

POLICY AMENDMENT
SUBGRANT THRESHOLD REQUIREMENT FOR
ADVISORY BOARD AND COMMISSION MEETINGS ATTENDANCE

The Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice voted at its March 1, 2012 meeting to amend its January 26, 2006 threshold requirement for attendance at the Commission meetings. The Commission voted unanimously to change the threshold as follows:

1. Agencies submitting an application for a new program/purpose, regardless of the amount, must attend both the respective program's Advisory Board and the Commission meetings.
2. Agencies submitting a request for a continuation subgrant application, regardless of the amount, are required to attend the meeting of the respective program's Advisory Board—usually held the day before the Commission meeting—but are no longer required to attend the Commission meeting itself. During the discussion of the subject by the Commission members, it was determined that if questions arise at the Advisory Board meeting about an agency's continuation subgrant, and the question still lingers, it would be in the best interest of the subgrantee agency to attend the Commission meeting the next day. Such attendance, however, is no longer required and would be on a voluntary basis by the subgrant agency.
3. Agencies submitting a request for an increase in funding to their current subgrant, regardless of the amount, are required to attend the meeting of the respective program's Advisory Board—usually held the day before the Commission meeting—but are no longer required to attend the Commission meeting itself. During the discussion of the subject by the Commission members, it was determined that if questions arise at the Advisory Board meeting about an agency's continuation subgrant, and the question still lingers, it would be in the best interest of the subgrantee agency to attend the Commission meeting the next day. Such attendance, however, is no longer required and would be on a voluntary basis by the subgrant agency.
4. Agencies receiving an allocation (not an application) for funding from their respective Law Enforcement Planning District, regardless of the amount, do not need to attend either the respective Advisory Board, or the Commission meetings.