Juvenile Justice Formula Grant

**Pass-Through Waiver Request**

**Comment Form**

In the Formula grant program, states are required to pass through, or subgrant, a minimum of two-thirds of their federal award each year to local areas. States may apply to the federal Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention for a waiver of this requirement. Because South Carolina’s juvenile justice system is centralized and the state bears over ninety percent of the costs for juvenile services, the state has applied for and been granted this waiver in previous years and plans to apply again for the waiver for the next federal fiscal year. *This pass-through waiver does not mean that state agencies will be given any funding preference over local units of government.*

Please provide us with your comments about this request by checking the statement below that most reflects your opinion.

 I understand and approve of the state’s intent to request a waiver of the pass-through requirement.

 I understand and disapprove of the state’s intent to request a waiver of the pass-through requirement.

 I do not understand the pass-through requirement. (Please contact Trevon Fordham at (803) 896-5109, or TrevonFordham@scdps.gov for clarification.)

Name: Agency:

Telephone Number:

**COMMENTS:**