



Mesa Police Department

Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Hiring Grant

September 21, 2009

COPS Hiring Grant

- **Mesa applied for 25 officers on April 10, 2009**
- **Award provides 100% funding of entry-level salaries and benefits for 3 years for newly-hired officers**
- **At the conclusion of federal funding, Mesa must retain all sworn officer positions awarded for 12 months**

COPS Hiring Grant

Enhanced Community Policing:

PROGRAM ASSIGNMENTS	NUMBER OF OFFICERS
M.E.S.A. Program	3
School Resource Officers	2
Community Intervention Neighborhood Enforcement Team	16
Center Against Family Violence – Domestic Violence Detectives	4
TOTAL OFFICERS	25

COPS Hiring Grant

	Total Cost	Grant Funded	City Cost
Year One (1 - 12 months)	\$2,559,507	\$1,779,197	\$780,310
Year Two (12 - 24 months)	\$2,166,703	\$1,891,090	\$275,613
Year Three (25 - 36 months)	\$2,337,585	\$2,006,232	\$331,353
Year Four (37 - 48 months)	\$2,522,064	\$ 0	\$2,522,064
Total City Cost-4 yrs. (48 months)			\$3,909,340

COPS Hiring Grant

Recruitment & Training Timeline

ACTIVITY	TIME FRAME
Begin Recruitment	November 2009
Testing/Background/Hiring	December 2009 – April 2010
Police Academy	May 2010 – September 2010
Field Training Program	October 2010 – January 2011
Officers on Solo Status	February 2011

COPS Hiring Grant

Questions?

Regional Emergency Transportation Service



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Regional Transportation Services

- Mesa wants to enter into an IGA Cooperative with Regional partners for regional transportation services.....
- Council has previously approved a process to implement a Regional Emergency Transportation Service involving:

Apache Junction
Queen Creek

Gilbert
Mesa

RFP Process

- RFP Issued: 6/2/09
- During process two protests and appeals were received from PMT Ambulance
 - Both Were Denied
- Response Due Date: 8/3/09
- Single Response Received:
 - SW General, Inc. dba Southwest Ambulance

RFP Process

- RFP Evaluation
 - Evaluated by
 - 5 Representatives from the 4 Regional Agencies
 - 1 Representative from Phoenix Fire
 - 1 Former Mesa City Councilmember
 - The Evaluation Team found that the bid by SW General, Inc. dba Southwest Ambulance was responsive and provided the services needed
 - Executing a final contract is contingent upon approval by the Arizona Department of Health Services

Recommendation

**Asking Council to authorize
the City Manager to negotiate
and enter into an agreement
with SW General, Inc. dba
Southwest Ambulance**

Regional Emergency Transportation Services



Apache
Junction



Gilbert



Mesa



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September 21, 2009

TO: CITY COUNCILMEMBERS

FROM: MAYOR SCOTT SMITH



SUBJECT: Appointments to the Light Rail Stakeholder Advisory Committee

The following are my recommendations for appointments to the City of Mesa Light Rail Stakeholder Committee:

- Bill Berry
- David Crummey
- Sharon Olsen
- Derek Partridge
- Terry Waldersen
- Kathy Adams
- Virginia Aguero
- Denny Barney
- Terri Benelli
- Robert Brinton
- Dan Brock
- Randy Bunker
- Mark Butterfield
- Susan Clark
- Jeff Duren
- Ronald Floyd
- Pat Foster
- Augie Gasteium
- Jeff Gunnell
- Irving Kozinets
- Glenn MacKay
- Walt McIver
- Jeff Naylor
- George Notarpole
- Wayne Pomeroy
- Jon Richards
- Crystal Russell
- Cameron Selogie
- Laurent Teichman
- Susan Tibshraeny
- Sean Webster
- Sharon Winter
- Johann Zietsman
- Steve Bass
- Robert Burgheimer
- Dan Hartig
- Terry Horrall
- Steve Ikeda
- Victor Linoff
- Vernon Mathern
- Kyle Strickland
- Bryan Watkins
- Heidi Young
- Ron Young
- Michael Young
- George Bliss
- Freddy Curry
- Robin Harris