Strengthening Traditional Law Enforcement
Expanding Resources Impacting Community Safety

The One Big Beautiful Bill Act[1] will significantly impact law enforcement across the United States through several major provisions, focusing on expanded funding, enhanced training, increased staffing, and shifts in operational priorities.

What Should You Know?

The One Big Beautiful Bill Act (Act) looks to expand resources for law enforcement officers who put their lives on the line to keep our communities safe. Here are some of the key impacts on law enforcement you should consider.

Investment in Partnerships: The Act aims to foster enhanced cooperation and direct coordination between federal agencies and their state, local, and tribal counterparts to increase community safety. Strengthened state-local partnerships will facilitate joint operations to detect and apprehend violent offenders and criminal networks, decreasing crime across the country.

Strategic Focus: The Act supports both actual patrol operations and intelligence sharing designed to disrupt drug cartels, human smuggling and other criminal activities. Through coordinated intelligence, real-time information can be gathered and shared between federal, state, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies to identify and stop individuals or groups posing threats to public safety.

Operational Enhancements: With significant investments in technology for law enforcement, training, and recruitment, the Act can enable agencies to modernize their operations and improve operational effectiveness. Funding for sophisticated technology, such as artificial intelligence supported analytics, cross-jurisdictional data sharing, license plate readers, and updated, comprehensive training ensures that both people and tools are available to translate intelligence into action.

Expanded Grant and Resource Access: The Act will provide expanded grants and resources designated for federal, state, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies to enhance their ability to investigate and prosecute human trafficking, gang activities, drug trafficking, and other forms of violent crime impacting communities. Continuing support for programs, like The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG)[2] program and Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS)[3], ensures funding not just for traditional policing but also for a range of criminal enforcement initiatives, expanding local agency options to address violent crime and public safety priorities.

The One Big Beautiful Bill Act will deliver **increased funding, operational support and expanded partnerships**, which some law enforcement leaders believe could enhance agency effectiveness, boost officer morale, and improve overall public safety outcomes in many American communities.

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1 One Big Beautiful Bill Act: https://www.congress.gov/bill/119th-congress/house-bill/1

2 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program: https://bja.ojp.gov/program/jag/overview

3 The Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Program: https://www.congress.gov/crs-product/R48151

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