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Greg Tabor	4/13/2018	POLICI	E (200)	
Submitted By	Submitted Date	Division / [Division / Department	
Action Recommendation:				
Approval of a budget adjustment for the Task Force Investigators in the amount o		rmor vests for all 4t	h Judicial District Drug	
Budget Impact:				
2930.200.2960-5378.00		Drug Enforcement		
Account Number		Fund		
Project Number		Project Title	<u>-</u> 2	
Budgeted Item? No	Current Bud	get \$	9 4 7	
	Funds Obligat	ed \$:5:	
	Current Balar	ce \$	• 14	
Does item have a cost? Yes	Item Co	ost \$	16,058.00	
Budget Adjustment Attached? Yes	Budget Adjustme	ent \$	16,058.00	
	Remaining Budg	get \$	•	
Purchase Order Number:	Previous Ordi	Previous Ordinance or Resolution #		
Change Order Number:	Approval Date	3 :		
Original Contract Number:				

Comments:



CITY COUNCIL MEMO

MEETING OF MAY 1, 2018

TO:

Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Greg Tabor, Chief of Police

DATE:

April 13, 2018

SUBJECT:

Budget Adjustment for DTF Tactical Body Armor

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of a budget adjustment for the purchase of 8 tactical body armor vests for all 4th Judicial District Drug Task Force (4th JDDTF) Investigators in the amount of \$16,058.

BACKGROUND:

The 4th JDDTF executes approximately 85% of all their search warrants. There is a strong nexus between drug sales and firearms. Furthermore, 4th JDDTF investigators are extremely mobile and are able to self-deploy and respond to active threats in the Northwest Arkansas area more quickly than most uniformed officers.

DISCUSSION:

These plate carriers will provide 4th JDDTF investigators with the necessary ballistic protection to safely execute warrants. The mobility, level of protection and their designation as "stand alone" ballistic protection will enable 4th JDDTF investigators to rapidly deploy on scenes involving active threats in an efficient and effective manner. On March 28, 2018, the 4th JDDTF Control Board (Chiefs Tabor, Peters, Workman and Sheriff Helder) voted unanimously to support the use of DTF Program Income as the funding source for the requested tactical body armor vests.

BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:

Attached budget adjustment uses unreserved DTF Program Income from federal forfeitures related to asset seizures during drug investigations. This budget adjustment has no impact on staffing.

Attachments:

Budget Adjustment