THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE

Staff Report

Council Meeting Date: September 26, 2023

Subject: Woodfin Police Mobile Radio Donation

Staff Resource(s): Chief David Zack, Captain Janice Hawkins

Action Requested: Adoption of a resolution authorizing the City Manager or her assigns to donate used police radios to the Woodfin Police Department

Background:
- The radios have been removed from deadlined Asheville Police Department cars.
- The radios are not compatible with the Asheville Police Department's radio management system.
- Equipment to be donated consists of 14 Motorola APX Radios, at an estimated cost of $300 each for a total of $4,200.

Council Goal(s):
- Connected and Engaged Community

Committee(s):
- None

Pro(s):
- Build partnership with a local agency who has expressed a need for the radios.

Con(s):
- None

Fiscal Impact:
- While this equipment has nominal resale value as surplus property, this donation will enhance the capacity of another local law enforcement agency to perform its duties.
- Donated items are not compatible with other equipment utilized by the Asheville Police Department.

Suggested Motion:
- Motion to authorize the City of Asheville to donate used police radios to the Woodfin Police Department

Attachment(s):
- Resolution
- Inventory List

RESOLUTION NO. 23-____

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HER ASSIGNS TO DONATE SURPLUS USED POLICE RADIOS TO THE WOODFIN POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, North Carolina General Statute § 160A-280 allows for donations of surplus, unused, or otherwise obsolete personal property to other governmental units; and

WHEREAS, the Asheville Police Department has a surplus of radio equipment that is no longer used by the department, and is not compatible with the current radio management program.

WHEREAS, the City of Asheville considers the used items to be surplus, unused, or otherwise obsolete; and

WHEREAS, the Woodfin Police Department has expressed a need for the equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Woodfin Police Department is another governmental unit; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of North Carolina General Statute § 160A-280, the City of Asheville has posted public notice of this proposed Resolution at least five days prior to the adoption of this Resolution approving the donation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE THAT:

1. The used equipment is declared surplus, unused, or otherwise obsolete; and,

2. The City Manager, or her assigns, are hereby authorized to donate and transfer ownership of surplus, unused, or otherwise obsolete equipment, specifically, radios, to the Woodfin Police Department.

Read, approved and adopted this 26th day of September, 2023.

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City Clerk Mayor

Approved as to form:

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City Attorney

Woodfin Police Department Surplus Radio Donation October, 2023			
Description	**Quantity**	**Est. Value**	
Motorola APX Mobile Radios	14	300 ea	4,200
S/N	**Donated to:**		
527CQK2042	Woodfin PD		
527CRD0100	Woodfin PD		
527CRD0105	Woodfin PD		
527CRD0112	Woodfin PD		
527CRD0114	Woodfin PD		
527CRD0119	Woodfin PD		
527CRD0129	Woodfin PD		
527CSF1732	Woodfin PD		
527CTB1510	Woodfin PD		
527CSF1593	Woodfin PD		
527CSF1612	Woodfin PD		
527CSF1614	Woodfin PD		
527CRD1176	Woodfin PD		
527CRD1180	Woodfin PD		
		TOTAL Woodfin PD = 14	
Estimated cost of $300 each for a total of $4,200.			