



## Cass County Coroner

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### MEMO

TO: Cass County Commission  
FROM: Natalie Basta, Deputy Coroner  
DATE: 05/08/2023  
SUBJECT: 2023 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grant

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Dear Commissioners,

The 2023 Grant Application window for the 2023 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grant Program is open, with an application deadline of **May 31st, 2023**. The purpose of the grant is to provide funding for Coroner's Offices to improve operations and services. The funds can be used to cover technology, supplies, and training materials. The Cass County Coroner's Office would like to apply for \$96,000 to cover the cost of updating coroner office supplies and technology.

There is no match requirement on this grant.

#### **SUGGESTED MOTION:**

**Authorize the Coroner's Office to complete the application to the 2023 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grant for a total amount of \$96,000.**

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