



JUDICIAL COUNCIL  
OF CALIFORNIA

**FIREARM RELINQUISHMENT GRANT PROGRAM  
GRANT APPLICATION REVIEWER RATING AND SCORING SHEET  
FOR FISCAL YEARS 2023–24 THROUGH 2024–25**

**Applicant Court:** Superior Court of California, County of \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Funds Requested:** \_\_\_\_\_

**No. of Requests for DVROs filed since January 1, 2019:** \_\_\_\_\_

**No. of Requests for GVROs filed since January 1, 2019:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**SUMMARY OF SCORES FOR GRANT APPLICATION PROPOSAL**

1. Strength of Program Activities (80 points) \_\_\_\_\_
2. Evaluation (10 points) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Budget (10 points) \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL POINTS (100 points):** \_\_\_\_\_

Each of the above categories contain questions that are assigned a point value. Grant funding recommendations will not be based on numeric scores alone. The Judicial Council will also consider geographic diversity including population and court size. Priority will be given to 1) firearm relinquishment activities related to domestic violence restraining orders, gun violence restraining orders, or any other civil protective order; and 2) courts with higher numbers of requests, per capita, for domestic violence restraining orders or gun violence restraining orders filed. The final number and amount of grant funding is subject to approval by Judicial Council.

PROJECT NARRATIVE	SCORING CRITERIA	SCORE	COMMENTS
<p><b>Strength of Program Activities</b></p> <p><b>15 points (Question 3a)</b></p> <p><b>15 points (Question 3b)</b></p> <p><b>15 points (Question 3c)</b></p> <p><b>15 points (Question 3a-c)</b></p>	<p>A. Description of how funding will be used to support new or expanded firearm relinquishment activities. If funding will be used to expand an existing program, description of the existing program and how these funds would be used to expand it.</p> <p>B. Description of the structure of the program.</p> <p>C. Description of the roles and responsibilities of the court and each partner law enforcement agency, including the responsibilities of each position that this funding would support.</p> <p>D. Description of permissible activities that support the goals of the grant program to ensure the consistent safe removal of firearms from individuals who are prohibited from owning or possessing firearms and ammunition pursuant to court order.</p>		

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<p><b>10 points (Question 3d)</b></p>	<p>E. Description of any anticipated implementation challenges and proposed plans to address them.</p>		
<p><b>5 points (Question 3e)</b></p>	<p>F. Description of any existing partnerships between the applicant court and other government, law enforcement, or non-profit agencies related to gun violence or domestic violence.</p>		
<p><b>5 points (Question 3f)</b></p>	<p>G. Description of any needs in the community or county related to firearms relinquishment, gun violence, or domestic violence that the applicant seeks to address with grant funding and proposed activities.</p>		
<p><b>Evaluation</b></p> <p><b>10 points (Section E)</b></p>	<p>Does the proposal include an electronic certification from the court and law enforcement partners that each entity will provide the key data outcomes to the Judicial Council, Firearm Violence Research Center at UC Davis, or</p>		

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	equivalent entity on a quarterly basis?		
<b>Budget</b>  <b>10 points</b> <b>(Section F)</b>	Proposed budget directly supports the firearm relinquishment activities described in the application.		
<b>TOTAL POINTS</b> <b>(100 possible points)</b>			

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