



AGENDA MEMORANDUM

Future Item for the City Council Meeting of July 26, 2016
Action Item for the City Council Meeting of August 9, 2016

DATE: July 26, 2016

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Purchase of Body Worn Video Cameras for Police Department
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CAPTION:

Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or designee, to purchase body worn video cameras for the Police Department from Coban Technologies Inc., of Houston, Texas, for a total cost of \$130,414.00, with funding available in the FY 2015-2016 Police Grants Fund.

PURPOSE:

To purchase 122 body worn cameras, associated hardware, software and licenses for the Police Department.

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

This purchase is to equip uniformed police officers with body worn video cameras to record and document daily police/citizen interactions. This purchase is the result of a 2015 grant from the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance. The video collected by the body worn cameras will be uploaded into the Police Department's existing Coban video dash cam systems and will be stored and managed within the Police Department's existing Coban video storage system.

ALTERNATIVES:

None.

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS:

Not applicable.

CONFORMITY TO CITY POLICY:

This purchase conforms to the City's purchasing policies and procedures and State statutes regulating procurement.

EMERGENCY / NON-EMERGENCY:

Non-emergency.

DEPARTMENTAL CLEARANCES:

Police Department

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

☒ Operating

☐ Revenue

☐ Capital

☐ Not applicable

Fiscal Year: 2015-2016	Project to Date Expenditures (CIP only)	Current Year	Future Years	TOTALS
Line Item Budget		\$250,000.00		\$250,000.00
Encumbered / Expended Amount		\$2898.22		\$2898.22
This item		\$130,414.00		\$130,414.00
BALANCE		\$116,687.78		\$116,687.78

Fund(s): Police Grants

Comments:**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of the motion as presented.

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

Resolution

Price Sheet