



## Request for City Council Committee Action from the Police Department

Date: April 23, 2007  
To: Ways & Means Budget Committee  
Referral to: None

**Subject: Request from Contingency funds for downtown police patrols.**

### Recommendation:

The Minneapolis Police Department respectfully requests the appropriation of \$500,000 in contingency funds for downtown police patrols. The Department requests an increase of \$500,000 to fund 0100-400-4000.

### Previous Directives:

Prepared by: Inspector Janeé Harteau Approved by: Assistant Chief Lubinski Presenters in Committee: Chief Dolan & Inspector Harteau
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### Reviews

- Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval \_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_
- Policy Review Group (PRG): Approval \_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Financial Impact

- financial impact
- Action requires an appropriation increase to the \_\_\_ Capital Budget or \_\_\_ Operating Budget
- Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase
- **XX Action requires use of contingency or reserves**
- Action is within the Business Plan
- Action requires a change to the Business Plan
- Other financial impact
- Request provided to the Finance Department when provided to the Committee Coordinator

### Supporting Information

The Police Department requests an amendment to its general appropriation resolution for 2007 by \$500,000 to provide improved public safety downtown during the summer months. Targeted police overtime would allow us to provide a similar level of high police presence and visibility that we did last summer. This presence would be throughout the day and evening at problematic locations including bus stops, Block E and other areas of heavy pedestrian traffic and entertainment venues.