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**FY 2027 Congressional Justification**

**Office on Violence Against Women**



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*FY 2027 President's Budget Submission*

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# **I. Overview for the Office on Violence Against Women**

## **Introduction**

The Fiscal Year (FY) 2027 budget request for the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) totals \$539.0 million, including 76 positions, and \$29.4 million for management and administration. This request is \$181.0 million less than the FY 2026 Enacted Budget. The full amount is requested via direct appropriation, with no transfer from the Crime Victims Fund.

## **VAWA Funding Supports Victim Services and Holds Offenders Accountable**

The Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) has led to significant improvements in how communities respond to domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking. Filling resource gaps in victim services organizations, law enforcement agencies, and prosecutors' offices, VAWA grant dollars support victim services and justice solutions as well as innovative ways of holding offenders accountable and helping victims rebuild their lives. Furthermore, VAWA grants provide training to justice and healthcare professionals, victim advocates, and others so they are equipped to respond competently and compassionately when victims request their assistance.

VAWA has been successful by funding approaches that research has shown to be effective—such as legal assistance, protection order enforcement, and access to medical forensic examinations—across grant programs. Other VAWA-funded strategies, including transitional housing, domestic violence courts, victim advocacy, civil legal assistance, community-specific services, and specialized law enforcement and prosecution units, generate tangible results both for victims and for the systems that serve them. At the core of VAWA programming is the concept of a coordinated community response, meaning working across systems and professions, and engaging community partners, to assist victims and prevent further harm.

## **Priorities**

OVW is committed to supporting projects that meaningfully enhance victim safety, hold offenders accountable, and build a coordinated community response to crimes that disproportionately harm women. This guides the FY 2027 Budget request and aligns with the Department's mission to uphold the rule of law, ensure public safety, and protect civil rights. OVW's FY 2027 budget request includes funds to sustain critical victim services, provide victims with viable options for pursuing safety, healing, and justice, and prevent further violence.

OVW works closely with Department leadership to develop Notices of Funding Opportunity (NOFOs) that align with the Administration's priorities and the President's executive orders. OVW has also reduced its staffing level, increased efficiency, and reduced costs, in line with the Administration's directives.

## **Background**

OVW's mission is to provide federal leadership in developing the nation's capacity to reduce domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking through the implementation of VAWA.

Since its inception in 1995, OVW has awarded over \$11.8 billion in grants and has launched a multifaceted approach to implementing VAWA. By forging state, local, and Tribal partnerships among victim advocates, police, prosecutors, judges, healthcare providers, service providers, faith leaders, and community-specific service organizations, OVW grant programs help provide victims with the protection and services they need to pursue safe and healthy lives, while simultaneously enabling communities to hold offenders accountable for their violence.

## **Challenges & Impacts**

Presently, OVW's greatest challenges in helping communities combat violence against women are: 1) continuing to implement the many new programs, provisions, and requirements created by the 2022 reauthorization of VAWA and 2) improving law enforcement responses and victim services in rural and remote areas, Tribal nations, and small towns.

## II. Summary of Program Changes

Item Name	POS	FTE	Dollars	Page
Tribal Special Assistant United States Attorneys (TSAUSA)	0	0	\$500	12
Rape Survivor Child Custody Act Program	0	0	\$500	13
Policing and Prosecution Initiative	0	0	[\$1,000]	14
Prosecution and Investigation of Online Harassment and Abuse	0	0	[\$1,000]	15
Grants to Combat Violence Against Women (STOP)	0	0	-\$67,000	16
Research and Evaluation Violence Against Women (NIJ)	0	0	-\$1,500	18
Transitional Housing Program	0	0	-\$11,000	19
Consolidated Youth Oriented Program	0	0	-\$11,000	20
Grants to Improve the Criminal Justice Response/Arrest	0	0	-\$5,500	21
Homicide Reduction Initiative	0	0	-\$4,000]	22

Domestic Violence Firearms Lethality Reduction	0	0	-\$[2,000]	23
Rural Program	0	0	-\$500	24
Legal Assistance for Victims Program	0	0	-\$15,000	25
Justice for Families	0	0	-\$1,000	26
Disabilities Program	0	0	-\$5,500	27
Abuse in Later Life	0	0	-\$3,000	28
Sexual Assault Services Program	0	0	-\$1,000	29
Research on Violence Against Indian Women (NIJ)	0	0	-\$1,000	30
Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction	0	0	-\$4,500	31
Restorative Practices	0	0	-\$14,000	32
Culturally Specific Services	0	0	-\$10,000	33
Underserved Populations Program	0	0	-\$4,500	34

Financial Assistance to Victims of Sexual Assault and Intimate Partner Domestic Violence (Financial Assistance Program)	0	0	-\$3,000	35
LGBT Specific Services Program	0	0	-\$1,000	36
Trauma Informed Training (Abby Honold)	0	0	-\$5,000	37
Access to Sexual Assault Nurse Exams	0	0	-\$12,000	38
Local Law Enforcement Grants for Enforcement of Cybercrimes Against Individuals	0	0	-\$5,000	39
<b>Total Program Changes</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-\$181,000</b>	

### III. Appropriations Language and Analysis of Appropriations Language

#### OFFICE ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

#### VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN PREVENTION AND PROSECUTION PROGRAMS

(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

*For grants, contracts, cooperative agreements, and other assistance for the prevention and prosecution of violence against women, as authorized by the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, as amended (34 U.S.C. 10101 et seq.) (“the 1968 Act”); title II of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (commonly known as the “Indian Civil Rights Act of 1968”) (Public Law 90-284, as amended) (“the Indian Civil Rights Act”); the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 (Public Law 103-322, as amended) (34 U.S.C. 12101 et seq.) (“the 1994 Act”); the Victims of Child Abuse Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-647) (“the 1990 Act”); the Prosecutorial Remedies and Other Tools to end the Exploitation of Children Today Act of 2003 (Public Law 108-21); the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 (34 U.S.C. 11101 et seq.) (“the 1974 Act”); the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-386, as amended) (“the 2000 Act”); the Justice for All Act of 2004 (Public Law 108-405, as amended) (“the 2004 Act”); the Violence Against Women and Department of Justice*

*Reauthorization Act of 2005 (Public Law 109-162, as amended) (“the 2005 Act”); the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2013 (Public Law 113-4) (“the 2013 Act”); the Justice for Victims of Trafficking Act of 2015 (Public Law 114-22) (“the 2015 Act”); and the Abolish Human Trafficking Act (Public Law 115-392); and the Violence Against Women Act Reauthorization Act of 2022 (division W of Public Law 117-103) (“the 2022 Act”); and for related victims services, \$539,000,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That except as otherwise provided by law, not to exceed 5 percent of funds made available under this heading may be used for expenses related to evaluation, training, and technical assistance: Provided further, That of the amount provided—*

*(1) \$190,000,000 is for grants to combat violence against women, as authorized by part T of the 1968 Act, and any applicable increases for the amount of such grants, as authorized by section 5903 of the James M. Inhofe National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023: Provided, That \$10,000,000 shall be for any such increases under such section 5903, which shall apply to fiscal year 2027 grants funded by amounts provided in this paragraph;*

*(2) \$40,000,000 is for transitional housing assistance grants for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, or sexual assault as authorized by section 40299 of the 1994 Act;*

*(3) \$1,000,000 is for the National Institute of Justice and the Bureau of Justice Statistics for research, evaluation, and statistics of violence against women and related issues addressed by grant programs of the Office on Violence Against Women, which shall be transferred to “Research, Evaluation and Statistics” for administration by the Office of Justice Programs;*

*(4) \$6,000,000 is for a grant program to provide services to advocate for and respond to youth victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking; assistance to children and youth exposed to such violence; programs to engage men and youth in prevention such violence; and assistance to middle and high school students through education and other services related to such violence: Provided, That unobligated balances available for the programs authorized by sections 41201, 41204, 41303, and 41305 of the 1994 Act, prior to its amendment by the 2013 Act, shall be available for this program: Provided further, That 10 percent of the total amount available for this grant program shall be available for grants under the program authorized by section 2015 of the 1968 Act: Provided further, That the definitions and grant conditions in section 40002 of the 1994 Act shall apply to this program;*

*(5) \$55,000,000 is for grants to improve the criminal justice response as authorized by part U of title I the 1968 Act, of which up to \$6,000,000 is for an initiative to promote effective policing and prosecution responses to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, including evaluation of the effectiveness of funded interventions (“Policing and Prosecution Initiative”) and \$1,000,000 is for an initiative to enhance prosecution and investigation of online abuse and harassment (“Prosecution and Investigation of Online Abuse Initiative”): Provided, That subsections (c) and (d) of section 2101 of the 1968 Act shall not apply to the Policing and Prosecution Initiative or the Prosecution and Investigation of Online Abuse Initiative;*

*(6) \$78,500,000 is for sexual assault victims assistance, as authorized by section 41601 of the 1994 Act;*

*(7) \$50,000,000 is for rural domestic violence and child abuse enforcement assistance grants, as authorized by section 40295 of the 1994 Act;*

*(8) \$25,000,000 is for grants to reduce violent crimes against women on campus, as authorized by section 304 of the 2005 Act, of which \$12,500,000 is for grants to Historically Black Colleges and Universities, Hispanic-Serving Institutions, and Tribal colleges and universities;*

*(9) \$40,000,000 is for legal assistance for victims, as authorized by section 1201 of the 2000 Act;*

- (10) \$6,000,000 is for enhanced training and services to end violence against and abuse of women in later life, as authorized by section 40801 of the 1994 Act;
- (11) \$20,000,000 is for grants to support families in the justice system, as authorized by section 1301 of the 2000 Act: Provided, That unobligated balances available for the programs authorized by section 1301 of the 2000 Act and section 41002 of the 1994 Act, prior to their amendment by the 2013 Act, shall be available for this program;
- (12) \$6,000,000 is for education and training to end violence against and abuse of women with disabilities, as authorized by section 1402 of the 2000 Act;
- (13) \$1,000,000 is for the National Resource Center on Workplace Responses to assist victims of domestic violence, as authorized by section 41501 of the 1994 Act;
- (14) \$1,000,000 is for analysis and research on violence against Indian women, including as authorized by section 904 of the 2005 Act: Provided, That such funds may be transferred to “Research, Evaluation and Statistics” for administration by the Office of Justice Programs;
- (15) \$500,000 is for a national clearinghouse that provides training and technical assistance on issues relating to sexual assault of American Indian and Alaska Native women;
- (16) \$10,000,000 is for programs to assist Tribal Governments in exercising special Tribal criminal jurisdiction, as authorized by section 204 of the Indian Civil Rights Act: Provided, That the grant conditions in section 40002(b) of the 1994 Act shall apply to grants made;
- (17) \$2,000,000 is for the purposes authorized under the 2015 Act
- (18) \$5,000,000 is for an initiative to support cross-designation of Tribal prosecutors as Tribal Special Assistant United States Attorneys: Provided, That the definitions and grant conditions in section 40002 of the 1994 Act shall apply to this initiative;
- (19) \$2,000,000 is for a National Deaf Services Line to provide remote services to Deaf victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking: Provided, That the definitions and grant conditions in section 40002 of the 1994 Act shall apply to this service line.

(CANCELLATION)

*Of the unobligated balances from prior year appropriations available under this heading, \$20,000,000 are hereby permanently cancelled: Provided further, That no amounts may be cancelled from amounts that were designated by the Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to a concurrent resolution on the budget or the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985.*

Note.—This account is operating under the Commerce, Justice, Science; Energy and Water Development; and Interior and Environment Appropriations Act, 2026 (Division A of Public Law 119-74).

**Analysis of Appropriations Language**

- In the FY 2027 submission, all language is displayed as new, as shown in the Budget Appendix.
- The FY 2027 request includes \$539,000,000 for programs administered by OVW to prevent and respond to violence against women, including domestic violence, dating

violence, sexual assault, and stalking. The language reflects that this entire amount is requested as directly appropriated funding.

- The FY 2027 request includes language in the preamble to note when the underlying statute has been amended since its original enactment in provisions relevant to the OVW appropriation.
- The FY 2027 request includes language in paragraph (3) requesting a consolidated youth program that addresses four discrete purposes. This language mirrors language used in the appropriations acts from FY 2012 through FY 2026.
- The FY 2027 request includes language in paragraph (4) from FY 2023 and FY 2024 Enacted that would set aside from the ICJR program \$6 million for an initiative to identify and promulgate effective policing and prosecution responses to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking. It also includes language from FY 2023 that would set aside from the ICJR program \$1 million for an initiative to address online harassment and abuse. The proposed language makes clear that the eligibility, certification, and application requirements of the ICJR program statute would not apply to this initiative so that funding may go directly to law enforcement and prosecution agencies. This language was included in FY 2023 Enacted.

#### **IV. Program Activity Justification**

##### **A. Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program (Referred to as Office on Violence Against Women [OVW])**

<b>Office on Violence Against Women - Grants OVW Appropriation</b>	<b>Direct Pos.</b>	<b>Estimate FTE</b>	<b>Amount (\$000)</b>
2025 Enacted	0	0	\$713,000
2026 Enacted	0	0	\$720,000

Adjustments to Base and Technical Adjustments	0	0	0
2027 Current Services	0	0	\$720,000
2027 Program Increases	0	0	\$1,000
2027 Program Offsets	0	0	-\$182,000
2027 Request	0	0	\$539,000
<b>Total Change 2026-2027</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$181,000</b>
<b>Office on Violence Against Women – Management and Administration</b>	<b>Direct Pos.</b>	<b>Estimate FTE</b>	<b>Amount (\$000)</b>
2025 Enacted	118	122	[\$36,620]
2026 Enacted	90	90	[\$35,830]
Adjustments to Base and Technical Adjustments	-14	-14	[-6,410]
2027 Current Services	76	76	[\$29,420]
Program Changes (Increase)	0	0	[\$0]
2027 Request	76	76	[\$29,420]
<b>Total Change 2026-2027</b>	<b>-14</b>	<b>-14</b>	<b>[-\$6,410]</b>
<b>Office on Violence Against Women TOTAL</b>			\$539,000

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## V. Program Increases and Offsets by Item

### Program Increases by Item

**A. Item Name:** Tribal Special Assistant United States Attorneys (TSAUSA)

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions  0  Agt/Atty  0  FTE  0  Dollars  \$500,000

#### Description of Item

OVW is requesting an additional \$0.5 million to fund an initiative to support Tribal prosecutors to be cross-designated as Tribal Special Assistant United States Attorneys (SAUSAs) to address violence against women in Indian country.

#### Justification

OVW’s Violence Against Women Tribal SAUSA initiative has been a successful strategy for improving public safety in Indian country. Beginning in FY 2012 as an initiative and funded via direct appropriation since FY 2022, OVW has made anywhere from two to five awards annually to federally recognized Tribes to work with their local United States Attorneys’ Offices (USAOs) to hire or retain a mutually agreed upon Tribal prosecutor to be cross-deputized as a SAUSA. These cross-designated prosecutors maintain active violence against women crimes caseloads in Tribal court, federal court, or both, while also helping to promote higher quality investigations and better inter-governmental communication.

Tribal SAUSA grantees report how the funds have a positive impact in the communities they serve. For example, between July and December 2024, 38 Tribal SAUSA cases reached disposition, and 23 of these cases resulted in a conviction or deferred adjudication, with a conviction rate of around 60 percent. One grantee noted in 2025 that “the T-SAUSA program funding allowed for our prosecutor to receive more training to improve the quality and effectiveness of prosecution.” Another grantee shared that the Tribal SAUSA program provides “an increased federal focus on Indian country cases that the U.S. Attorney's Office for the [district] otherwise might not have the resources to prosecute.”

#### Impact on Performance

An increase of \$500,000 would enable OVW to expand the Tribal SAUSA initiative to fund an additional Tribal SAUSA in a judicial district for a two-year award.

### **Funding**

#### Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/	FTE	\$(000)

	<b>Atty</b>				<b>Atty</b>				<b>Atty</b>		
0	0	0	\$3,000	0	0	0	\$4,500	0	0	0	\$4,500

**Total Request for this Item**

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$4,500	\$4,500	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	\$500	\$500		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Indian Country

**B. Item Name: Rape Survivor Child Custody Act**

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$ 500,000

Description of Item

The request is for a \$0.5 million increase over the FY 2026 Enacted level to support augmented funding under the Rape Survivor Child Custody Act Program.

Justification

[According](#) to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, one in 20 women in the United States have experienced a pregnancy from rape.

Impact on Performance

None foreseen.

Base Funding

<b>FY 2025 Enacted</b>				<b>FY 2026 Enacted</b>				<b>FY 2027 Current Services</b>			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$1,500	0	0	0	\$1,500	0	0	0	\$1,500

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./ Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non- Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$1,500	\$1,500	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$ 500	\$ 500		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$2,000</b>	<b>\$2,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**C. Item Name: Policing and Prosecution Initiative**

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions  0  Agt/Atty  0  FTE  0  Dollars  [\$ 1,000,000]

Description of Item

The request is for \$6.0 million in FY 2027, as a set-aside within ICJR, for law enforcement agencies and prosecutors’ offices to ensure the justice system provides viable avenues to safety and justice for victims. The request is \$1.0 million more than the FY 2026 Enacted.

Justification

The Policing and Prosecution Initiative supports law enforcement agencies and prosecutors’ offices in dedicating resources to investigate and prosecute crimes that are underreported and present unique challenges for the justice system. By bringing offenders to justice and effectively working with victims, these grants promote public safety and trust in the justice system.

Impact on Performance

OVW anticipates issuing one or two more awards than in FY 2024, meaning one to two jurisdictions will have increased resources to ensure crimes of domestic violence and sexual assault are investigated and prosecuted and offenders are prevented from causing more harm.

## Funding

### Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)
0	0	0	[\$8,000]	0	0	0	[\$5,000]	0	0	0	[\$5,000]

### Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	[\$5,000]	[\$5,000]	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	[\$1,000]	[\$1,000]		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>[\$6,000]</b>	<b>[\$6,000]</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**D. Item Name:** **Prosecution and Investigation of Online Harassment and Abuse**

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars [\$ 1,000,000]

### Description of Item

The request is for \$1.0 million in FY 2027, as a set-aside from the ICJR Program to support efforts to enhance prosecution and investigation of online harassment and abuse to ensure the criminal justice system holds offenders accountable.

### Justification

This set-aside would support strategies for combatting cyberstalking and online abuse, including the development of investigative and prosecution policies and procedures, training on the misuse of technology by perpetrators, establishment or expansion of specialized stalking units in law enforcement agencies, increased coordination between specialized domestic violence units and computer crimes units, and enhanced focus on the connection between online harm and sex trafficking.

Impact on Performance

Providing \$1.0 million for prosecution and investigation of online harassment and abuse will enable grantees in one or two communities to identify and test promising practices for holding offenders accountable for crimes involving online abuse, which are difficult to investigate and prosecute and often require an understanding of new and complex technologies, as well as supporting survivors who are traumatized by this type of abuse.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)
0	0	0	[\$0]	0	0	0	[\$0]	0	0	0	[\$0]

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	[\$0]	[\$0]	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	[\$1,000]	[\$1,000]		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>[\$1,000]</b>	<b>[\$1,000]</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**Program Offsets by Item**

Description of Item

**A. Item Name:** Grants to Combat Violence Against Women (STOP Program)  
**Strategic Goal:** TBD  
**Attorney General Priority Area:** TBD  
**Budget Decision Unit(s):** Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars - \$67,000,000

Description of Item

The request is for a \$67.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$257.0 million, for a total of \$190.0 million in FY 2027, for Grants to Combat Violence Against Women (STOP) program.

Justification

STOP Formula funds are largely intended to fill states’ and territories’ resource gaps related to victim services, law enforcement, prosecution, court responses, and training related to domestic and sexual violence. OVW’s discretionary (i.e., competitive) programs, on the other hand, mainly channel funds toward targeted strategies for addressing domestic and sexual violence in a changing world. The requested reduction reflects OVW’s and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

The impact of reduced funding is less money disbursed to states and territories.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)
0	0	0	\$255,000	0	0	0	\$257,000	0	0	0	\$257,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$257,000	\$257,000	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	-67,000	-67,000		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$190,000</b>	<b>\$190,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Access to Justice, Improving States & Local Criminal Justice, Indian Country, State and Local Law, & Violent Crime

**B. Item Name:** Research and Eval. Violence Against Women (NIJ)

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars - \$1,500,000

Description of Item

The request is for a \$1.5 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$2.5 million, for a total of \$1.0 million in FY 2027, for the Research and Evaluation Violence Against Women (NIJ) appropriation.

Justification

The reduction request reflects an interest in channeling funds toward programs that directly serve crime victims and administer justice.

Impact on Performance

None foreseen.

**Funding**

Base Funding

<u>FY 2025 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2026 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2027 Current Services</u>			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$2,500	0	0	0	\$2,500	0	0	0	\$2,500

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$2,500	\$2,500	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$1,500	-\$1,500		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**C. Item Name: Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Stalking, or Sexual Assault Program (Transitional Housing Program)**

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars -\$11,000,000

Description of Item

The request is for an \$11.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$51.0 million, for a total of \$40.0 million in FY 2027, for the Transitional Housing Program.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW’s and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

This decrease will mean that OVW will make about 22 fewer awards compared to FY 2024.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)
0	0	0	\$50,000	0	0	0	\$51,000	0	0	0	\$51,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Increase	0	0	0	0	-\$11,000	-\$11,000		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$40,000</b>	<b>\$40,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Indian Country

**D. Item Name:** Consolidated Youth Oriented Program

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars -\$11,000,000

Description of Item

The request is for an \$11.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$17.0 million, for a total of \$6.0 million in FY 2027, for Consolidated Youth Oriented Program.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees' ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

OVW anticipates issuing about 22 fewer awards under the program than awarded under two notices of funding opportunity sourced by this funding line in FY 2024.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$17,000	0	0	0	\$17,000	0	0	0	\$17,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	\$0	\$17,000	\$17,000	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$11,000	-\$11,000		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Indian Country and Violent Crime

**E. Item Name:** Grants to Improve the Criminal Justice Response Program

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars - \$ 5,500,000

Description of Item

The request is for a \$5.5 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$60.5 million, for a total of \$55.0 million in FY 2027, for the Grants to Improve the Criminal Justice Response (ICJR) Program.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

OVW anticipates issuing between six and eight fewer awards under the program than in FY 2024.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FT E	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FT E	\$(000)
0	0	0	\$60,500	0	0	0	\$60,500	0	0	0	\$60,500

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$60,500	\$60,500	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	-\$5,500	-\$5,500		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$55,000</b>	<b>\$55,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Access to Justice, Cyber, Improving State & Local Criminal Justice, Indian Country, State & Local Law, and Violent Crime

**F. Item Name:** Homicide Reduction Initiative

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars [- \$ 4,000,000]

Description of Item

The request is for no set-aside funding for this initiative in FY 2027.

Justification

Homicide reduction efforts are fully within the scope of the ICJR program, and OVW funds many projects under ICJR that are making significant strides in preventing domestic violence murders.

Impact on Performance

None. OVW can continue to fund coordinated community responses to prevent domestic violence homicide through the general ICJR appropriation.

**Funding**

Base Funding

<u>FY 2025 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2026 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2027 Current Services</u>			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	[\$4,000]	0	0	0	[\$4,000]	0	0	0	[\$4,000]

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	[\$4,000]	[\$4,000]	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$4,000]	-\$4,000]		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>[\$0]</b>	<b>[\$0]</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**G. Item Name:**

**Domestic Violence Firearms Lethality Reduction**

Strategic Goal:

TBD

Attorney General Priority Area:

TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s):

Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions  0  Agt/Atty  0  FTE  0  Dollars  [- \$ 2,000,000]

Description of Item

The request is for no set-aside funding in FY 2027.

Justification

Preventing firearms-related murders of domestic violence victims is fully within the scope of the ICJR program, and OVW funds many projects under ICJR that are making significant strides in this realm.

Impact on Performance

None. OVW can continue to fund coordinated community responses to reduce the risk of firearms-related murders through the general ICJR appropriation.

**Funding**

Base Funding

<u>FY 2025 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2026 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2027 Current Services</u>			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	[\$4,000]	0	0	0	[\$2,000]	0	0	0	[\$2,000]

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	[\$2,000]	[\$2,000]	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$[2,000]	-\$[2,000]		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>[\$0]</b>	<b>[\$0]</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**H. Item Name:**

**Rural Dom. Violence & Child Abuse Enforcement Asst.**

Strategic Goal:

TBD

Attorney General Priority Area:

TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s):

Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$-500,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$0.5 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$50.5 million, for a total of \$50.0 million in FY 2027, for Rural Domestic Violence & Child Abuse Enforcement Assistance Program.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees' ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

This \$500,000 decrease will cause OVW to be able to make about one fewer award than in FY 2025, or awards for less funding.

**Funding**

Base Funding

<u>FY 2025 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2026 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2027 Current Services</u>			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$50,000	0	0	0	\$50,500	0	0	0	\$50,500

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	\$0	\$50,500	\$50,500	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	\$0	\$ -500	\$ -500		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Access to Justice, Improving State & Local Criminal Justice, Indian Country, State & Local Law and Violent Crime

**I. Item Name:** Legal Assistance for Victims Program

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$-15,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$15.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$55.0 million, for a total of \$40.0 million in FY 2027, for the Legal Assistance for Victims Program

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

The decrease will mean OVW will make about 21 fewer awards.

**Funding**

Base Funding

<u>FY 2025 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2026 Enacted</u>				<u>FY 2027 Current Services</u>			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$55,000	0	0	0	\$55,000	0	0	0	\$55,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	\$0	\$55,000	\$55,000	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	\$0	-\$15,000	-\$15,000		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$40,000</b>	<b>\$40,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Access to Justice and Indian Country

**J. Item Name:** Grants to Support Families in the Justice System

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$-1,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$1.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$21.0 million, for a total of \$20.0 million in FY 2027, for the Grants to Support Families in the Justice System program.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

The decrease means OVW will make two fewer awards.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt / Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt / Atty	FT E	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt / Atty	FT E	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$22,000	0	0	0	\$21,000	0	0	0	\$21,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/ Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Increase	0	0	0	\$0	\$-1,000	\$-1,000		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Access to Justice and Indian Country

**K. Item Name:** **Disabilities Program**

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars - \$5,500,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$5.5 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted level of \$11.5 million for a total of \$6.0 million in FY 2027, for the Disabilities Program.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

The decrease will mean OVW makes fewer awards under the program.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt / Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt / Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt / Atty	FTE	\$(000)
0	0	0	\$12,000	0	0	0	\$11,500	0	0	0	\$11,500

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$11,500	\$11,500	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	-5,500	-5,500		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$ 6,000</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**L. Item Name:** **Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence Against and Abuse of Women in Later Life**

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars - \$3,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$3.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$9.0 million for a total of \$6.0 million in FY 2027, for the Abuse in Later Life Program.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

The decrease will not significantly impact the Abuse in Later Life Program because OVW anticipates a \$6 million appropriation will be sufficient to support the highest quality applications in FY 2027.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt / Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt / Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt / Atty	FTE	\$(000)
0	0	0	\$9,000	0	0	0	\$9,000	0	0	0	\$9,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$9,000	\$9,000	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	-3,000	-3,000		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Cyber and Improving State & Local Criminal Justice

**M. Item Name:** Sexual Assault Services

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars -\$1,000,000

Description of Item

This is a \$1.0 million reduction from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level.

Justification

Sexual Assault Services Program Formula funds are designed to supplement other funding sources directed at addressing sexual assault on the state and territorial level. OVW’s discretionary (i.e., competitive) programs, on the other hand, mainly channel funds toward novel strategies for addressing domestic and sexual violence in a changing world. The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

The impact of reduced funding is less money disbursed to states and territories.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$78,500	0	0	0	\$79,500	0	0	0	\$79,500

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$79,500	\$79,500	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$1,000	-\$1,000		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$78,500</b>	<b>\$78,500</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**N. Item Name:**

**Research on Violence Against Indian Women (NIJ)**

Strategic Goal:

TBD

Attorney General Priority Area:

TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s):

Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars -\$1,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$1.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$2.0 million for a total of \$1.0 million in FY 2027, for research on violence against Indian women.

Justification

The reduction request reflects an interest in channeling funds toward programs that directly serve crime victims and administer justice.

Impact on Performance

OVW does not anticipate that this reduction will significantly impact performance.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$1,000	0	0	0	\$2,000	0	0	0	\$2,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	\$0	\$ 2,000	\$2,000	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	\$0	\$-1,000	\$-1,000		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**O. Item Name:**

**Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction Grant and Reimbursement Programs**

Strategic Goal:

TBD

Attorney General Priority Area:

TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s):

Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

**Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$-4,500,000**

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$4.5 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$14.5 million for a total of \$10.0 million in FY 2027, for the Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction programs.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

The decrease means OVW will make fewer awards under these two programs.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$11,000	0	0	0	\$14,500	0	0	0	\$14,500

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$14,500	\$14,000	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$-4,500	\$-4,500		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Indian Country

**P. Item Name:** Restorative Practices

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$-14,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$14.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$14.0 million for a total of \$0 million in FY 2027 for this program.

Justification

OVW does not need funding for this program in FY 2027. Prior year funds have been used to date for pilot sites, technical assistance, and evaluation, and these efforts need some time to generate some lessons learned before additional funds are needed.

Impact on Performance

None.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$15,000	0	0	0	\$14,000	0	0	0	\$14,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$14,000	\$14,000	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$14,000	-\$14,000		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Improving State & Local Criminal Justice

**Q. Item Name:** Culturally Specific Services

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars -\$10,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$10.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$10.0 million for a total of \$0 million in FY 2027.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

The decrease means OVW will make about 22 fewer awards.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)
0	0	0	\$11,000	0	0	0	\$10,000	0	0	0	\$10,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$10,000	\$10,000	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	\$-10,000	\$-10,000		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**R. Item Name:** Underserved Populations

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$-4,500,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$4.5 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$4.5 million for a total of \$0 million in FY 2027.

Justification

Funds can be targeted to other areas.

Impact on Performance

OVW will not make awards under the program.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt / Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt / Atty	FT E	\$(000)	Pos	Agt / Atty	FT E	\$(000)
0	0	0	\$5,000	0	0	0	\$4,500	0	0	0	\$4,500

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$4,500	\$4,500	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	\$-4,500	\$-4,500		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**S. Item Name: Financial Assistance to Victims of Sexual Assault and Intimate Partner Domestic Violence (Financial Assistance Program)**

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$-3,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$3.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$3.0 million for a total of \$0 million in FY 2027.

Justification

The funds can be directed to other areas.

Impact on Performance

OVW will not make awards under the program.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
<u>Pos</u>	<u>Agt</u> <u>/</u> <u>Att</u> <u>v</u>	<u>FTE</u>	<u>\$(000)</u>	<u>Pos</u>	<u>Agt</u> <u>/</u> <u>Att</u> <u>v</u>	<u>FT</u> <u>E</u>	<u>\$(000)</u>	<u>Pos</u>	<u>Agt</u> <u>/</u> <u>Att</u> <u>v</u>	<u>FT</u> <u>E</u>	<u>\$(000)</u>
0	0	0	\$4,000	0	0	0	\$3,000	0	0	0	\$3,000

Total Request for this Item

	<u>Pos</u>	<u>Agt/</u> <u>Attv</u>	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Personnel</u> <u>(\$000)</u>	<u>Non-</u> <u>Personnel</u> <u>(\$000)</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>(\$000)</u>	<u>FY 2027</u> <u>Net</u> <u>Annualizati</u> <u>on</u> <u>(change</u> <u>from 2026)</u> <u>(\$000)</u>	<u>FY 2028</u> <u>Net</u> <u>Annualizat</u> <u>ion</u> <u>(change</u> <u>from 2027)</u> <u>(\$000)</u>
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$3,000	\$3,000	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	\$-3,000	\$-3,000		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Indian country

**T. Item Name:** **LGBT Specific Services Program**

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Attv 0 FTE 0 Dollars \$-1,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$1.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$1.0 million for a total of \$0 million in FY 2027.

Justification

The funds can be directed elsewhere.

Impact on Performance

OVW will not be able to make awards under the program.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	\$(000)
0	0	0	\$1,000	0	0	0	\$1,000	0	0	0	\$1,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
Current Services	0	0	0	0	\$1,000	\$1,000	N/A	N/A
Increase	0	0	0	0	-1,000	-1,000		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: Civil Rights and Violent Crime

**U. Item Name:** Trauma Informed Training (Abby Honold)

Strategic Goal: TBD

Attorney General Priority Area: TBD

Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars -\$5,000,000

Description of Item

OVW is requesting a \$5.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$5.0 million for a total amount of \$0 million in FY 2027.

Justification

The funds can be directed elsewhere.

Impact on Performance

OVW will not make grants under this program.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$5,000	0	0	0	\$5,000	0	0	0	\$5,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$5,000	\$5,000	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$5,000	-\$5,000		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**V. Item Name:** Access to Sexual Assault Nurse Exams

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars - \$12,000,000

Description of Item

The request is for a \$12.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget level of \$12.0 million, for a total of \$0 in FY 2027, for the Access to Sexual Assault Nurse Exams appropriation.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees’ ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

Zeroing out this funding means OVW will not make awards under the program.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$10,000	0	0	0	\$12,000	0	0	0	\$12,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$12,000	\$12,000	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$12,000	-\$12,000		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A

**W. Item Name:** Local Law Enforcement Grants for Enforcement of Cybercrimes Against Individuals

Strategic Goal: TBD  
 Attorney General Priority Area: TBD  
 Budget Decision Unit(s): Prevention and Prosecution of Violence Against Women and Related Victim Services Program

Program Increase: Positions 0 Agt/Atty 0 FTE 0 Dollars - \$ 5,000,000

Description of Item

The request is for a \$5.0 million decrease from the FY 2026 Enacted Budget of \$5.0 million, for a total of \$0 in FY 2027, for the Local Law Enforcement Grants for Enforcement of Cybercrimes Against Individuals.

Justification

The requested reduction reflects OVW and its grantees' ability to do more with less while still meeting the mission of supporting victims and holding offenders accountable.

Impact on Performance

Zeroing out this funding means OVW will not make awards under the program.

**Funding**

Base Funding

FY 2025 Enacted				FY 2026 Enacted				FY 2027 Current Services			
Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)	Pos	Agt/Atty	FTE	Amount (\$000)
0	0	0	\$5,500	0	0	0	\$5,000	0	0	0	\$5,000

Total Request for this Item

	Pos	Agt./Atty	FTE	Personnel (\$000)	Non-Personnel (\$000)	Total (\$000)	FY 2028 Net Annualization (change from 2027) (\$000)	FY 2029 Net Annualization (change from 2028) (\$000)
<u>Current Services</u>	0	0	0	\$0	\$5,000	\$5,000	N/A	N/A
<u>Increase</u>	0	0	0	\$0	-\$5,000	-\$5,000		
<b><u>Grand Total</u></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>		

Affected Crosscuts: N/A