

Council Agenda Report

Date: March 13, 2017

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SUBJECT: Police Grants

Recommendation: That Council authorize the Police Department to apply for annually recurring grants as they open the application process.

Discussion: The Police Department receives grants on a regular annual basis from Dorchester County, State Highway Administration and Governor's Office on Crime Control and Prevention to reimburse the Department for officer overtime in very specific enforcement objectives. These grants include underage tobacco and alcohol enforcement, driving under the influence, distracted driving, school bus safety and gun violence. Amounts vary based on state funding and enforcement requirements. These grants totaled \$26,838 in FY17.

Fiscal Impact: The City incurs a cost of 7.65% for FICA and \$13.34 per \$100 for worker's compensation for each hour worked. This is included in our budget as an expected grant.

Approved:

