

CITY OF SAN ANTONIO POLICE DEPARTMENT CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMORANDUM

TO:

Sheryl Sculley, City Manager

FROM:

Albert A. Ortiz, Chief of Police

SUBJECT:

Texas Automobile Theft Prevention Authority (ATPA) Grant

DATE:

April 20, 2006

SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

An ordinance authorizing the submission of a grant application in the amount of \$947,182 from the Texas Automobile Theft Prevention Authority (ATPA) for the grant year September 1, 2006 to August 31, 2007; authorizing the acceptance of grant funds, and an Interlocal Agreement between the City of San Antonio and the Bexar County Sheriff's Office to fund two (2) deputies for an amount not to exceed \$137,938; approving a cash match \$522,762 and an in-kind match of \$1,385,065 upon award and contingent on the FY 07 budget; and establishing a budget and personnel complement.

Staff recommends approval.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The mission of ATPA is to lower the automobile theft rate by instituting innovative enforcement and theft prevention techniques. The funds from ATPA are attained through a \$1.00 surcharge to insured motorists.

The grant proposal requests continued funding for the current Automobile Theft Prevention Authority (ATPA) Grant. The grant project is called Regional Auto Crimes Team (ReACT) and continues the Police Department's efforts at combating auto theft crimes. ReACT is a multi-jurisdictional unit composed of City, County, and State elements. The SAPD Auto Theft Unit will work as part of the task force, and its General Fund budget will contribute to the in-kind portion of the grant. Other agencies involved include the Bexar County Sheriff's Office (BCSO), the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS), and the National Insurance Crime Bureau (NICB).

Proposed grant funded positions will include the following: one (1) Police Lieutenant; one (1) Police Sergeant; seven (7) Police Detective Investigators; one (1) Administrative Assistant II; one (1) Administrative Assistant I, and two (2) Bexar County Sheriff Detective Investigators. In-kind positions include the following: one (1) Bexar County Sheriff Sergeant; two (2) Bexar County Sheriff Detective Investigators; one (1) DPS Motor Vehicle Theft & Salvage (MVTS) Investigator; and one (1) NICB Agent.

Fiscal Year 2007 is the fifteenth year this grant will be awarded to the San Antonio Police Department. For FY2007 the total grant funding request is \$947,182, which is an increase over last year's award. The grant serves the San Antonio Metropolitan area.

POLICY ANALYSIS

This ordinance continues City Council's policy of seeking intergovernmental financial assistance for City crime prevention and enforcement programs addressing auto crime activity. The program from ATPA will enhance the City's efforts in dealing with auto theft and related property crime by continuing to recover stolen vehicles and other property through intensified enforcement.

FISCAL IMPACT

The proposed program budget totals \$3,205,414, including \$1,735,470 of in-kind contributions. Of the \$1,735,470 in-kind contributions the City will contribute \$1,385,065, the Texas Department of Public Safety \$79,641, the Bexar County Sheriff's Office \$220,764, and the National Insurance Crime Bureau \$50,000. A General Fund cash match of \$522,762, representing an increase of \$24,744 over last year's cash match is necessary and will be requested during the FY2007 budget process. The cost of the non-city positions funded by the grant will be reimbursed to the appropriate organization in accordance with an interlocal agreement developed when the grant is awarded.

COORDINATION

This ordinance request has been coordinated with the Finance Department, Office of Management & Budget, and the City Attorney's Office.

SUPPLEMENTARY COMMENTS

The Discretionary Contracts Disclosure Form is not required.

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Albert A. Ortiz Chief of Police

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Assistant City Manager

Approved for Council Consideration:

Sheryl Sculley City Manager

TEXAS AUTOMOBILE THEFT PREVENTION AUTHORITY

ATPA GRANT NO. SA-T04-10063-07

REGIONAL AUTO CRIMES TEAM (ReACT)

INTERNAL ORDER NO.

SEPTEMBER 1, 2006 to AUGUST 31, 2007

PERSONNEL COMPLEMENT

Grant Funded Positions:

City Positions:		
Job Class	Job Title Number of	Positions
0605	Police Lieutenant	1
0604	Police Sergeant	1
0603	Police Detective Investigator	7
0041	Administrative Assistant II	1
0040	Administrative Assistant I	<u>1</u>
	Total City Positions	11
Other Positions:		1
	Bexar County Sheriff Sergeant	1
	Bexar Co. Sheriff Detective Investigator	4
	DPS – MVTS Investigator	1
	NCIB Agent	<u>1</u>
	Total Other Positions	7

Regional Auto Crimes Team (ReACT) September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007 Internal Order No. 117000000074 ATPA Grant # SA-T04-10063-07
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General	Description		
Ledger	Revenue	Budget	
	ATPA Grant # SA-T04-10063-07	947,182.00	
	General Fund Cash Match	522,762.00	
	In-Kind Contributions	1,735,470.00	
0300000	Total Revenue	3,205,414.00	
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5101010	Regular Salaries & Wages	609,048.00	
	Overtime	22,798.00	
	Language Pay	1,200.00	
		78,204.00	
	Longevity Pay	7,730.00	
	FICA & Medicare Expense	936.00	
	Life Insurance	26,859.00	
	Personal Leave Buy-Back	3,600.00	
	Car Expense Allowance	4,320.00	
	Clothing Allowance	61,008.00	
	F&P Retiree Prepaid Health	0.00	
	Court Duty	166,080.00	
	F&P Pension		
	Flex benefit Contr	99,000.00	
	CLEAT Insurance	13,176.00	
	Police Certification Pay	26,640.00	
	Education Incentive Pay	16,020.00	
	Retirement Expense (TMRS)	7,956.00	
	Education	1,075.00	
	Fees to Prof. Contractors	1,000.00	
	Other Contractual Services	137,938.00	
5203040	Advertising & Publications	1,500.00	
	Membership Dues & Licenses	675.00	
	Maint & Rep - Cmrcl	0.00	
	Rental of Field Equipment	56,916.00	
5204090	Maint & Rep - Automotive	0.00	
	Mail & Parcel Post	420.00	
	Rental of Facility	72,778.00	
	Travel - Official	19,447.00	
	M&R Parts Automotive	0.00	
	Office Supplies	5,590.00	
	Clothing & Linen Supplies	930.00	
	Tools & Apparatus	4,500.00	
	Phone & Fax Service	12,480.00	
	Rental of Pagers	1,144.00	
5403040	Cellular Phone Service	8,000.00	
	Motor Fuel & Lubricants	0.00	
	Automotive Admin Charge	0.00	
	Liability Hazard & Fidelity Insurance	976.00	
	In-Kind Salaries	1,625,428.00	
	In-Kind Contractual Services	56,427.00	
	In-Kind Other Commodities	27,812.00	
6806520	In-Kind Miscellaneous Expense	25,803.00	
	Total Expenditures	3,205,414.00	