



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Police

Date: May 20, 2014

To: Public Safety, Civil Rights and Health Committee
Referral to: Ways and Means Committee

Subject: Permission to enter into Contracts with the University of Minnesota
College of Veterinary Medicine

Recommendation: That the Police Department be authorized to enter into a contract agreement in the amount up to \$22,595 with the University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine for K-9 veterinary care for the period July 1, 2014 through June 30,2015;

Payment for these services will be charged to the Police General Fund.

Previous Directives: Veterinary services have been provided under contract with the University of Minnesota - College of Veterinary Medicine since 2006.

Department Information

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Presenters in Committee: Wendy Guck

Reviews

- Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval ___ Date _____
- Civil Rights Approval Approval ___ Date _____
- Policy Review Group (PRG): Approval ___ Date _____

Financial Impact *(delete all lines not applicable to your request)*

- No financial impact
- Action is within the Business Plan
- Request provided to the Finance Department

Community Impact

- Neighborhood Notification
- City Goals
- Comprehensive Plan
- Zoning Code
- Other

Supporting Information

The Police Department requests approval to enter into contract agreements with University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine, Veterinary Medical Center for care for the K-9 service dogs. The U of M Veterinary Medical Center requires K-9 health services to contract for an annual fee for services on the order of a health plan. The new 2014-2015 contract allows \$22,595 in maintenance and illness/injury expenses. There is no financial impact as this expenditure was considered in the Police Department general fund budget.