



Elgin City Council Meeting Agenda Item Executive Summary

ITEM: A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to sign a resolution supporting the submission of a grant application by the Elgin Police Department for the SB-12 Rifle-Resistant Body Armor Grant to the Office of the Governor.

DEPARTMENT: Police

PROPOSED ACTION: Discussion of Resolution and signature by the Mayor.

BACKGROUND: Since SB-12 was passed in 2017 by the Texas Legislators, the Elgin Police Department applied for and was approved to purchase 20 Rifle-Resistant Body Armor vests (1 vest for each officer to carry at all times). The new grant cycle opened on 12-28-2018 and the Police Department is in need of five additional Rifle-Resistant vests because of added personnel. Having Rifle-Resistant vests issued to our officers from a state grant our officers will have more protection to stop rifle ammunition. Securing grant funds will give Officers some added comfort and will increase the probability of them returning home with their families.

BUDGET/FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Funding for this item was { } included { } not included in the current-year budget {X} N/A

RECOMMENDATION: Approval of council and signature by the Mayor.

ATTACHMENTS:

None

- { } Staff will be making a detailed presentation on this agenda item at the meeting.
- {X} Staff will provide brief comments and answer questions on this item at the meeting.
- { } This is a routine procedural item and no presentation is planned for the meeting.

Councilmembers who have any detailed questions or would like to request additional information regarding this item are encouraged to contact the City Manager at their earliest convenience.