



CITY COUNCIL STAFF REPORT

DATE: July 6, 2011

CONSENT AGENDA

SUBJECT: ACCEPTANCE OF \$45,000.00 IN GRANT FUNDING FROM THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL (ABC) FOR AN ALCOHOL ENFORCEMENT AND AWARENESS PROJECT TO BE USED TO ENFORCE, EDUCATE, AND BRING AWARENESS TO THE PUBLIC.

FROM: David Ready, City Manager

BY: Palm Springs Police Department

SUMMARY

It is recommended that the City Council authorize the City Manager to accept \$45,000.00 in ABC grant funding for the Police Department to utilize for an Alcohol Enforcement and Awareness project. The total grant amount will be \$45,000.00. The grant funds will be used to expand its current efforts in addressing alcohol related criminal activity; alcohol related complaints and accusations against businesses; and the use of alcohol by minors. Several creative approaches will be employed, such as: Shoulder tap operations; party patrols; sales to minors operations; and educational presentations.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt Resolution No. _____, "A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALM SPRINGS ACCEPTING A GRANT FROM THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL IN THE AMOUNT OF \$45,000.00 FOR ALCOHOL ENFORCEMENT."

STAFF ANALYSIS:

The Police Department will vigorously enforce alcohol and other ABC laws by conducting licensee premise checks, shoulder tap operations, sales to minors operations, party patrols, and educational presentations in partnership with ABC agents. These projects are labor intensive and thus expensive. The Police Department plans to conduct 12 special operations during this grant period. The department has been

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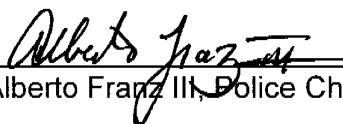
successful in obtaining grant funding to pay for the personnel and equipment costs for these programs.

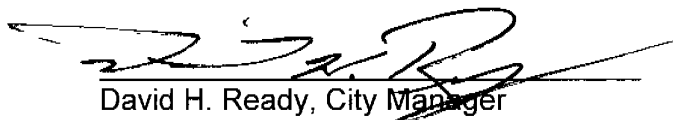
The Police Department was able to successfully solicit ABC grant funding for this community safety project and was awarded \$45,000 in grant funding.

This grant period is for an ABC Enforcement and Awareness project for fiscal year 2011/2012.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact. This is a reimbursable costs grant program. No matching funds are required to obtain this additional grant funding.


Alberto Franz III, Police Chief


David H. Ready, City Manager

Attachments:

1. Proposed Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALM SPRINGS ACCEPTING A GRANT FROM THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL IN THE AMOUNT OF \$45,000.00 FOR ALCOHOL ENFORCEMENT.

WHEREAS, The City of Palm Springs desires to undertake a certain project designated as Alcohol Enforcement and Awareness Project to be funded in part from funds made available through the Grant Assistance Program (GAP) administered by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (hereafter referred to as ABC);

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Manager of the City of Palm Springs is authorized to execute on behalf of The Palm Springs City Council the attached contract, including any extensions or amendments thereof and any subsequent contract with the State in relation thereto.

IT IS AGREED that any liability arising out of the performance of this contract, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the grant recipient and the authorizing agency. The State of California and ABC disclaim responsibility for any such liability.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by this body.

IT IS ALSO AGREED that this award is not subject to local hiring freezes.

ADOPTED THIS __ TH DAY OF _____, 2011.

David H. Ready, City Manager

ATTEST:

James Thompson, City Clerk

CERTIFICATION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE) ss.
CITY OF PALM SPRINGS)

I, JAMES THOMPSON, City Clerk of the City of Palm Springs, hereby certify that Resolution No. _____ is a full, true and correct copy, and was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Palm Springs on _____, by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:

James Thompson, City Clerk
City of Palm Springs, California