

LEAA APPROVES 1974 PLAN

Prevention Units Form Association

185 W. State Street
Trenton, N. J.

\$18,668,000 Awarded

Increased lighting, hotlines, neighborhood meetings, Operation Identification, Project Aware, Operation Good Neighbor and speakers bureaus are all components of Crime Prevention Units, (CPU's) designed to reduce the incidence of crime in designated areas.

By focusing in on a target area in a community, police departments can develop programs using some of the concepts above and additional ideas to create an atmosphere that is not conducive to crime.

For example, Operation Good Neighbor involves the recruitment of one citizen in each block of a target area to observe activity on the block and report back to the CPU. Resident hotlines have also been effective tools for citizens to report crimes or suspicious activities to the Unit while remaining anonymous. In order to bring safety practices to the people of the target area, a speakers bureau can be organized to recruit qualified persons to assist community groups upon request.

Plainfield and Trenton have implemented CPU's with grants from the State Law Enforcement Planning Agency and their programs have become valuable assets to their respective communities. Much interest in the CPU concept has recently been generated by other communities interested in implementing a similar program.

Representatives from the police departments of Plainfield, Trenton, South Plainfield and Elizabeth recently met to discuss and exchange information on the success of the CPU program. All four have shown interest in forming a State Crime Prevention Unit Association for members to exchange ideas, equipment and

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The State Law Enforcement Planning Agency's 1974 *Criminal Justice Plan for New Jersey* was approved by the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration on February 11 and a block grant of \$18,668,000 in funds for Fiscal 1974 was awarded.

SLEPA is receiving the same dollar amount in program monies as awarded last year in addition to which, the LEAA guidelines have changed the match from 75% Agency funds — 25% local match to 90% Agency funds — 10% local hard cash match. In effect, this actually decreases the amount of money available for programs in the 1974 *Plan*.

Applications Accepted

The approved *Plan* which is presently being distributed, calls for an expenditure of \$16,703,000 in Part C funds and \$1,965,000 in Part E funds. Applications for projects outlined in the *Plan* are being accepted by the Agency and interested applicants should follow the instructions in the 1974 *Applicants Guide*, now available.

Changes Noted

Several substantive changes appear in the 1974 *Plan* worth noting. The following programs outlined in the 1973 *Plan* have been eliminated this year: (1-1) Retraining of Criminal Justice Personnel in the New Penal Code; (5-4) Specialized Equipment for Local Police and County Law Enforcement Agencies to Improve Detection, Apprehension and Conviction of Criminals; and (5-6) Uniform Internal Municipal Police Records.

In addition, several other program areas have been modified, expanded or combined with others. The following programs appear in a different form in this year's *Plan*: (6-3) Diversion of Alcoholic Offenders has been expanded to include the diversion of alcoholic offenders and drug dependent individuals for formal court diversion under N. J. Rule 3:28; (7-2) has been expanded from simply Diagnostic Services Available to the Juvenile Court to Juvenile Probation Intake Screening which includes diagnostic services as an element of a total referral system utilizing community resources (7-3) Improvement of Probation Services and (7-10) Development of a Statewide System for Pre-trial Release have been combined into (7-5) Improvement of Probation Services; (8-3) Improvement of Direct Treatment Services in State Correctional Institutions and (8-7) Treatment of Drug Dependent Inmates have been combined into (8-6) Treatment of Special Offender Types in State Correctional Institutions.

Those interested in obtaining a copy of the *Guide* or *Plan* who have not yet received one, should contact

FORM REVISION

SLEPA Form 107 *Detailed Cost Statement-Cash Report/Cash Request* appears in the 1974 *Applicants Guide* in revised form. This form is to be used only when reporting on 1974 monies. All those requesting 1972 or 1973 monies are to use SLEPA Form 107 as it appears in the 1973 *Guide*. When requesting additional blanks from the Agency, indicate the funding year.



PROFILE

of

New Governing Board Chairman

WILLIAM F. HYLAND
Attorney General

A talented musician, the father of six children, an attorney with 16 years of state service behind him, a former legislator, and a man determined to help give New Jersey a new image describes the State's Attorney General, William F. Hyland.

Appointed to his new post in January by Governor Brendan T. Byrne, Hyland serves as the State's chief legal officer and administers the Department of Law and Public Safety. In addition, he serves as chairman of the State Law Enforcement Planning Agency Governing Board.

"I hope to enforce the law with the bite that enforcement requires and the mercy that justice demands," Hyland stated upon taking his oath of office. "I'm as distressed as anyone can be about the reputation that New Jersey has gotten that crime is tolerated here."

Hyland received his undergraduate degree from the Wharton School of Business after which he worked for a short time as an accountant for Price-Waterhouse. He graduated from the University of Pennsylvania Law School and then entered private practice.

In 1953 Hyland was elected to the New Jersey Assembly where he served three consecutive terms until 1961. During his legislative career, he served as the Democratic Minority Leader and in 1958 as the Speaker of the House, the first Democrat in that slot in 21 years.

In 1961 Hyland was appointed president of the Public Utilities Commission by Governor Meyner. Following that post in 1968, Governor Hughes named him chairman of the newly created State Commission of Investigation (SCI) during which time he was dedicated to cleaning-up corruption in the State. Following his term in the SCI, Hyland returned to private practice.

Throughout his career, Hyland has remained active in a variety of activities. In 1971 he was the impetus behind the formation of the Committee for a Responsive Legislature and chaired the group as well. In addition, he was the one-time president of the Young Democrats of Camden, a member of both Phi Kappa Psi and the Knights of Columbus, president of the University of Pennsylvania Law Alumni Association in 1972 and currently, an associate trustee of the University.

Now a Cherry Hill resident, Hyland was born in Burlington on July 30, 1923. He has a wife, Joan; and six children, William (Township manager of Sparta), Nancy (a nurse), and Stephen, Emma, Margie, and Thomas (all students).

Hyland served as a Navy Lieutenant during World War II and participated in Atlantic Convoy Duty as well as the invasions of Luzon and Iwo Jima.

Among his numerous activities, Hyland is an accomplished musician playing the clarinet and saxophone with excellence. In spite of his demanding new position, the Attorney General finds time to play with the Cherry Hill Wind Symphony on a regular basis. "I've stayed with music for the love of it and the relaxation it provides," states Hyland.

New Jersey's new Attorney General is a dynamic man dedicated to the eradication of corruption in the State. As he himself jokingly once put it, "They've chosen a little man for a big job." All indications point-out the fact that stature has little to do with ability, determination and accomplishment.

LEEP Takes New Direction

Criminal justice personnel and students interested in pursuing a criminal justice career can be expecting some changes in the Law Enforcement Education Program (LEEP) soon. The LEEP Task Force has been hard at work over the past few months developing long and short-term recommendations for the improvement of law enforcement education programs on a national basis at the request of LEAA.

LEEP was originally established to provide in-service grants to criminal justice personnel and loans to practitioners on academic leave and pre-service students.

New Jersey's SPA has been particularly active in the development of new recommendations affecting LEEP as the two components of the Task Force include Agency staff. Executive Director John J. Mullaney serves on the Policy Committee of the Task Force while Assistant Director of Planning, Donald J. Apai, chairs the Working Committee.

The Task Force was charged with the responsibility of developing and presenting sound recommendations for the improvement of law enforcement education by LEAA at the beginning of this year. The Working Committee held its first meeting February 21 and already their report is under deliberation by the Policy Committee.

The guidelines and procedures establishing these new recommendations will be available by January 1, 1975 and they are due to be put into effect with fiscal '76 funds.

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personnel experience with other interested police departments.

By forming a State Association, mistakes made in initial prevention programs could be avoided in new programs and in many instances, costs could be reduced by sharing available equipment.

At a time when the State Law Enforcement Planning Agency will be forced to limit funding, it is important that police departments work together to identify their problems as well as solve them.

The Association's first meeting will be held within the next month. Anyone interested in more information about CPU's or the Association should contact either Alvin Beveridge, State Law Enforcement Planning Agency, (609) 292-3118 or Sergeant Ray Evans, Plainfield Police Department, (201) 753-3088.

NEW JERSEY PROJECTS APPROVED FOR 1972 AND 1973 FUNDS

GRANT NO.	APPLICANT/IMPLEMENTING AGENCY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
A-243-72	Jersey City/Municipal Court	Municipal Court Improvement Program	\$ 64,914
A-244-72	Paterson/Police Dept.	Crime Scene Specialists	4,376
A-245-72	Admin. Office of the Courts	Municipal Court Judges Orientation Seminar	10,038
A-246-72	Dept. of Institutions and Agencies/ Garden State School District	Library Services Program	94,913
A-247-72	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Div. of State Police	Chiefs of Police Management Seminar	12,735*
A-248-72	South Orange/Police Dept.	Human Relations Training Program	5,958
A-249-72	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Div. of State Police	Expansion of Crime Lab Services	105,000*
A-250-72	Dept. of Education/Urban Education Corps	Correctional Education Program-Seventh Cycle	31,955*
A-251-72	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Div. of State Police	Supervision of Police Personnel Training	7,420*
A-252-72	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Div. of State Police	Police Command Training Course	4,080*
A-253-72	Atlantic County/Prosecutor's Office	Specialized Equipment for Atlantic County Prosecutor's Office	13,592
A-254-72	Bridgewater Township/Police Dept.	Communications Project	55,000
A-255-72	Camden City/Police Dept.	Project "DATUM" Coding Equipment	713
A-256-72	Elizabeth/Police Dept.	Special Equipment to Complement the use of Project "DATUM"	21,123
A-257-72	Elizabeth/Police Dept	Project "DATUM" Coding Equipment	713
A-258-72	Englewood Cliffs Boro/Police Dept.	Improved Communications for the Englewood Cliffs Police Dept.	40,000
A-259-72	Jersey City/Police Dept.	Project "DATUM" Coding Equipment	950
A-260-72	Mahwah Township/Police Dept.	Reduction of Response Time in Communications and Service	37,895
A-261-72	Newark/Police Dept.	Project "DATUM" Coding Equipment	713
A-262-72	Paterson/Police Dept.	Project "DATUM" Coding Equipment	713
A-263-72	State of N.J., Dept of Law and Public Safety/Div. of Criminal Justice	Centralized Handling of all Criminal Appeals for the State	56,870*
TOTAL			\$ 569,671
A-140-73	Union County/Prosecutor's Office	Gambling Investigation Seminar	\$ 2,729
A-141-73	Hudson County/Office of the County Court Administrator	Pre-Trial Intervention Project	192,090*
A-142-73	Middlesex County/Board of Chosen Freeholders	Automated Information System	117,128*
A-143-73	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Police Training Commission	Training Programs for Criminal Justice Personnel	43,022
A-144-73	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Police Training Commission	Police Management Consultant Services	50,000
A-145-73	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Police Training Commission	Retraining of Personnel in Proposed Penal Code	40,500
A-146-73	Glassboro State College/Law Justice Studies Program	Criminal Justice Baccalaureate Degree Program	25,000*
A-147-73	Mercer County/County Courts	Court Management Information Center	217,530
A-148-73	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Div. of Systems and Communications	Statewide Communications and Information System	760,000*
A-149-73	Asbury Park/Police Dept.	Police-Community Relations	16,475*
A-150-73	Edison Twp./Police Dept.	Youth Services Program	39,781
A-151-73	Bergen County/Office of Narcotics Program Coordinator	Methadone Maintenance Program	138,630*
A-152-73	Essex County/Girls' Center of Essex County	Girls' Residential Treatment Facility	89,600*
A-153-73	Essex County/Juvenile Court	Juvenile Conference Committee	\$ 81,966*
A-154-73	Irvington/Youth Resources Center	Youth Resources Center	66,327*

* Continuation Grant

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GRANT NO.	APPLICANT/IMPLEMENTING AGENCY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
A-155-73	Morris Twp./Police Dept.	Report Recording System	7,893
A-156-73	Dept. of Health/Patrick House, Inc.	Bayonne Outreach Center	80,000
A-157-73	Passaic County/Probation Dept.	Coordinated Bail Project	32,860*
A-158-73	Trenton/United Progress, Inc.	Residential Youth Center	85,000*
A-159-73	Camden County/County Courts	Court Management Information Center	65,472*
A-160-73	Dept. of Law and Public Safety/Div. of State Police	Organized Crime Training Program	37,500*
A-161-73	Newark/Community Information and Referral Services, Inc.	Newark Defendants	175,218*
A-162-73	Administrative Office of the Courts	Training Coordinator, Judiciary	28,343*
A-163-73	Atlantic County/Prosecutor's Office	County-wide Police Legal Advisor	25,000
A-164-73	Camden County/Camden County Group Homes, Inc.	Group Homes for Camden County	95,000
A-165-73	Clifton/Police Dept.	School (High/Jr. High) Resource Officers	25,449*
A-166-73	Englewood/Police Dept.	Police Youth Services	18,624
A-167-73	Essex County/Prosecutor's Office	Police Legal Advisor Project	25,000
A-168-73	Essex County/Sheriff's Dept.	Essex County Jail Library Project	5,000
A-169-73	Essex County/Integrity, Inc.	Rehabilitation Program — Youth Facility	140,019*
A-170-73	Keansburg Boro/Police Dept.	Police Service to Juveniles	14,700
A-171-73	Kearny/Community Council on Drug Abuse	Drug Abuse Treatment Grant	41,512*
A-172-73	Passaic City/Police Dept.	Youth Service Bureau	83,564
A-173-73	Passaic County/Children's Shelter	Social Services and Education at Passaic Co. Children's Shelter	35,893*
A-174-73	Phillipsburg/Dept. of Public Safety	Juvenile Aid Service	29,887*
A-175-73	So. Brunswick Township/Police Dept.	Reduction of Police Response Time through More Efficient Communication	37,500
A-176-73	Sussex County/Prosecutor's Office	County-Wide Police Legal Advisor	25,000
TOTAL			\$2,995,212

GRANT NO.	APPLICANT/IMPLEMENTING AGENCY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
A-1-74	Dept. of Health/Div. of Narcotic and Drug Abuse Control	Drug Abuse Treatment Project	\$ 100,000*
A-2-74	Dept. of Health/Patrick House Inc.	Community Based Methadone Maintenance Center	724,135*
A-3-74	Bergen County/Probation Dept.	Bergen County Pre-Trial Intervention Project	137,687
A-4-74	Brigantine/Police Dept.	Reduction of Police Response Time	32,556
A-5-74	Burlington County/Probation Dept.	Volunteer Probation Counselor Program	38,399*
A-6-74	Lower Township/Police Dept.	Increasing Communication Capability	26,350
A-7-74	Orange/Office of Juvenile Services	Orange Youth Service Bureau	99,561*
A-8-74	Pennsauken Township/Police Dept.	Constant Communications Network	38,070
A-9-74	Plainfield/Police Division	Police Information System	48,145*
A-10-74	Somerset County/County Park Police	A Regional Law Enforcement Communications System	75,825
A-11-74	Vineland on behalf of Bridgeton, Millville, Cumberland Co.'s Prosecutor's Office/Police Dept.	Narcotics and Special Investigation Unit	23,688*
A-12-74	Wayne Township/Police Dept.	Wayne Area Narcotics Enforcement Program	40,000
TOTAL			\$1,384,416

E-11-73	Administrative Office of the Courts	Probation Staff Coordinators for Volunteer and Diversion Programs	43,711**
E-12-73	Dept. of Institutions and Agencies/Div. of Correction and Parole	Coordination of Community Based Programs	30,462*
E-13-73	Dept. of Institutions and Agencies/Div. of Correction and Parole	Volunteers in Parole Program	70,000
TOTAL			\$ 144,173

**Replaces A-77-73

*Continuation Grant

SLEPA STAFF (cont.)

neth Modzelewski, a past intern in the Court Unit. Debbi comes to us with a degree in speech communications from Calvin College in Grand Rapids, Michigan; and Ken with a degree in criminal justice from Trenton State College.

Steve Faluvegi and Vincent Penachi are the two new corrections analysts. Steve is a native Hungarian with a degree in finance and commerce from the Wharton School and a masters in business administration from Rutgers. He has taught in the Trenton State Prison Work Release Program, held an instructorship in the Mercer County College Prison Education Network, and served as business manager for the State Prison at Leesburg. Vincent, the new senior program analyst, has recently completed his masters in special education at Trenton State College prior to which he taught at the Delaware Valley Rehabilitation Center supervising interns from Trenton State and Rider Colleges.

The Administration Section has done the most expanding recently. Fred Schrenk is the new assistant fiscal officer. He worked in computer programming, data processing and auditing prior to his SLEPA appointment. Fred graduated from Rider College in 1972 with a degree in business administration.

Louis Finey and Robert Caccese are the two new auditors. Prior to joining SLEPA Louis worked as an auditor for Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Company and for the Public Utilities Department. Active in the Sickie Cell

Anemia Drive and the Big Brother Society, Lou keeps very busy after work. Robert has an accounting degree from LaSalle and has worked as a field accountant for a Philadelphia based construction firm.

Finally, Lynda Stier and Sharon Senzick joined Administration. Lynda was a bookkeeper for Trio Auto Supply before coming to SLEPA. She joined our bookkeeping staff and has an interest in drag racing for which she has won many trophies. Sharon is the new secretary for the fiscal section and has previous secretarial experience with the New Jersey State Police and the Greater Mercer Comprehensive Planning Council.

SLEPA STAFF HIGHLIGHTS

Terry Edwards, an analyst in Prevention, recently chaired a workshop on the "Role of Social Services Agencies in Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Programs" for the Eastern Regional Conference of the Child Welfare League of America. **Rick Brandt**, chief of Corrections, served as a panelist on May 1 for the 73rd Annual Conference of the New Jersey Welfare Council. His panel dealt with two questions: Does the prison system work? and What alternatives are there? **Ronald Sost** and **William Hoffman** are scheduled to receive their masters degrees in Public Administration from Rider College in June.

QUESTION BOX

- Q.** Why is it important that the Agency receive all Quarterly Narrative Reports in duplicate?
- A.** The Agency maintains duplicate files on all projects. The official grant file is kept in Administration while working files are maintained separately for Operations and Planning.
- Q.** Has there been a change in the deadline date for use of FY '72 monies?
- A.** Yes. The deadline date for the obligation of 1972 funds has been extended from April 16, 1974 to June 30. Funds obligated by this date must be expended by September 30. Unexpended and unobligated funds must be returned to SLEPA. Contact Administration to insure the proper return of unused grant funds.

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