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Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	60708	Agenda Number	29.
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Meeting Date:	8/4/2016	Department:	Austin Police Department
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Subject

Approve an ordinance accepting \$750,000 in grant funds from the State of Texas, Governor's Office, Criminal Justice Division; and amending the Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Austin Police Department Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund (Ordinance No. 20150908-001) to appropriate \$750,000 for the Austin Police Department's Body-Worn Camera Program. Related to Item # 28.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$750,000 is available in a grant from the State of Texas, Governor's Office, Criminal Justice Division. The grant period is August 1, 2016 - August 31, 2017. A 25% match (\$187,500) is required and will be met by accounting for the City's portion of the camera system purchases.

Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is attached.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
For More Information:	Brian Manley, Chief of Staff, Austin Police Department (512) 974-5030
Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

This ordinance will accept \$750,000 in grant funds from the State of Texas, Governor's Office, Criminal Justice Division; and amend the Fiscal Year 2015 – 2016 Police Department Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund (Ordinance No. 20150908-001 to appropriate \$750,000 for the Austin Police Department's Body-Worn Camera Program. A 25% match (\$187,500) is required and will be met by accounting for the City's portion of the camera system purchases. The General Fund will not be required to contribute additional funds beyond those currently budgeted to this grant. When the grant funds expire, the Austin Police Department's need for continuing funding will be evaluated and may be denied.