



# AGENDA REPORT

Department: Police Department  
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Meeting Date: Tuesday, December 6, 2022  
Approved by: Brad Raulston, City Manager

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**SUBJECT:**

2023 Office of Traffic Safety (OTS) Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) Grant

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt the Resolution entitled, "Resolution of the City Council of the City of National City, California, Authorizing the Acceptance of the 2023 Office of Traffic Safety Selective Traffic Enforcement Program Grant and Authorizing the City Manager to Execute the Grant Agreement."

**BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE PRIOR ACTION:**

Not Applicable.

**EXPLANATION:**

On October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 the National City Police Department was approved to receive \$150,000.00 in grant funds from the Office of Traffic Safety (OTS). The grant was approved for a one-year period beginning October 1<sup>st</sup> 2022. This award is based upon a grant proposal submitted to the Office of Traffic Safety for the purpose of reducing the number of persons killed or injured in traffic collisions and alcohol involved collisions; to reduce fatal and injury hit and run collisions; to reduce the amount of motorcyclists killed or injured; and to reduce fatal and injury collisions at intersections where unsafe turning movements and unsafe speeds were a factor.

The grant funds allocated to accomplish these goals will be used to fund operations such as DUI/DL checkpoints, DUI saturation patrols, and enforcement operations regarding speed, red light violators, distracted drivers, and motorcycle enforcement within the city limits of the City of National City. There is also funding allowing for Traffic Safety presentations, and the purchase of one new police motorcycle.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT:**

290-11679-3498 (Other Federal Grants) \$150,000  
290-411-679 (Overtime & related accounts) -\$150,000  
No matching funds required

**RELATED CITY COUNCIL 2020-2025 STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL:**

Public Safety

**ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW:**

Not Applicable

**PUBLIC NOTIFICATION:**

Agenda Report posted within 72 hours of meeting date and time in accordance with Brown Act.

**ORDINANCE:**

Not Applicable

**EXHIBITS:**

Exhibit A - Agreement

Exhibit B - Resolution