



MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

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Meeting Date: 04/21/15
Agenda Item #: B.2
Est. Start Time: 10:15 a.m.
Date Submitted: 04/15/15

Agenda Title: Informational Board Briefing on the Intergovernmental agreement for Policing Services with the City of Troutdale

Note: Title should not be more than 2 lines but be sufficient to describe the action requested.

Requested Meeting Date: April 21, 2015
Time Needed: 45 minutes
Department: Sheriff's Office
Division: Law Enforcement
Contact(s): Wanda Yantis
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Presenter Name(s) & Title(s): Sheriff Daniel Staton, Chief Deputy Linda Yankee, Lieutenant Brent Ritchie

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Information briefing to the Board regarding the proposed intergovernmental agreement with the City of Troutdale for Policing Services.

2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer this action affects and how it impacts the results.

The City of Troutdale and the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office are entering into an agreement for the Sheriff's Office to provide patrol services to the City of Troutdale. This contract would recognize cost saving efficiencies due to economies of scale; achieve a patrol hub relocation in the heart of the County's geographic districts; allow for consolidation of investigative cases; reduce supervisory duplication; and many additional benefits.

The Troutdale Police Services contract provides 24/7 protection of life and property for visitors and residents living or visiting the City of Troutdale. MCSO provides protection services by responding to service calls through the 911 system, non-emergency dispatch or self-initiated field activities. Deputies are the first responders to any emergency requiring an immediate response.

Working with Troutdale City leaders, schools, businesses and neighborhood associations, deputies seek to understand community needs and use problem solving skills to assess, investigate, and intervene in criminal and gang related activities. Criminal intervention sometimes results in disruption of the family unit and deputies use social service providers

to help stabilize children and families through housing, health and mental health services. Traffic safety through education and intervention provides safe streets and highways to access commerce and recreation opportunities for the community.

A visible public safety system is critical for citizens in feeling safe at home, school, work, and play. Evidence through the Bureau of Justice Administration studies shows that community policing is a proven and historical strategy to community safety. The Patrol Unit works actively with citizen groups and neighborhood associations to develop agreed upon response plans for identified problems. The Patrol Unit provides the introduction of county wide social service programs to the community. The resulting contract would be included as part of FY2016 Program Offer 60059-16 MCSO Contract with Troutdale for Police Services (2016).

3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).

This IGA is to be cost neutral to the County; the revenue received from the City of Troutdale will match the expenses incurred by the Sheriff's Office in providing the services. County and departmental indirect rates are part of the IGA.

4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.

ORS 206.010, General duties of sheriff; ORS 204.635, Deputies of sheriff; special appointment, authority of; liability of; ORS 206.210, Authority of sheriff over organization of office; ORS 206.345 Contracts with cities, authority under contract; ORS 401.560 Search and Rescue, responsibilities of sheriff.

5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.

City of Troutdale Council meetings and work sessions that took place on April 1, 2014 and May 6, 2014; On May 13, 2014 the Troutdale Council adopted Resolution #2247 authorizing the negotiation of an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office for law enforcement services; March 3, 2015 work session to review the developed IGA; On March 24, 2015 the Troutdale Council voted to sign the IGA.

Required Signature

Elected Official

or Department/

Agency Director:

Sheriff Daniel Staton /s/

4/15/2015

Date:

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