

Agenda Report

To: City Council Date: October 4, 1999

From: City Manager

Re: Expenditure of Asset Forfeiture Funds

RECOMMENDTION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Approve a journal voucher appropriating \$30,000 of Asset Forfeiture funds from fund balance to budget account # 403130, Asset Forfeiture.

BACKGROUND:

The Detective and Special Investigations Sections are responsible for investigations involving reported crime and major narcotic trafficking. The below listed items are necessary to enhance those investigations and the safety of the officers involved. Assets seized in connection with drug investigations, which have been awarded to the Police Department, may be utilized for these purchases.

The items include:

Undercover surveillance video and audio equipment	\$15,000
Tactical bullet resistant vests and holsters	\$11,500
Digital Cameras	\$ 2,000
Multiplex Video Unit	\$ 1,500
Total	\$30,000

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The expenditure of \$30,000 in Asset Forfeiture funds will reduce the Asset Forfeiture fund balance to \$619,500. These funds will be appropriated to the materials and supply and equipment budgets in account 403130.

Respectfully submitted,

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