



Request for City Council Committee Action

Date May 14, 2002

To Committee – Public Safety and Regulatory
Referral to Committee – Ways and Means

Prepared or Submitted by Deputy Chief Greg Hestness Phone 673-2853
Approved by _____

Subject: Request to accept (2nd revision) 2001-2003 State Community Oriented Policing (COPS) Grant Funds

Presenters in Committee: Julie Sikora, MPD, 673-3484

Recommendation: Consent Item -- Approval to accept additional allocation for 2001-2003 State COPS Overtime Grant of \$62,500; MPD Fund 0600-400-4030, revenue source 3215. (Grant total \$125,000.)

(Complete action required in the final report, including fund-agency-org, contract number and amendment number, if applicable)

Financial Impact (Check those that apply)

- No financial impact (If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information)
- Action requires an appropriation increase to the Capital Budget
- Action requires an appropriation increase to the Operating Budget
- Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase
- Action requires use of contingency or reserves
- Other financial impact (Explain): No cost. Funds would be reimbursed to MPD when information, including statistics/narratives are submitted with number and costs of overtime.
- Request provided to the Budget Office when provided to the Committee Coordinator

Background/Supporting Information:

The MPD has been utilizing State COPS Grant Funds for the last 4 years to provide and additional uniformed officer presence via patrols in high crime areas (requirement of the grant). The original grant of \$125,000 was passed through council in July 2001. The current legislature initially decreased the amount of the award to \$62,5000 (amended in Council, March 2002) – but now has reallocated the additional \$62,500 – giving the City

of Minneapolis the full \$125,000 initial award. No funding match (cost to city) is required.

Council resolution and publication in Financial Times needed for contracts.