



# REQUEST FOR CITY COUNCIL ACTION

**MEETING DATE:**

August 4, 2021

**DEPARTMENT:**

Police

**DIVISION**

Patrol

**STRATEGIC OUTCOMES**

- ☒ Safe & Prosperous
- ☐ Active & Appealing
- ☐ Respected & Responsible
- ☐ Connected & Engaged
- ☐ Unique & Creative

**ACTION**

- ☒ Motion
- ☐ Resolution
- ☐ Ordinance - Introduction
- ☐ Ordinance - Adoption
- ☐ Public Hearing

**TITLE:**

Declare Surplus and Transfer: Mobile Data Computers

**SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION:**

Authorize the City Administrator to declare surplus and transfer Operation Stonegarden grant-funded Mobile Data Computers (MDC's) to other law enforcement agencies in Yuma County. The receiving agencies will assume responsibility for reporting to the Arizona Department of Homeland Security regarding the transferred equipment. The approximate total value of the equipment is \$70,000.00. (Police Department/Susan Smith)

**STRATEGIC OUTCOME:**

This item supports the City Council's strategic outcome of Safe and Prosperous by allowing law enforcement member agencies of Yuma Regional Communication System (YRCS) to access regional public safety information systems and share information. The MDCs will be utilized to replace or supplement existing equipment inventories to improve and enhance public safety information management and sharing.

**REPORT:**

In 2018, the Yuma Police Department (YPD) was awarded Operation Stonegarden Grant #180409-03 (Grant) by the Arizona Department of Homeland Security for the purchase of 38 MDC's to replace previously Grant funded MDC's that had reached the end of their service lives. In 2019, the Grant funds were utilized to purchase Panasonic products, the City's MDC standard at the time.

In 2020, the Information Technology Department changed the MDC standard from the Panasonic product to an equivalent Dell product to reduce costs. In order to standardized all computer systems and support services, all YPD MDC's were replaced with the Dell products.

The Grant requires equipment with remaining service life, but that is no longer needed by a Grant recipient agency, to be offered to other agencies or organizations participating in the Operation Stonegarden program. The Panasonic products are estimated to have more than three years of service life remaining. In coordination with the YRCS and the Arizona Department of Homeland Security, a tentative plan has been developed to distribute the 38 Panasonic MDC's to the following agencies:

- San Luis Police Department: 15
- Somerton Police Department: 8
- Yuma County Sheriff's Office: 5
- Cocopah Police Department: 5
- Quechan Police Department: 4
- Yuma Regional Communication Service: 1

The receiving agencies will be responsible for all maintenance, support, and costs, including air card fees, relating to the MDC's received. They will also be responsible for all Grant activities related to the equipment, to include reporting, recordkeeping, and disposal for the remainder of the Grant period and equipment life.

FISCAL REQUIREMENTS	CITY FUNDS:	\$0.00	BUDGETED:	\$0.00
	STATE FUNDS:	\$0.00	AVAILABLE TO TRANSFER:	\$0.00
	FEDERAL FUNDS:	\$0.00	IN CONTINGENCY:	\$0.00
	OTHER SOURCES:	\$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00	FUNDING FOR THIS ITEM IS FOUND IN THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNT/FUND/CIP:	
	TOTAL:	\$0.00		
	FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT: The estimated value of the grant funded equipment is \$70,000. There is no cost to the City for this transfer.			

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	SUPPORTING INFORMATION NOT ATTACHED TO THE CITY COUNCIL ACTION FORM THAT IS ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK:  1. 2. 3. 4. 5.		
	IF CITY COUNCIL ACTION INCLUDES A CONTRACT, LEASE OR AGREEMENT, WHO WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ROUTING THE DOCUMENT FOR SIGNATURE AFTER CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL?  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Department <input type="checkbox"/> City Clerk's Office <input type="checkbox"/> Document to be recorded <input type="checkbox"/> Document to be codified		

SIGNATURES	CITY ADMINISTRATOR:	DATE:
	Philip A. Rodriguez	7/28/2021
	REVIEWED BY CITY ATTORNEY:	DATE:
	Richard W. Files	7/27/2021
	RECOMMENDED BY (DEPT/DIV HEAD):	DATE:
Susan M. Smith	07/20/2021	
WRITTEN/SUBMITTED BY:	DATE:	
Don E. Willits	07/15/2021	