



Request for City Council Committee Action

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

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Approved by Police Department_____

Subject Request for State Homeland Security Grant - Bomb Unit No-Cost Grant Extension

Presenters in Committee

Recommendation

The Minneapolis Police Department respectfully requests that the proper officials be authorized to execute the contract agreement for a no-cost extension to the current 2004 Urban Areas Security Initiative Grant Program for the Bomb/Arson Unit.

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):
- Request provided to the Budget Office when provided to the Committee Coordinator

Background/Supporting Information

The Police Department requests permission to execute a no-cost grant extension under the 2004 Urban Areas Security Initiative Grant Program through the Minnesota Department of Public Safety - Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management. The grant award is being used to purchase equipment for the Bomb/Arson Unit for city and statewide bomb disposal response and extra time is needed to expend all of the grant funds.