

ASHCROFT TRIED TO CUT COUNTERTERRORISM WITHIN A MONTH OF TAKING OFFICE

The following is an analysis of the portions of the DoJ budget that are counterterrorism related. On top of traditional "counterterrorism" (which is frozen by Bush/Ashcroft), one of the chief tools for combatting terrorism is having a robust law enforcement presence at critical infrastructure and transportation hubs - exactly what ALL of these programs fund.

Program	FY 01 Enacted	FY 02 Request
Counter Terrorism Programs (Office of Domestic Preparedness)	\$ 220,494,000.00	\$ 220,494,000.00
Regional Information Sharing System	\$ 24,945,000.00	\$ 24,945,000.00
Local Law Enforcement Block Grant	\$ 523,000,000.00	\$ 400,000,000.00
Byrne Formula	\$ 569,050,000.00	\$ 500,000,000.00
Weed & Seed	\$ 34,000,000.00	\$ 58,925,000.00
COPS Hiring	\$ 420,000,000.00	\$ 180,000,000.00
Training and Technical Assistance	\$ 20,662,000.00	\$ 20,662,000.00
Bulletproof Vests	\$ 25,500,000.00	\$ 25,444,000.00
Tribal Law Enforcement	\$ 35,000,000.00	\$ 31,315,000.00
Community Prosecution Program	\$ 75,000,000.00	\$ -
COPS Gun Violence Reduction Program	\$ -	\$ 49,780,000.00
COPS TECH	\$ 140,000,000.00	\$ 100,000,000.00
Police Integrity Training	\$ 17,000,000.00	\$ 16,963,000.00
Total	\$ 2,104,651,000.00	\$ 1,628,528,000.00

Community Prosecution Program is a gun violence initiative that was not included in the 02 request.

Gun Violence Reduction Program was a new program requested by the Administration