

1 An ordinance authorizing and directing the Circuit Attorney, on behalf of the City of St. Louis, to
2 enter into a contract with the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office
3 of Justice Programs for funding to create a crime analysis-based diversion project within the Office of
4 the Circuit Attorney (also referred to as the Redirect Program) and authorizing the Circuit Attorney to
5 expend the contract grant funds necessary to support this effort including the hiring of personnel; and
6 containing an emergency clause.

7 WHEREAS, the Circuit Attorney of the City of St. Louis has been awarded a grant contract with
8 the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs for the
9 purpose of staffing a crime analysis-based diversion project within the Office of the Circuit Attorney; and

10 WHEREAS, the United States has provided funding in the amount of \$417,512.00 to the Circuit
11 Attorney's Office for the purpose of providing additional staff and resources for this project in addition
12 to, and not to supplant or replace, their existing allocation; and

13 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:**

14 **SECTION ONE.** The Circuit Attorney is hereby authorized and directed to enter into and execute
15 a contract with the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance and Office of
16 Justice Programs for a contract to fund a crime analysis-based diversion project.

1 **SECTION TWO.** The Circuit Attorney is hereby authorized and directed, upon approval of the
2 Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to expend the funds received pursuant to the contract, by
3 contract or otherwise, in a manner and purpose that is consistent with the provisions of said Contract.

4 **SECTION THREE.** Emergency Clause. This being an ordinance for the preservation of public
5 peace, health and safety, it is hereby declared to be an emergency measure within the meaning of
6 Sections 19 and 20 of Article IV of the Charter of the City of St. Louis and therefore this ordinance shall
7 become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor

