

The Portage County Sheriff's Department and the City of Kent are applying for a direct allocation grant from the United States Department of Justice through the Edward G. Byrne Memorial Grant Program. This grant is for a total of \$71,464.00 of which \$45,972.00 will be used by the City of Kent to conduct a citizen police academy enhanced by patrol and k-9 acquisition and training, and neighborhood policing. Portage County's Sheriff's Department will be using \$25,492.00 for the purchase of a vehicle to be used for road patrol.

Please contact the Portage County Grants Administrator at (330) 297-3600 with questions about the grant application.