



Legislation Text

File #: Res. 2018-28R, **Version:** 1

AGENDA CAPTION:

Consider approval of Resolution 2018-28R, approving the purchase of plate carrier ballistic vest packages for the Police Department and Peace Officers in the Neighborhood Services Department from GT Distributors, Inc. through the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative Buyboard Contract for Public Safety and Fire House Supplies and Equipment (Contract #524-17); in the total purchase amount of \$57,500; authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute the appropriate purchase documents on behalf of the City; and declaring an effective date.

Meeting date: 3/6/2018

Department: Police Department - Chase Stapp, Chief of Police; Neighborhood Services - Jeff Caldwell, Neighborhood Services Director....(By Rachel Shelton, Purchasing Specialist, Senior)

Amount & Source of Funding

Funds Required: \$57,500

Account Number: 13186263-56030, 10002141-53098

Funds Available: \$49,000, \$8,500

Account Name: Bulletproof Vest Partnership, Supplies-Armory

Fiscal Note:

Prior Council Action: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

City Council Goal: [Please select goal from dropdown menu below]

Goal # 7 Maintain Fiscal Responsibility

Goal #8 Provide efficient & effective delivery of services

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Comprehensive Plan Element (s): [Please select the Plan element(s) and Goal # from dropdown menu below]

☐ Economic Development - [Choose an item.](#)

☐ Environment & Resource Protection - [Choose an item.](#)

☐ Land Use - [Choose an item.](#)

☐ Neighborhoods & Housing - [Choose an item.](#)

- ☐ Parks, Public Spaces & Facilities - Choose an item.
- ☐ Transportation - Choose an item.
- ☐ Not Applicable

Master Plan: *[Please select the corresponding Master Plan from the dropdown menu below (if applicable)]*

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Background Information:

The Police Department and Neighborhood Services are purchasing and outfitting 115 sworn law enforcement officers with rifle rated ballistic vests in the amount of \$57,500. The vests will be utilized by officers responding to known or high-risk type of incidents including but not limited to person with a gun, robbery/burglary in progress, and active shooter situations.

The vests are being purchased through the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative ("BuyBoard") that has awarded a contract #524-17 for Public Safety and Firehouse Supplies and Equipment to GT Distributors, Inc located in Austin, Texas. This process is authorized by the Texas Government Code, Title 10, Subtitle D, Section 2155-504(b) and the Local Government Code, Section 271-101.

The purchase is funded, in part, by a grant that was approved by City Council through Resolution No. 2017-123R on August 15, 2017 authorizing the submission of an application to the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division for a grant in the amount of \$57,500 to purchase rifle-rated ballistic vests for us be certain police officers and peace officers in the City Marshal's office.

Council Committee, Board/Commission Action:

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Alternatives:

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Recommendation:

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