

CHAPTER 116

GOVERNMENT - STATE

SENATE BILL 98-031

BY SENATORS Linkhart, Bishop, Reeves, Rupert, and Thiebaut;
also REPRESENTATIVES Leyba, Clarke, Pfiffner, and Taylor.

AN ACT

CONCERNING REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO THE AWARDING OF GRANTS UNDER THE YOUTH CRIME PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. 24-32-2801 (2) (a), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

24-32-2801. Youth crime prevention and intervention program - creation - standards - applications. (2) (a) The youth crime prevention and intervention program shall be administered through the department of local affairs. Subject to the designation in paragraph (b) of this subsection (2), the youth crime prevention and intervention program board created in section 24-32-2802 shall choose those entities that will receive grants through the youth crime prevention and intervention program and the amount of each grant. In addition, the department of local affairs shall monitor the effectiveness of ~~each program that receives~~ PROGRAMS THAT RECEIVE funds through the youth crime prevention and intervention program.

SECTION 2. 24-32-2802 (2) (c) and (3), Colorado Revised Statutes, are amended to read:

24-32-2802. Youth crime prevention and intervention program board - members - duties. (2) (c) In addition to the guidelines and criteria developed pursuant to paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection (2), the board shall develop result-oriented criteria for measuring the effectiveness of programs that receive grants under the youth crime prevention and intervention program AS DEEMED APPROPRIATE TO THE NATURE OF EACH PROGRAM including, but not limited to, requiring grantees ~~to implement a method of tracking for at least two years the persons served by the program~~ to evaluate the impact of the services provided by the program.

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

(3) In addition to the guidelines and criteria developed pursuant to subsection (2) of this section, the board shall establish timelines for submission and review of applications for grants through the youth crime prevention and intervention program. ~~under which the board shall accept applications at least twice in each twelve-month period.~~ The board shall also adopt timelines for submission to the governor of the list of entities chosen to receive grants. ~~The timelines shall not allow the board to submit such list more often than once every six months; except that,~~ If the governor disapproves the list, the board may submit a replacement list within thirty days after such disapproval.

SECTION 3. Effective date. This act shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly that is allowed for submitting a referendum petition pursuant to article V, section 1 (3) of the state constitution; except that, if a referendum petition is filed against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part, if approved by the people, shall take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by proclamation of the governor.

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