


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number:	23-484	Meeting:	October 23, 2023
	Agenda Item:	50	Roll Call:	23-1448
	Submitted by:	Dana Wingert, Chief of Police		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving the Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Annual Federal Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certification.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of the Federal Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certification Report for FY2023. This annual report is a requirement for the Police Department's participation in the sharing of federal asset forfeiture funds and has been prepared for submission to the Department of Justice (DOJ) who administers the program.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: Revenue varies from year to year depending on activity.

FY2023 revenue generated was \$198,011.66.

FY2023 expenses totaled \$67,267.28.

These funds were spent for Police Department employees to attend various job-related training.

Funding Source: Federally Forfeited Funds, Page 214, Adopted Operating Budget, FY2024

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

This report verifies proper use of the federal asset forfeiture funds in accordance with the DOJ rules and regulations for equitable sharing for local law enforcement agencies. Equitable sharing of federally forfeited funds may only be used for activities that enhance law enforcement. Funds may not be used to replace or supplant the resources of the law enforcement agency.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: October 3, 2022

Roll Call Number: [22-1528](#)

Action: [FY2022](#) Annual Federal Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certification. ([Council Communication No. 22-442](#)) Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Boesen. Motion Carried 6-1. Nays: Sheumaker.

Date: September 13, 2021

Roll Call Number: [21-1426](#)

Action: [FY2021](#) Annual Federal Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certification. ([Council Communication No. 21-382](#)) Moved by Bosen to adopt. Motion Carried 6-1. Absent: Westergaard.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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