



City Council Report

Date: November 1, 2021
To: City Council
Through: John Pombier, Assistant City Manger
From: Ken Cost, Police Chief
Robert Rash, Commander
Subject: Subrecipient Agreement with the Arizona Department of Homeland Security, Police Department Terrorism Liaison Program (Citywide)

Purpose and Recommendation

The City of Mesa Police Department is respectfully requesting the Mesa City Council approve and authorize the City Manager or designee to enter into a Subrecipient Agreement with the Arizona Department of Homeland Security to accept \$39,650 in grant funds for equipment and training to support and sustain the Police Department's Terrorism Liaison Program.

Background

This project provides funding to continue the Police Department's Terrorism Liaison Program which integrates information sharing and dissemination by promoting collaboration among Federal, State, Tribal and local law enforcement agencies to protect public and private key resources and critical infrastructure.

Discussion

The Mesa Police Department's Terrorism Liaison Program is designed to provide the region with an all-hazards response capability. To be effective, the Terrorism Liaison Program needs to have the efficient equipment for the various incidents they may encounter. Funding from this award will be used for equipment, reoccurring subscriptions and training.

Alternatives

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Fiscal Impact

The award amount is \$39,650 and no match is required. Mesa Police Department personnel will be responsible for submitting invoices on a quarterly basis to the Arizona Department of Homeland Security. The Arizona Department of Homeland Security will remit monies due upon receipt of the invoices.

Coordinated With

The City of Mesa Police Department recommends the approval of the Subrecipient Agreement with Arizona Department of Homeland Security.