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Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	15106	Agenda Number	41.
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Meeting Date:	5/24/2012	Department:	Austin Police Department
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Subject

Approve an ordinance accepting \$55,317 in grant funds from the Downtown Austin Alliance; and amending the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Austin Police Department Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund (Ordinance No. 20110912-005) to appropriate \$55,317 for the Austin Police Department project entitled Downtown Ranger Program.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$55,317 is available in a grant from the Downtown Austin Alliance. A match is not required.

Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	August 18, 2011 - City Council approved action to accept funding to maintain positions for the Ranger Program.
For More Information:	Raul Munguia, Assistant Chief / 974-5030
Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

The current FY 2011-2012 Police Department Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund includes \$570,083 in grant funding from the Downtown Austin Alliance for the Downtown Ranger Program. On April 12, 2012, APD received a grant award in the amount of \$625,400 from the Downtown Austin Alliance. The award is \$55,317 more than anticipated.

This ordinance will accept \$55,317 in grant funding from the Downtown Austin Alliance and will amend the FY 2011-2012 Police Department Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund of Ordinance No. 20110912-005 to appropriate said funds for the project entitled Downtown Ranger Program.

The Downtown Ranger Program is vital to maintaining public safety within the downtown Austin area. Grant funding from the Downtown Austin Alliance will allow the City to continue the salaries of thirteen (13) existing grant-funded FTEs for the Downtown Ranger Program for the project period of May 1, 2012 – April 30, 2013.