

 <p style="text-align: center;">Council Communication Office of the City Manager</p>	Date: June 22, 2014
	Agenda Item No. 60 Roll Call No. <u>14-999</u> Communication No. <u>14-312</u> Submitted by: Judy A. Bradshaw, Chief of Police

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving contract between Langley Productions, Inc. and the City of Des Moines.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval and authorize execution of a contract between Langley Productions, Inc. and the City of Des Moines allowing Langley Productions, Inc. to film activities of Des Moines police officers while on duty for its television series called “COPS.”

FISCAL IMPACT: NONE

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Morgan Langley, Senior Vice President of Langley Productions, Inc., 1111 Broadway, Santa Monica, CA 90401, has signed the proposed contract and provided the required certificate of insurance which are on file with the City Clerk. The contract allows Langley Productions, Inc. to ride with and film the day to day occurrences of Des Moines police officers while on duty from approximately June 24 to September 13, 2014 or as extended with an agreement by the Chief of Police. The Police Department will have final editorial approval prior to the television broadcast. Langley Productions, Inc. filmed Des Moines police officers in 2001, 2003 and 2011, resulting in some positive publicity for Des Moines and its Police Department.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: June 27, 2011

Roll Call Number: [11-1164](#)

Action: [Contract](#) with Langley Productions, Inc. to film various activities of Des Moines’ police officers for inclusion in television series “COPS.” ([Council Communication No. 11-406](#)) Moved by Coleman to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: May 19, 2003

Roll Call Number: 03-1187

Action: Contract between Des Moines Police Department and Langley Productions for the COPS TV Show for an eight week period starting May 27, 2003. ([Council Communication No. 03-220](#)) Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion Carried 6-1.

Date: May 18, 2001

Roll Call Number: 01-1453

Action: Approving contract with Langley Productions d/b/a COPS, to ride and film Des Moines Police Officers during performance of their duties - tentative dates, June 19 thru August 11, 2001.

SPONSOR: Coleman. Moved by Coleman to adopt. Motion Carried 6-1. Absent: Flagg.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Approve and authorize execution of the contract with Langley Productions, Inc. d/b/a COPS.

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