

COPS HIRING RECOVERY PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT Summary for Puerto Rico | July 28, 2009

		Applicants from Puerto Rico		
	All Grant Applicants	All Applicants for State	From Jurisdiction with >= 150,000 population	From Jurisdiction with < 150,000 population
Applications				
Agencies Applying	7,272	34	4	30
Agencies Awarded	1,046	6	2	4
Percent of Agencies Awarded	14.3%	17.65 %	50.00 %	13.33 %
Allocation of Funds				
Total Funds Requested	\$8,348,747,295	\$104,960,957	\$43,822,130	\$61,138,827
Total Funds Awarded	\$999,955,434	\$5,055,555	\$2,431,561	\$2,623,994
Percent of Funds Awarded	12.0%	4.82 %	5.55 %	4.29 %
Sworn-Officer Positions				
Total Officers Requested	39,346	1269	490	779
Total Officers Awarded	4,699	59	29	30
Percent of Officers Awarded	11.9%	4.65 %	5.92 %	3.85 %
Job Impact				
Total Jobs Saved (rehired or lay-off averted)	881	6	0	6
Total New Jobs	3,818	53	29	24
* Award Criteria				
Avg Fiscal Health Index (0-50)	11.38	15.87	19.24	15.42
Avg Crime/Community Policing Index (0-50)	24.74	24.89	26.67	24.65

State Proportions			
Population as a Portion of U.S. Population:	1.28 %		
** Proportion of Total Funds Awarded:	0.51 %		
Proportion of Total Officers Awarded:	1.26 %		

^{*} Each individual question was assigned a score based on the overall weight given to each category (fiscal health and crime/community policing) based on a 100 point scale. Specifically, the questions pertaining to fiscal health were constructed to sum to equal 50 points, the crime/community policing indicators to sum to 50 points. Under the fiscal health section, the applicant was asked to provide data about its: jurisdiction and agency budget, locally generated revenues, and general do balances for the last three fiscal years; unemployment, foreclosure, and poverty rates; the numbers of positions in the agency and jurisdiction that have been laid-off, furloughed, or have not been filled due to budget constraints; and other economic health indicators like bankruptcy and bond ratings.

^{**} The law requires that half of all CHRP funds be awarded to jurisdictions that serve populations greater than 150,000 and half be awarded to jurisdictions that serve populations less than 150,000. The law also requires that 0.5% of all CHRP funds be awarded to jurisdictions from each of the states and territories.

Name of Grantee	Grant Amount:\$	Officer Positions
Bayamon, Municipality of	\$483,162.	00 6
Caguas, Municipality of	\$704,984.	00
Guaynabo, Municipality of	\$1,357,692.	00 14
Ponce, Municipality of	\$1,948,399.	00 23
Vega Baja, Municipality of	\$107,436.	00 2
Yauco, Municipality of	\$453,882.	00 6