

## **PERMISSION TO APPLY**

### **1. Permission to Apply for the Office for Victims of Crime FY25 Technology to Support Services for Victims of Crime**

- **Requestor** – Martin County Sheriff's Office (MCSO)
- **Granting Agency** – Office for Victims of Crime
- **Project Description** – MCSO is requesting permission to apply for the Office for Victims of Crime FY25 Technology to Support Services for Victims of Crime. If approved, the grant will help offset the costs of equipment that will enhance our Criminal Investigations, Crime Scene Unit.
- **Requested Grant award** – \$271,103.00
- **Budgetary Impact** – No match is required
- **Annual operating costs** – N/A

#### **Alternative Action:**

- **Programmatic Implication if not approved** – Lack of grant funding will impact the acceleration to enhance programs within the Criminal Investigations, Crime Scene Unit.
- **Financial Fiscal impact if not approved** – The Criminal Investigations, Crimes Scene Unit will not be able to enhance the program that focuses on victims of crime or critical public safety initiatives.

#### **Documents Requiring Action:**

- Grant application for Mr. Don Donaldson to electronically sign.

#### **Recommendation:**

- Move that the Board authorize Martin County Sheriff's Office to apply for the Office for Victims of Crime FY25 Technology to Support Services for Victims of Crime. The deadline to submit/electronically sign is NLT 08/20/2025.

## Proposal Abstract: Martin County Sheriff's Office Rapid DNA Program

The Martin County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) proposes the implementation of an on site Rapid DNA Program to enhance public safety by combating violent crimes and strengthening criminal investigations. This initiative will empower law enforcement personnel with real time investigative tools, enabling them to act decisively and legally with probable cause based on DNA matches. The program will improve case clearance rates, reduce reliance on backlogged state crime laboratories, and foster regional collaboration with surrounding counties.

The project will directly serve the residents of Martin County, Florida, and indirectly benefit neighboring jurisdictions through the early identification of serial offenders and suspects involved in cross jurisdictional crimes. Victims of crimes are the primary focus, as the program will allow for faster suspect identification, quicker arrests, and reduce trauma. The general public will benefit from enhanced community safety, while prosecutors and the judicial system will gain timely forensic evidence that strengthens cases and supports fair adjudication.

Currently, MCSO works closely with the Indian River Crime Lab, a regional forensic facility equipped with Rapid DNA technology. While the lab meets FBI Quality Assurance Standards, it handles a high volume of cases across multiple Counties, resulting in delays that hinder the effectiveness of rapid processing. Establishing an on site Rapid DNA station at MCSO will address this gap by allowing the agency to process unknown DNA evidence from crime scenes in under two hours. Although samples will still be sent to the Indian River Crime Lab for validation, and CODIS upload, MCSO will be able to generate investigative leads and probable cause within ninety minutes, dramatically improving response times.

The project will involve the installation of Rapid DNA instruments at the MCSO. Once the installation is complete, training of designated personnel in sample collection, processing, and interpretations will be completed. Staff will develop procedures that align with the FBI's updated forensic standards to ensure CODIS eligibility and legal compliance. The agency will coordinate closely with a CODIS accredited laboratory for oversight and integrate Rapid DNA results directly into investigative workflows.

Victims of Crime will benefit from faster resolutions and reduced risk of further victimization. Law enforcement officers will gain immediate access to actionable forensic intelligence, allowing them to apprehend dangerous individuals quickly and legally. The general public will experience greater peace of mind through the prevention of repeat offenses, and prosecutors will have timely, reliable evidence to strengthen cases in court. Neighboring jurisdictions will also benefit from shared intelligence, particularly in cases involving serial offenders or cross county criminal activity.

By establishing on site Rapid DNA capabilities, the Martin County Sheriff's Office will transform its investigative capacity, reducing DNA processing time from weeks to just ninety minutes. This acceleration will lead to quicker arrests, safer neighborhoods, and an enhanced responsive criminal justice system for Martin County and surrounding regions.

## **Martin County Sheriff's Office Rapid DNA Program Narrative**

### **Description of the Need:**

Martin County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) is requesting priority consideration for grant funding to enhance its ability to combat violent crimes and protect the community. Rapid DNA technology has emerged as a transformative force in the battle against violent crimes, by equipping forensic laboratories with the ability to rapidly analyze unknown DNA recovered directly from crime scenes. With advancements in instrumentation and testing protocols, forensic professionals can now examine biological materials such as blood, semen, or saliva using Rapid DNA systems that deliver results in under two hours.

Recently, the FBI approved modifications to its Quality Assurance Standards (QAS) for forensic laboratories, that took effect on July 1, 2025. These updates now permit DNA profiles generated by Rapid DNA instruments to be searched against the Combined DNA Index System (CODIS), provided they meet rigorous validation. This shift marks a pivotal moment in forensic science, allowing crime scene evidence to be matched against millions of offenders and forensic profiles nationwide, dramatically reducing the time between evidence collection and suspect identification. The key benefit of Rapid DNA lies in its ability to accelerate offender identification. Instead of waiting weeks or months for lab results, forensic teams can now process crime scene DNA in as little as ninety minutes and immediately compare it against CODIS. This rapid turnaround empowers investigators to make crucial connections to unresolved cases, including homicides, sexual assaults, and kidnappings within hours, allowing law enforcement to act decisively before further harm

occurs. Beyond solving past offenses, Rapid DNA plays a vital role in crime prevention. Studies have shown that early collection and analysis of DNA during investigations significantly curbs repeat criminal behavior. Agencies using this technology have reported dramatic improvements such as reductions of sixty (60) percent in violent crimes, forty-two (42) percent in property crime, and eighty-eight (88) percent in weapon related offenses. By quickly identifying and apprehending offenders, Rapid DNA assists law enforcement with safeguarding the community. Several cases within Martin County, Florida illustrate the consequences of delayed DNA processing. Please see the table below:

MONTH/YEAR OF VICTIMIZATION	TYPE OF VICTIMIZATION	RECEIVED CASE RESULTS	DETAILS
August 2020	Minor Trafficked, Sexual Assault, Illegally Drugged	Five months after the assault	Minor: Trafficked, sexually assaulted, and illegally drugged over the course of several weeks. DNA recovered from motel sheets was submitted for analysis, but the CODIS hit confirming the suspect's identity took five months. **During that time, the victim was assaulted again by the same individual. Eventually the match was returned, and the suspect was arrested.
May 2021	Elderly Female Home Assault	Three months after the assault	Elderly Female: Assaulted in her home by an undocumented suspect. DNA evidence recovered from her couch was submitted for analysis, and due to the severity of the crime, a rush DNA request was made. Despite the expedited request, the CODIS hit confirming the suspect's identity was returned three months later. During that time, the suspect remained at large.
January 2007	Minor Sexual Assault	Four months	Minor: A school official sexually assaulted a minor student in a storage closet. DNA collected from the floor ultimately identified the perpetrator four months later.
May 2025	Burglaries	Six Weeks	Martin County experienced a rash of 27 boat burglaries over a two-month period, initial damage exceeding \$250,000. Blood evidence was collected at the original burglary along with subsequent crime scenes. Due to the delayed results, the suspects continued their crime spree across Martin County and neighboring jurisdictions. In the end, there was a total of \$500,000. in damages. Results from the test were delayed for six weeks.

Each of these cases took place within the jurisdiction of the Martin County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) and clearly illustrates the consequences of delayed DNA processing. Incorporating Rapid DNA into forensic workflows would enable our agency to act swiftly, reduce harm, and proactively interrupt criminal behavior. By dramatically improving investigative efficiency and shortening resolution timelines, this technology would enhance the safety of our residents, deliver justice more effectively, and reduce the likelihood of repeat victimizations.

With the implementation of the Rapid DNA program at MCSO, we would be equipped to combat violent crime with greater precision, speed, and accountability, ushering in a new era of proactive, science-based policing.

The purpose of the proposed Rapid DNA project is to equip MCSO with the ability to swiftly and accurately identify suspects from unknown DNA collected at crime scenes. Rather than relying on an external accredited forensic laboratory, this initiative will establish a Rapid DNA station within the sheriff's office itself, allowing trained personnel to process biological evidence such as blood, semen, or saliva on site and getting results in under two hours. This dramatically reduces the time between evidence collection and suspect identification.

Rapid DNA results can also provide law enforcement with the probable cause needed to act swiftly, whether to secure arrest warrants, conduct searches, or detain suspects linked to violent crime scenes. The ability to match unknown DNA to known offenders within hours

transforms the investigative timeline, allowing for decisive and legally supported action during critical windows.

By implementing this technology directly within MCSO, the agency will be empowered to prevent repeat offenses, close cases faster, and protect victims more effectively. It will also reduce reliance on backlogged crime labs and improve the efficiency of criminal investigations. This project represents a strategic investment in public safety, justice, and modernization of forensic capabilities at the local level.

The Martin County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) seeks funding to implement Rapid DNA technology within its operations to significantly improve forensic response times and investigative effectiveness. Currently, DNA samples from crime scenes must be submitted to the Indian River Crime Lab, which serves multiple jurisdictions and experiences frequent delays due to high demand. Turnaround times typically range from four to six weeks, impeding timely suspect identification and public safety efforts.

Establishing an on site Rapid DNA station will reduce processing times to under two hours. This enhancement will allow investigators to act swiftly on emerging leads, resolve cases more efficiently, and improve service to victims and the broader community.

The need for this investment is substantiated by recent operational data: in the previous calendar year, MCSO conducted over 100 investigations involving biological evidence, many of which were affected by laboratory backlogs. Martin County, with a population of 160,000 and an average of 6,000 reported crimes annually, maintains a demanding forensic caseload. Additionally, as a coastal jurisdiction vulnerable to natural disasters

and mass casualty events, Rapid DNA technology will support critical efforts in victim identification and family reunification during emergencies.

This proposal directly supports the objectives outlined in the current Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO), including bolstering forensic infrastructure, reducing DNA analysis backlogs, and advancing justice through innovative technology. The FBI's recent Quality Assurance Standard updates now permit validated Rapid DNA profiles to be searched in CODIS, ensuring that real-time analysis is both practical and compliant with national protocols.

#### **Project Goals and Objectives:**

The Martin County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) proposes an initiative to enhance its investigative capabilities by deploying Rapid DNA technology within its forensic operations. This initiative responds to a clear and pressing operational need: delays in DNA analysis have increasingly undermined the timeliness and effectiveness of criminal investigations, burdening victims and prolonging case resolution. With Rapid DNA, MCSO will significantly reduce the time required to process DNA evidence, enabling faster suspect identification or exclusion and promoting more efficient public safety outcomes.

The project is structured around a set of measurable objectives designed to ensure successful implementation and long term impacts. MCSO will acquire and install Rapid DNA instrumentation that meets FBI and CODIS-compatible standards. Concurrently, the agency will launch a comprehensive training program for detectives, crime scene technicians, and evidence personnel to promote proper collection, handling, and processing of samples. Within the first three months of deployment, Rapid DNA will be

introduced into active investigations with a performance benchmark of producing preliminary results within 90 minutes. Over the course of the project, MCSO aims to reduce DNA processing turnaround time by at least 75 percent compared to current benchmarks. Evaluation of outcomes, refinement of internal protocols, and regional knowledge sharing will further amplify the reach and sustainability of the initiative. These efforts align directly with the goals and priorities of the current Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO), which seeks to strengthen forensic science capacity, reduce evidentiary backlogs, and improve the speed and reliability of criminal justice processes. MCSO's plan embodies these principles by integrating innovative, real time DNA analysis into day-to-day investigations and advancing technological adoption at the local level. Through this project, MCSO will improve investigative outcomes within its jurisdiction and elevate public trust in the justice system.

#### **Project Design and Implementation:**

To meet the goals and objectives of this initiative, the Martin County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) will implement a comprehensive, phased plan to acquire, deploy, and fully integrate Rapid DNA technology into its investigative and forensic workflows. This multi-step process will include equipment acquisition, staff training, policy and protocol development, pilot implementation, and eventually full operational integration.

The first activity will involve the procurement of a CODIS-compatible Rapid DNA instrument and supporting software that meets FBI and NDIS standards. MCSO will partner with vetted forensic technology vendors to ensure that the system integrates securely with existing infrastructure and complies with evidence-handling and chain-of-



custody protocols. The equipment will be installed in a designated, climate-controlled forensic workspace within the sheriff's office. Installation and operational readiness will be completed within the first 30 days of the grant period.

Following installation, MCSO will deliver a structured training program coordinated by the Crime Scene Supervisor and led by the equipment vendor. Instructions will be provided to detectives, crime scene technicians, forensic staff, and key administrative personnel. The curriculum will cover sample collection, system operation, contamination prevention, legal and procedural compliance, results interpretation, and secure data handling.

Upon completion of training, MCSO will launch a three-month pilot phase, applying Rapid DNA analysis in real time to qualifying cases such as sexual assaults, burglaries, missing persons, and other investigations involving biological evidence. During this period, the Crime Scene Supervisor will oversee daily implementation, manage adherence to new protocols, monitor data integrity, and coordinate operational adjustments as needed.

Upon successful evaluation of pilot outcomes, Rapid DNA will be expanded into full-time use across applicable investigative divisions by the end of the second quarter.

The agency and broader community will benefit directly from these activities. The Crime Scene Unit will operate the equipment, while detectives will use Rapid DNA results to guide investigative decisions quickly and effectively. Victims will experience faster case resolution and reduced exposure to repeat offenses. The public will benefit from improved identification of suspects, stronger accountability, and enhanced safety outcomes.

The urgency and relevance of this initiative are evidenced by several recent cases within Martin County that were negatively impacted by delayed DNA processing. Some of these

cases were listed earlier in table form. Rapid DNA implementation would have dramatically accelerated resolutions in each case and prevented further harm.

The project will generate several key deliverables: a finalized Rapid DNA standard operating procedure (SOP); comprehensive training documentation and completion records; quarterly performance and financial reports; a mid-year evaluation; and a final impact assessment capturing improvements in turnaround time, investigative success rates, and community safety indicators.

MCSO does not currently anticipate the use of subrecipients for project activities. Should the need for specialized consultation—technical, legal, or policy-related—arise, MCSO will engage qualified vendors through its formal procurement protocols. Any external support will be narrowly scoped and fully compliant with all applicable federal, state, and local grant guidelines.

Through experienced staffing, evidence-driven strategy, and coordinated leadership, MCSO is well positioned to implement this initiative successfully and deliver measurable improvements in investigative speed, public safety, and victim service across Martin County.

#### **Capabilities and Competencies:**

The Martin County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) brings the administrative structure, technical proficiency, and operational depth necessary to fully implement the Rapid DNA program and meet all requirements associated with this award. As a full service law enforcement agency serving over 160,000 residents, MCSO has demonstrated a history of executing

complex initiatives with high impact while maintaining strict compliance with both state and federal grant protocols.

Performance measurement and reporting responsibilities will be shared between the Crime Scene Supervisor and the Grants Administrator. The Crime Scene Supervisor, who oversees the Crime Scene Unit, will lead operational deployment, internal training, forensic integration, and programmatic quality control. The Grants Administrator will handle the systematic collection and submission of performance data, drawing from investigative records, forensic documentation, and case tracking systems to ensure timely and accurate reporting.

MCSO's capacity for technological integration is supported by its successful rollout of the Real-Time Crime Center (RTCC) and the 911 live video system, which actively support local, state, and federal partners. These initiatives required coordination across units, careful vendor management, and high-level performance accountability, competencies that directly translate to the successful implementation of Rapid DNA.

The personnel assigned to this project bring extensive relevant experience to their roles.

The Crime Scene Supervisor will serve as the Rapid DNA Program Manager, maintaining operational oversight and ensuring strict adherence to FBI Quality Assurance Standards.

Oversight of biological forensic programs ensures continuity and cohesion across

investigative workflows. Detectives from the Criminal Investigations Division will apply

Rapid DNA results to accelerate case progress and improve forensic accuracy. The Grants

Administrator will oversee compliance reporting, financial tracking, and documentation

related to award requirements. MCSO's Command Staff, composed of seasoned law

enforcement professionals trained in forensic science, public administration, and program oversight, will provide executive guidance and ensure strategic alignment throughout implementation.

With this experienced, multidisciplinary team and a well-established foundation of innovation and accountability, MCSO is fully prepared to execute a Rapid DNA initiative that delivers measurable improvements to public safety and the criminal justice process.

June 13, 2025

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3	A59183	AB RLINK V2.0 - SOFTWARE ONLY EACH	1	\$13,740.00	\$6,870.00	\$6,870.00
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6	ZG11SCRH ID	AB ASSURANCE,1PM, RAPIDHIT ID EA	1	\$19,130.00	\$15,304.00	\$15,304.00
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Item No	SKU	Description	Min Qty	List Price	Net Price	Extended Price
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9	HPS10613	RAPID INTEL PLUS VALIDATION N/A	1	\$76,800.00	\$50,967.00	\$50,967.00
10	A54338	RAPIDINTEL PLUS 50 SMPL KIT EA	1	\$8,560.00	\$4,941.00	\$4,941.00
11	A54344	RAPIDINTEL PLUS LADDER 5 CART. EA	1	\$1,462.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00
12	A41831	AB RHID ACE GFE 50 SMPL KIT EACH	1	\$8,210.00	\$4,791.00	\$4,791.00
13	A42471	AB RHID UTILITY CTDG CARTRIDGE	2	\$69.00	\$50.00	\$100.00
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June 13, 2025

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<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	O-OVC-2025-172430
<b>Funding Opportunity Description:</b>	OVC FY 25 Technology to Support Services for Victims of Crime
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office for Victims of Crime
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**8. APPLICANT INFORMATION:**

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**\* b. Employer/Taxpayer Identification Number (EIN/TIN):**

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34994-4507

**e. Organizational Unit:**

**Department Name:**

Criminal Investigations Division

**Division Name:**

Forensic Science Unit

**f. Name and contact information of person to be contacted on matters involving this application:**

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**\* First Name:**

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**Application for Federal Assistance SF-424**

**\* 9. Type of Applicant 1: Select Applicant Type:**

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\* Other (specify):

**\* 10. Name of Federal Agency:**

Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)

**11. Assistance Listing Number:**

Assistance Listing Title:

**\* 12. Funding Opportunity Number:**

O-OVC-2025-172430

\* Title:

OVC FY25 Technology to Support Services for Victims of Crime

**13. Competition Identification Number:**

C-OVC-2025-00005-POD

Title:

Category : Advancing the use of Technology to Assist Victims of Crime

**14. Areas Affected by Project (Cities, Counties, States, etc.):**

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**\* 15. Descriptive Title of Applicant's Project:**

Martin County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Division/Forensic Science Unit

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## Application for Federal Assistance SF-424

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\* a. Applicant

21

\* b. Program/Project

FL-21

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### 17. Proposed Project:

\* a. Start Date:

10/01/2025

\* b. End Date:

09/30/2028

### 18. Estimated Funding (\$):

\* a. Federal

\$271,103.00

\* b. Applicant

\$0.00

\* c. State

\$0.00

\* d. Local

\$0.00

\* e. Other

\$0.00

\* f. Program Income

\$0.00

\* g. TOTAL

\$271,103.00

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☐ b. Program is subject to E.O. 12372 but has not been selected by the State for review.

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**Areas Affected in Martin County, Florida**

**OVC FY25 Technology to Support Services for Victims of Crime**

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<b>1. * Type of Federal Action:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> a. contract <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b. grant <input type="checkbox"/> c. cooperative agreement <input type="checkbox"/> d. loan <input type="checkbox"/> e. loan guarantee <input type="checkbox"/> f. loan insurance	<b>2. * Status of Federal Action:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. bid/offer/application <input type="checkbox"/> b. initial award <input type="checkbox"/> c. post-award	<b>3. * Report Type:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. initial filing <input type="checkbox"/> b. material change
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**4. Name and Address of Reporting Entity:**  
☒ Prime    ☐ SubAwardee  
  
 \* Name Martin, County of, DBA Martin County Sheriff's Office  
 \* Street 1 800 SE Monterey Road      Street 2   
 \* City Stuart      State FL: Florida      Zip 34994  
 Congressional District, if known: 21

**5. If Reporting Entity in No.4 is Subawardee, Enter Name and Address of Prime:**

<b>6. * Federal Department/Agency:</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Office of Justice Programs, OVC</span>	<b>7. * Federal Program Name/Description:</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">OVC FY25 Technology to Support Services for Victims of Crime</span>  CFDA Number, if applicable: <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">16.582</span>
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<b>8. Federal Action Number, if known:</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></span>	<b>9. Award Amount, if known:</b> \$ <span style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></span>
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**10. a. Name and Address of Lobbying Registrant:**  
  
 Prefix     \* First Name N/A    Middle Name   
 \* Last Name N/A    Suffix   
 \* Street 1       Street 2   
 \* City       State       Zip

**b. Individual Performing Services** (including address if different from No. 10a)  
  
 Prefix     \* First Name Don    Middle Name   
 \* Last Name Donaldson    Suffix   
 \* Street 1       Street 2   
 \* City       State       Zip

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**\* Signature:**   
**\*Name:**    Prefix Mr.    \* First Name Don    Middle Name   
               \* Last Name Donaldson    Suffix   
**Title:** County Administrator    **Telephone No.:** 772-288-5503    **Date:**

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