


# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number: <b>24-307</b>	Meeting: <b>August 5, 2024</b>
	Agenda Item: <b>30A</b>	Roll Call: [ <input type="text"/> ]
	Submitted by: <b>Dana Wingert, Chief of Police</b>	

## AGENDA HEADING:

Approving the purchase of ammunition for the Police Department to be used for training and duty purposes throughout the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025 budget year and approval for the City Manager or his designee, to make the purchase of ammunition using the State of Iowa Master Agreements #MA22053B; #22034; #21293C annually.

## SYNOPSIS:

The Police Department recommends approval to purchase a 12-month supply of ammunition for the Police Department as follows:

- Pistol, rifle, and shotgun duty/practice ammunition using the State of Iowa Master Agreement 21293C for the Police Academy and Metro STAR response team from Kiesler Police Supply (2802 Sable Mills Road, Jeffersonville, IN 47130, Douglas Kiesler, Chief Executive Officer) in the amount of \$259,301.55.
- Rifle duty rounds using State of Iowa Master Agreement #MA22053B for Metro S.T.A.R. response team from Sunset Law Enforcement LLC, (303 Sherman Avenue, Ackley, IA 50601, Mike Bright, Owner) in the amount of \$42,900.
- 9mm marking rounds using the State of Iowa Master Agreement #22034 for use at the Police Academy from Streicher's Inc. (10911 W Hwy 55, Minneapolis, MN 55441, Jeremy Jennings, President) in the amount of \$8,469.60.

## FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$310,671.15

Funding Source: \$92,041.93– Police Academy (PD220352)  
\$218,629.22 – Metro STAR (PD221366)

Adopted Operating Budget, Department Detail, for FY ending June 30, 2025

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The ammunition being requested will supply the Police Department for a 12-month period based on historical consumption. State law requires new and veteran officers to demonstrate handgun,

shotgun and rifle accuracy and proficiency annually. The Des Moines Police Department requires officers to participate in live firearms training twice a year with additional opportunities available for officers to remain proficient. The ammunition is available for purchase on State of Iowa Master Agreements #21293C, #MA22053B, and #22034.

- The rifle ammunition is specifically used by the Metro STAR response team. This team includes members from the Polk County Sheriff's Office and may include police officers from neighboring municipalities. Polk County has historically reimbursed the City for 40% of the cost for this ammunition each year.

#### **PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):**

Date: October 23, 2023

Roll Call Number: [23-1450](#)

Action: [Purchase](#) of ammunition from Sunset Law Enforcement LTD (Mike Bright, Owner), Streicher's, Inc. (Jeremy Jennings, President) and Kiesler Police Supply, Inc. (Doug Kiesler, CEO) and approving use of State of Iowa Master Agreements for use by the Police Department, estimated annual cost \$229,177.83. ([Council Communication No. 23-482](#)) Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Voss. Motion Carried 6-0.

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

#### **ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE**

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