CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION 98-087 MARCH 16, 1998 AGENDA

SUBJECT:

OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL

SUBMITTED BY:

KEVIN RIPER FINANCE DIRECTOR

SYNOPSIS -

William Moulder, (1-R), Chief of Police, to San Antonio, Texas, from April 29, 1998 to May 3, 1998, to attend the 1998 Annual Meeting of the Police Executive Research Forum entitled, "The Challenge of Progressive Policing".

FISCAL IMPACT -

Cost of travel is \$1,300. Funding for these trips is provided for in the 1997-98 Operating Budget under Index Code 107870, page 542.

The total expended on City travel from July 1, 1997 through March 11, 1998, is \$211,576.70; the total amount budgeted for City travel is approximately \$370,000.

RECOMMENDATION –

Approval.

BACKGROUND -

On January 20, 1992, by Roll Call No. 92-214, the City Council approved a revision to the policy for travel authorization requests. Such revision requires trips which exceed three days and \$1,250 cost to be approved by the Council. The number in parenthesis indicates the total number of trips previously authorized for that individual for the current budget year; R represents resident and N/R represents non-resident.