



City of Etna

AGENDA for the SPECIAL MEETING of the ETNA CITY COUNCIL
Monday, November 22, 2021 3:00 PM

TELECONFERENCE

CALL TO ORDER

FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL

ORAL COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

CONSENT CALENDAR

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Public Works Report
Finance Report

Fire Dept. Report
Clerk Report

Police Report
Mayor Report

Ambulance Report
Council/Committee Reports

BUDGET ITEMS

- None

PUBLIC HEARING

- None

CURRENT BUSINESS

Josh Short/Kelly York

- Discuss/Approve accepting DOJ COPS Grant

CORRESPONDENCE

- None

CLOSED SESSION: Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957

- None

ADJOURNMENT

Teleconference Information:

<https://zoom.us/j/95058139217> Phone: +1 669 900 6833 Access Code: 950 5813 9217

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City of Etna

Agenda Request

Date of Meeting: 11/22/21

Spokesperson(s): Josh Short/Kelly York

Is this for Discussion or are you requesting an Action

Subject/Request: Special COPS Grant

Please provide a description of the request and attach supporting documentation:

Accept \$263,709 DOJ COPS Grant

Will there be a financial impact to the City? Yes No If Yes, \$ 263,709

Please describe:

Allocation to be determined

NOTE: Agenda requests must be received no less than four working days before the date of meeting. Return this form and supporting documentation to address below.

Kris Hargrove

From: jshort <jshort@sisqtel.net>
Sent: Friday, November 19, 2021 9:24 AM
To: Kris Hargrove
Subject: FW: Justice Department Announces \$139 Million for Law Enforcement Hiring to Advance Community Policing

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

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From: "Horwood, Lauren (USACAE)" <Lauren.Horwood@usdoj.gov>
Date: 11/18/21 2:29 PM (GMT-08:00)
To:
Subject: Justice Department Announces \$139 Million for Law Enforcement Hiring to Advance Community Policing



THE UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT of JUSTICE

United States Attorney's Office
Eastern District of California

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
Thursday, November 18, 2021
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Contact: Lauren Horwood
Public Affairs Officer
Lauren.Horwood@usdoj.gov

Justice Department Announces \$139 Million for Law Enforcement Hiring to Advance Community Policing

\$2,138,709 Awarded to Law Enforcement Agencies in the Eastern District of California

Sacramento, Calif. – The Department of Justice today announced more than \$139 million in grant funding through the department's Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS Office) COPS Hiring Program. The awards provide direct funding to 183 law enforcement agencies across the nation, allowing those agencies to hire 1,066 additional fulltime law

enforcement professionals. In the Eastern District of California, two cities were awarded funding totaling \$2,138,709.

“We are committed to providing police departments with the resources needed to help ensure community safety and build community trust,” said Attorney General Merrick B. Garland. “The grants we are announcing today will enable law enforcement agencies across the country to hire more than 1,000 additional officers to support vitally important community oriented policing programs.”

The following cities in the Eastern District of California received awards: The City of Etna in Siskiyou County received \$263,709 to fund one position and the City of Sacramento received \$1,875,000 to fund 15 positions.

The COPS Hiring Program is a competitive award program intended to reduce crime and advance public safety through community policing. The COPS Hiring Program provides funds directly to law enforcement agencies to hire new or rehire additional career law enforcement officers, thereby increasing their community policing capacity and crime prevention efforts. Of the 183 agencies awarded grants today, approximately half will use the funding to focus on building legitimacy and trust between law enforcement and communities; 41 agencies will seek to address high rates of gun violence; 21 will focus on other areas of violence; and 19 will focus COPS Hiring Program resources on combating hate and domestic extremism or supporting police-based responses to persons in crisis. The complete list of awards can be found [here](#).

Since its creation in 1994, COPS has invested more than \$14 billion to advance community policing, including grants awarded to more than 13,000 state, local and tribal law enforcement agencies to fund the hiring and redeployment of more than 135,000 officers. The COPS Hiring Program, COPS’ flagship program, continues to be in demand today: In fiscal year 2021, COPS received 590 applications requesting nearly 3,000 law enforcement positions. For fiscal year 2022, President Biden has requested \$537 million for COPS Hiring Program, an increase of \$300 million.

To learn more about the COPS Hiring Program, please visit <https://cops.usdoj.gov/chp-award>. For additional information about the COPS Office, please visit <https://cops.usdoj.gov/>.

The COPS Office is the federal component of the Department of Justice responsible for advancing community policing nationwide. The only Department of Justice agency with policing in its name, the COPS Office was established in 1994 and has been the cornerstone of the nation’s crime fighting strategy with grants, a variety of knowledge resource products, and training and technical assistance. Through the years, the COPS Office has become the go-to organization for law enforcement agencies across the country and continues to listen to the field and provide the resources that are needed to reduce crime and build trust between law enforcement and the communities served.

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Kris Hargrove

From: Joshua Short
Sent: Friday, November 19, 2021 9:27 AM
To: Kris Hargrove
Subject: Fwd: FY2021 COPS Hiring Program (CHP) Award Announcement

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From: Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) <copsusdoj@service.govdelivery.com>
Sent: Thursday, November 18, 2021, 7:49 AM
To: Joshua Short
Subject: FY2021 COPS Hiring Program (CHP) Award Announcement



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES

145 N Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002

November 18, 2021

Re: COPS Office FY2021 COPS Hiring Program (CHP) award number 15JCOPS-21-GG-03450-UHPX

Dear Chief of Police Joshua Short:

On behalf of the Attorney General of the United States, Merrick B. Garland, and the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS Office), it is my pleasure to inform you that we have approved your proposal for the FY2021 COPS Hiring Program (CHP) in the amount of \$263,709. The COPS Office recognizes and appreciates your commitment to this very important initiative.

At the COPS Office, our mission is advancing community policing nationwide. We prioritize this by supporting state, local, tribal, and territorial law enforcement agencies as they carry out their vital public safety missions. The project you will implement with these award funds contributes to the mission of the COPS Office and the greater goal of reducing crime and building trust between law enforcement and communities served. The team at the COPS Office looks forward to supporting you as you implement this important work.

In the coming days, the COPS Office will release your award package via [the Justice Grant System \(JustGrants\) website](#). At that time, you will receive an automated email with additional information on how to access, review, and accept your award. For programmatic assistance with your award, please do not hesitate to contact your assigned Grant Manager, Tammy Richardson at TAMMY.RICHARDSON2@USDOJ.GOV or AskCOPSRC@usdoj.gov.

I want to extend my personal appreciation for your efforts and congratulate you on this award. On behalf of the staff at the COPS Office, we look forward to your progress on this important project.

Sincerely,



Robert E. Chapman

Acting Director

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