Governor’s Office of Crime Control & Prevention
State Administering Agency:

- In the application for, and administration of, Federal and State funds for public safety, crime control & prevention

Promote and Coordinate:

- Public Safety linkages and partnerships between/among federal state and local agencies
Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention
Regional Monitoring

Legend
GOCCP Region
Eastern
Western

Source: Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention (GOCCP)
Updated: July 2015
Benefits of Regional Monitoring

- Establish one point of contact to streamline communications
- Promote coordinated and cooperative strategies
- Leverage scarce resources
- Allocate resources based on needs
- Identify and share best/promising practices
- Improve flexibility
A New Regional Approach

BEFORE  Silos

AFTER  Strategies

Figure 2. Tower silos may be either conventional open-top (usually concrete, cast-in-place or pre-cast stave), or oxygen limiting (usually concrete or glass-lined steel).
Facilitate State and Local Public Safety Strategies

- The Maryland Safe Streets Initiative
- Crime Mapping
- Crime Analysis
- Warrant Service
- Cross-Border Collaboration
Facilitate statewide crime data analysis and sharing to generate effective local policies and solutions:

- Legislatively required reports
- Grants performance measurement
- Stakeholder surveys
- Criminal justice research
Criminal Justice Policy Advisor to the Governor

- Promote evidence-based policies and practices to achieve significant impact on crime
  - Justice reinvestment
  - Heroin and opioid abuse efforts
  - Human trafficking
Expanding Focus on Victims

- The appointment of Steven J. Kelly as the Chair of the Maryland State Board of Victim Services
- The creation of a dedicated Victim Services Unit which incorporates the Governor’s Family Violence Council
- FY15 allocation in Federal Victims of Crime Act funding (VOCA) is approximately $36 million, an increase of $28 million
- Statewide needs assessment to determine how Role of Governor’s Office of Crime Control & Prevention should target grant funding for victim services
- Role of Governor’s Office of Crime Control & Prevention’s administration of $460,000 received through a Victim Assistance Discretionary Grant Training Program
Juvenile Justice

- Administer federal and state dollars to support non-profit organizations and local governments to:
  - Increase the use of Alternatives to Detention and Diversion from the juvenile justice system
  - Reduce Racial and Ethnic Disparities
  - Improve the judicial, administrative, and investigative handling of child abuse and neglect cases
Internal Controls

- Grant Administration Manual
- Governor’s Office of Crime Control & Prevention’s automated Time and Attendance Database
- Grants Management System
- Control Desk
- Notices of Funding Availability
- Site Visits
- Audits
Fiscal Year 2015 Grant Awarding and Monitoring

- Funding Sources Managed: 58
- Applications Processed: 900 applications totaling $123,043,652.01 in funds
- Grants Awarded: 799 awards and total $115,034,595.68
- Performance Measures and Progress Reports Reviewed: 4,999
- Financial Reports Reviewed and Processed: 3,740
- Grant Modifications Completed (Grant Adjustment Notices): 2,574
- Site Visits Conducted: 72
- Audits Completed: 39
- Total Number of mail items processed: 15,392
Governor’s Office of Crime Control & Prevention Grant Process Overview

1) Notice of Funding Availability
2) Technical Assistance Training
3) Acceptance of Applications
4) Application Review
5) Pre-award
6) Sub-award Monitoring
Victims of Crime

- On any given day $17$ Million in victims funding is on the street
- Providing aid to all victims including:
  - Domestic Violence
  - Sexual Assault
  - Stalking
  - Dating Violence
  - Victims of Crime
Victims’ Funding

Victims’ Funding Sources Include:

- Byrne Justice Assistance Grants
- Child Advocacy Centers
- Children’s Justice Act Committee
- Domestic Violence Unit Pilot Program
- Domestic Violence Prevention/Family Prevention and Services Administration
- Legal Services for Crime Victims
Victims’ Funding Sources Include:

- Maryland Victims of Crime Fund
- Community Sexual Violence Prevention & Awareness
- Sexual Assault/Rape Crisis
- Sexual Assault Services Program
- Survivors of Homicide Grant
- Violence Against Women Act
- Victims of Crime Act
Victims’ Funding

Examples of Projects Funded:

- Human Trafficking
- Temporary and transitional housing
- Bilingual advocates
- Law enforcement serving protective orders
- Coordinated community response
Examples of Projects Funded:

- Child abuse prevention and training
- Sexual Assault Response Teams (SARTs)
- Dedicated prosecutors
- 24/7 Crisis hotlines
- Safety planning
On any given day over $100 Million in criminal justice/law enforcement funding is on the street (in addition to victims’ funds).

Providing aid to all agencies including:
- Sheriff’s Offices, Police Departments, Corrections
- State Agencies, Local Management Boards
- State’s Attorney’s Offices, Courts
- Non-profit organizations
Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Funding

Criminal Justice Funding Sources Include:

- Body Armor for Local Law Enforcement/Bullet Proof Vest Partnership
- Byrne Justice Assistance Grants
- Paul Coverdell Forensics Sciences Improvement Program
- Community Service Grant Program
- Gun Violence Reduction Grant
Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Funding (Continued)

Criminal Justice Funding Sources Include:

- Juvenile Accountability Block Grant
- Maryland Safe Streets
- Project Safe Neighborhoods Anti Gun Initiative
- Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for State Prisoners
- State Aid for Police Protection Funds
- School Bus Safety Enforcement Fund
- Sex Offender and Compliance Enforcement
Examples of Projects Funded:

- Safe Streets Initiative
- Crime Analysis
- Crime Mapping
- Cell Phone Interdiction
- Re-Entry Programs
- Cross Border Collaboration
- Violent Offender Warrant Initiative
- Gun Violence Reduction strategies
Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Funding

- Examples of Projects Funded:
  - Medicated Assisted Treatment Programs
  - Body Armor
  - Law Enforcement Equipment
  - DNA Testing
  - Disproportionate Minority Contact projects
  - School Bus Safety Enforcement
  - Sex Offender Management
  - License Plate Reader systems
Applying for a Grant

- Notices of Funding Availability are:
  - Posted to the homepage: [http://goccp.maryland.gov/](http://goccp.maryland.gov/)
  - Shared with the Governor’s Grants Office for posting on their website: [http://grants.maryland.gov/Pages/default.aspx](http://grants.maryland.gov/Pages/default.aspx)
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