



City of North Miami Beach, Florida
Police Department

Memorandum No. _____

Date November 4, 2021

To: Arthur H. Sorey III, City Manager

From: Richard Rand, Chief

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard Rand", written over the printed name.

Subject: Law Enforcement Trust Fund (LETf) Request

The purpose of this memorandum is to respectfully request that the placement of the attached appropriation request totaling in the amount of \$135,000 for expenditure from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund accounts on the agenda for the City Commission meeting to be held on Tuesday, November 16, 2021. The Police Department is expected to request \$125,000 from the Federal Justice Law Enforcement Trust Fund (Fund 172) and \$10,000 from State Law Enforcement Trust Fund (Fund 173).

As Chief of Police, I certify to the best of my knowledge that the items requested below are in compliance with the applicable Federal Guidelines (Guide to Equitable Sharing for State and Local Law Enforcement Agencies) and Florida Statute Chapter 932.7055, Subsection 4 regarding the disposition of liens and forfeited property.

If you have any questions concerning this request, please contact me at 2537.

RR/sn

c: Richard Rand, Chief of Police
Ketty Gelin, Police Finance Coordinator
Angela Sippio, Police Account Clerk

Federal (Justice) LETF (Fund 172):

The above requested amount will be used for the following law enforcement related purpose(s):

1. Robbery and Fraud Prevention Task Force (Holiday Task Force)\$60,000

This task force will be deployed during the holiday season and will focus on violent crimes prevention, and fraud prevention, while providing a safe secure shopping and residential environment. This request will provide funding for Police overtime to enhance visible and covert patrols. The marked units will enhance visibility and the unmarked units will focus on the apprehension of offenders. The Holiday Task Force has been highly successful in the past in preventing crime and arresting offenders.

2. Firearms Training Ammunition \$65,000

This request is for the purchase of ammunition for firearms training to be utilized by the entire department throughout the year.

Federal LETF Status Report (as of 10/21/2021):

Cash balance as of – 10/21/2021	\$1,045,654.00
Total of this request	\$125,000.00
Amount available after this request	\$920,654.00

State and Local LETF (Fund 173):

1. Shop with a Cop..... \$5,000

This will provide funding for A Shop with a Cop Shopping Spree Program for underprivileged NMB elementary school kids. Approximately 100 kids will receive \$50 each to shop for their families at a local store. During this experience, the children will be advised about making correct choices and be given a brief discussion regarding staying away from gangs and drugs. The kids will be paired with an officer that will walk with them through the department store to assist them in making great selections for them and their families. This is a great program to help bring joy and education to underprivileged families within our community.

2 Snow-Fest Toy Drive.....\$5,000

This will provide funding for the Snow-Fest to purchase toys for unprivileged children during the holiday season. This will be given out during the annual Snow-Fest event in December 2021. The children will be able to choose their toys from a variety of selection that will be offered with a family member or Guardian with them.

State and Local LETF Status Report (as of 10/21/2021):

Cash balance as of – 10/21/2021	\$ 834,172.00
Total of this request	\$10,000.00
Amount available after this request	\$ 824,172.00

APPROVED


Arthur H. Sorey III, City Manager

DATE
11/4/21

DISAPPROVED DATE

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