

MEDIA RELEASE

ELLETTSVILLE POLICE RECEIVE LOCAL C.A.R.E.S. GRANT

ELLETTSVILLE, INDIANA (August 19, 2016): The Monroe County C.A.R.E.S. Board recommended to the Monroe County Commissioners that the Ellettsville Police Department be awarded a grant totaling \$9,250.39 to support our department's efforts in detecting and arresting violations of Indiana's drug and alcohol laws. The money was presented at the August 19, 2016 Monroe County Commissioners meeting. The money will allow the purchase of additional in-car video cameras to record interactions between officers and suspected violators of drug and alcohol laws.

The money that the Monroe County C.A.R.E.S. Board provides to local agencies comes from the court fees that are assessed against those convicted of violations of drug and alcohol laws, as required by the Indiana State Law.

