


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number:	21-318	Meeting:	July 19, 2021
	Agenda Item:	49	Roll Call:	21-1133
	Submitted by:	Dana Wingert, Chief of Police		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approval to submit application for funding through the 2021 Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) for the Community Policing Development Training Grant.

SYNOPSIS:

The Des Moines Police Department recommends authorization to apply for funding through the 2021 COPS grant program to contract with Police Executive Research Forum to provide training to police officers to resolve critical incidents while upholding the sanctity of life. This training will be provided in three (3) sessions to ensure all officers are able to attend.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$ 148,500

Funding Source: Adopted Operating Budget, Department Detail for Fiscal Year (FY) 2022, Page 199.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The Des Moines Police Department would like to apply to the Community Oriented Policing Services Office for funding to support the recently approved contract with The Police Executive Research Forum to conduct local training sessions for police officers to resolve critical incidents as safely and professionally as possible.
- The contract was approved during the June 28, 2021 City Council meeting by Roll Call Number 21-0991.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: June 28, 2021

Roll Call Number: [21-0991](#)

Action: [Approving](#) an exception to the procurement ordinance competitive process for good cause and approving an agreement with Police Executive Research Forum (PERF) for professional training of Police Officers to safely and professionally resolve critical incidents. Moved by Gatto to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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