



**Council  
Communication**  
Office of the City Manager

**Date** October 22, 2007

**Agenda Item No.** 28  
**Roll Call No.** 07-  
**Communication No.** 07-624  
**Submitted by:** Judy Bradshaw, Chief of Police

**AGENDA HEADING:**

Approval of 2007 Community Oriented Policing Methamphetamine Initiative Grant Award

**SYNOPSIS:**

Recommend approval of a COPS Methamphetamine Initiative Grant to support community policing efforts in preventing the production, use and distribution of methamphetamine.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Amount: \$406,484. There is no match requirement for this grant. The grant period is for two years starting September 1, 2007 through August 31, 2009.

Funding Source: U. S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, 2007-2008 Operating Budget, Page 288-Special Revenue Funds, SP751, POL985010.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

The U.S. Department of Justice through the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) has established a methamphetamine initiative grant program. The programs provides up to \$450,000 without a required local match, to be directed towards multi-jurisdictional activities to combat the manufacture, sale and use of methamphetamine.

The Police Department is proposing to use the grant funding for multi-jurisdictional overtime activities, training, and equipment for enforcement, prevention and educational efforts.

**PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):**

Date: June 18, 2007

Roll Call Number: 07-1183

Action: Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Methamphetamine Initiative Grant application for \$412,484 for a period of October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2009. (Council Communication No. 07-367) Moved by Coleman to adopt. Motion carried 6-0.

Date: May 24, 1999

Roll Call Number: 99-1670

Action: Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Methamphetamine Initiative Grant application for \$300,000 for a period from October 1, 1999 through September 30, 2000. (Council Communication No. 99-233) Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion carried 5-2.

**BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE**

**ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:**

The purchase of twenty (20) mobile data computers with upgrades and equipment has been requested from grant funds. This purchase will require Council approval.