

# KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

## American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

### Summary Sheet

<b>City Hall Division or Agency:</b> Law, Prosecutors' Office, Domestic Violence Victims Assistance Unit	<b>Federal Stimulus Program/Funding Source:</b> US Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women
<b>Program / Project:</b> Services*Training*Officers*Prosecutors Violence Against Women (STOP VAWA) Formula Grant Program	<b>City's Program/Project Manager (phone):</b> Martha Means (816) 513-3809
<b>Council District:</b> All	<b>Council Committee:</b> Neighborhoods Public Safety
<b>Federal/State Agency in charge:</b> Missouri Department of Public Safety	<b>Federal/State contact person:</b> Marc Peoples
<b>Primary purpose/description of this program:</b> To provide safety and security to crime victims that appear in Municipal Court for domestic violence related cases from threats and intimidation by defendants.	
<b>Federal Funding through ARRA:</b> \$72,822.60	
<b>Other funding sources / Local Match needed?:</b> NO/NO	
<b>Administrative Costs and Eligibility for covering those costs:</b> Operating costs eligible for funding; indirect organization costs not eligible for funding.	
<b>Funding Period:</b> January 1, 2010 – April 30, 2011	
<b>Services provided to the public:</b> Provides safety and security to crime victims in and around the courthouse against their abusers.	
<b>Essential services this program fulfills:</b> Public Safety	
<b>Community Partners/coalitions/committees the Program/Project works with to achieve its mission and goals:</b> KCPD, Jackson County Prosecutors Office, Safe Family Coalition, metro-area battered women shelters, Rose Brooks, Hope House, New House, Mattie Rhodes, Synergy Services, Missouri Office of Prosecution Services, Missouri Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence. <b>Expected Outcomes of Program / Project:</b> Increased participation of crime victims in the prosecution process resulting in higher conviction rates for batterers.	