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The goal is to use this technology to not only investigate the increase of stolen cars, but to assist in investigating their connections to the increase in violent crime, including gun violence. Intelligence gathered with this technology will assist law enforcement in identifying suspects, improving solve rates of theft offenses, identifying patterns and criminal enterprises, building more sophisticated cases to deter and prosecute organized criminal activity, and will assist in implementing prevention strategies and operations.

If approved, the funding will be used for new, and expansion of existing, technology and software system integration of ALPRs. Specifically, the funding would cover the cost of purchasing or enhancing ALPR units for law enforcement agencies across New Jersey, as well as initial software, storage, and maintenance for five (5) years. The allocation of the requested grant is listed below:

SERVICE	NUMBER OF VEHICLES	COST PER UNIT	TOTAL COST
ALPR Systems	6	\$16,582.25	\$99,493.50

Extended Maintenance	6	\$4,500.00	\$27,000
TOTAL		\$21,082.25	\$126,493.50

Chairman Anthony Vainieri and the Board of Commissioners renew their commitment to ensuring the safety of Hudson County residents by providing law enforcement with the tools necessary to reduce crime.

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