to subgrant recipients who are political subdivisions of the state, and do not apply to state instrumentalities.

This Subgrant is subject to the statements as set forth in the approved Programmatic and Budget Application submitted and approved revisions thereto, as well as the OCJS Standard Federal Subgrant Conditions and Special Conditions to this Subgrant, which are attached hereto and hereby included by reference herein. The Subgrant is also bound by all applicable federal guidelines, as referenced in the Standard Conditions. Revisions to this Subgrant Award Agreement must be approved in writing by OCJS.

The Subgrant shall become effective as of the award date, for the period indicated, upon return to OCJS of this Subgrant Award Agreement executed on the behalf of the Subgrantee's and Implementing Agency's authorized official in the space provided below.

Nicole M. Dehner

04/26/2026

Nicole M. Dehner, Executive Director
Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services

Award Date

The Subgrantee agrees to serve as the official subrecipient of the award, agrees to provide the required match as indicated above, and assumes overall responsibility for the compliance with the terms and conditions of the award. I hereby accept this subgrant on behalf of the Subgrantee.

The Implementing Agency agrees to comply with the terms and conditions of the award. I hereby accept this subgrant on behalf of the Implementing Agency.

J. P. Ducro

4-28-26

April Grabman

4/27/26

Commissioner
J. P. Ducro

Date

Ashtabula County Prosecutor
April Grabman

Date