

Small Rural Tribal BODY WORN CAMERA PROGRAM

Welcome Webinar

Small, Rural, and Tribal Law Enforcement Agency Body-Worn Camera Program (SRT BWC)

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- Introductions
- Principles
- Micro-Grants and Program Management
- The 3 P's: Policy, Payment, and Performance
- Communications, Training, Technical Assistance

Introductions

- Dr. Shellie Solomon, JSS, Executive Project Director
- Ms. Christine Connor, JSS, Project Director
- Dr. Craig Uchida, JSS, Communications Director
- Mr. John Markovic, BJA, Senior Policy Advisor
- Dr. Brittany Cunningham, CNA, Project Manager
- Dr. Mike White, ASU, Project Director





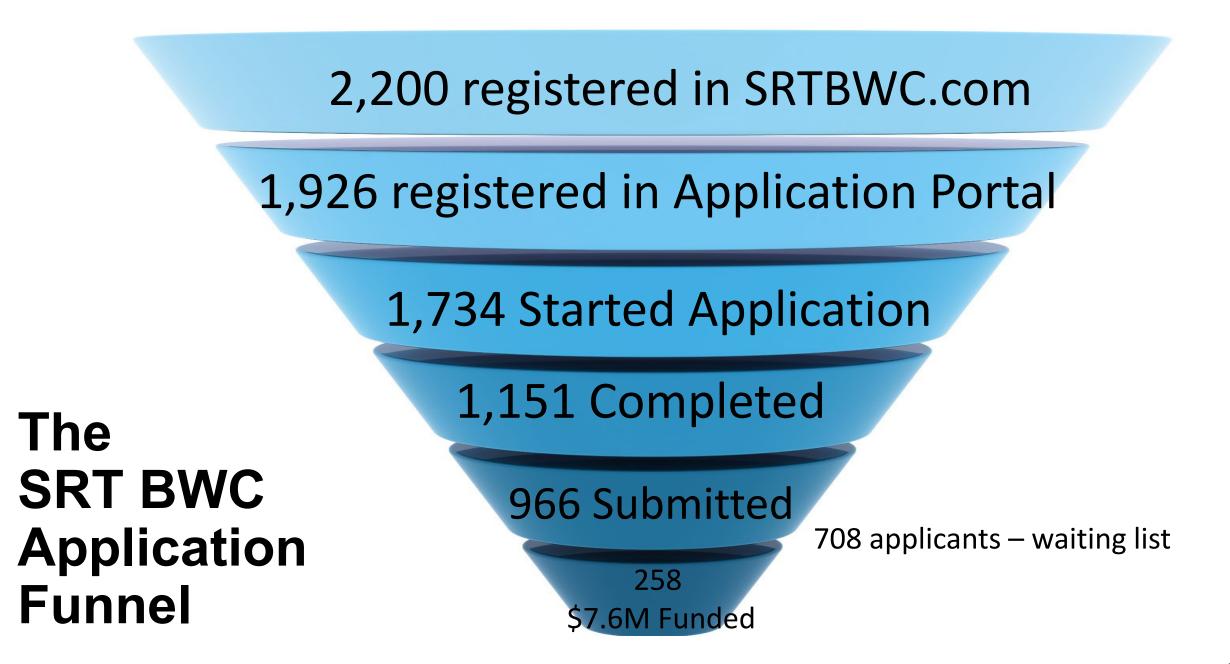




SRT BWC Micro-Grant Principles

- Customer Focused
- Ease of Use
- Leverage Technology
- Data-Driven





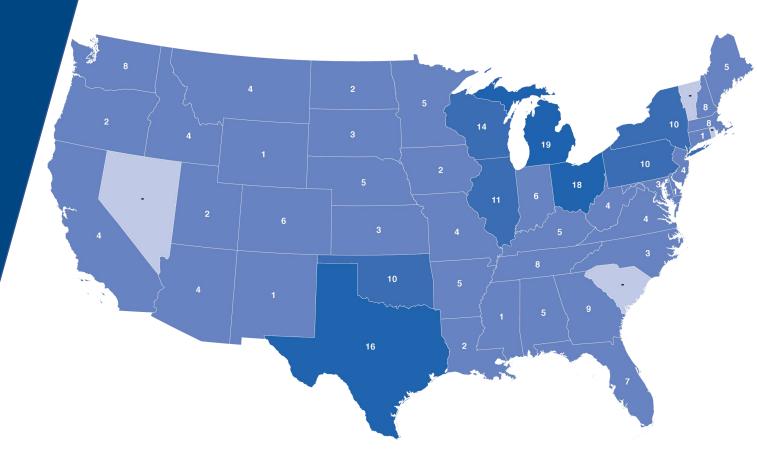
SRT BWC Waitlist

- Competitive
 Application
- Notification Methods
- SRT Helpful Resources



SRT BWC Micro-grantees

- 44 States & 1 U.S. Territory (Guam)
- 198 Municipal Police Departments
- 49 Sheriffs' Offices/County Agencies
- 3 Tribal LE agencies
- 8 University PDs & others



Customer Service: Support for Micro-grantees

- Addressing substantive questions
- Providing assistance on technical issues
- Quick response time
- Email: info@srtbwc.com
- Phone: (888) 235-0565







PolicyPaymentsPerformance

How do I complete the BWC policy review process?

- If you have a policy, please submit it
- If you don't have a policy, we can help -- Policy Wizard, TTA, etc.

 Need to complete the policy review process to obtain grant funds



What does a comprehensive policy include?

- Based on 7 years of experience with agencies
- Comprehensive but not prescriptive
- What kind of agency (Municipal, Tribal, Sheriff's Dept, etc.)
- Who is assigned a BWC
- When to activate/deactivate
- Citizen notification
- Downloading
- BWC review (officers, supervisors)
- External viewing/public release
- Training
- Program/policy evaluation



Policy Wizard



- Software tool designed specifically for SRT
- Select, click, and create an editable document
- Builds a policy within the BWC program framework
- Flexible & tailored to your agency's needs
- Use it voluntarily; not mandated
- "Turbotax" for BWC Policy

How do I get paid?: Payment Process

- Reimbursements only
- Invoices
- Review/Approval
- Direct Deposit through a secure portal



How do I show performance?

- Monthly reporting through the secure portal
- Various measures:
 - How many cameras purchased?
 - How many officers trained?
 - How many uses of force and complaints per month?
 - Other similar questions



SRT Administrative Updates



- Project Timeline
 - Minimum 12 months
 - Maximum 36 months
- Performance: Comprehensive Implementation
 - Grant Requirements (Match)
 - Policy Development
 - Training, Deployment, etc.
 - Data Collection & Reporting

Communication, Training, and Technical Assistance

- SRT Website (www.SRTBWC.com)
- SRT Newsletter
 - Issue No.1: Feb. 1, 2022
- Toolkit
- Webinars, Videos, other Media
- Custom technical assistance



Closing Remarks

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Your Questions?



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Thank You for Joining Us!