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DATE: 02-07-2013 TIME: 6:30pm

AGENDA

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of La Marque, Texas will conduct a Workshop Meeting on **Monday, February 11, 2013 at 3:30 p.m.** at 1109-B Bayou Road for purpose of considering the following agenda:

(1) CALL MEETING TO ORDER

(2) ROLL CALL

(3) INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(4) WORKSHOP

- a. Discussion – effectiveness of the Traffic Enforcement Officer position initiated August 13, 2012-Chief R. Aragon
- b. Discussion – State of Texas Justice Administration Grant (JAG Grant) to prevent and control crime-Chief R. Aragon

(5) ADJOURNMENT

CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that the above notice of meeting was posted at 1109-B Bayou Road, La Marque, Texas before **6:00 p.m. on this the 7th day of February 2013**

The City Council for the City of La Marque, Texas reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized the Texas Government Code Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices) and 551.086 (Economic Development)

Zina Tedford

Zina Tedford, City Clerk

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CITY COUNCIL AGENDA FORM

Meeting Date: 2-11-13

Agenda item: WORKSHOP 4a

Prepared by: _____

Reviewed by: _____ *CJB*

Department: Chief Aragon

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Discussion – effectiveness of the Traffic Enforcement Officer position initiated August 13, 2012



Attachments for Reference

Staff Briefing:

- Position initiated on 8-13-12 (taken off patrol to perform this in an “uncommitted” role: i.e., dedicated to working traffic enforcement only. Traffic Enforcement Officer (TEO) Jesse Guzman selected to fulfill this duty.
- From 8-13-12 through 2-4-13 TEO Guzman has issued 931 traffic citations (1,308 violations). (Average number of citations monthly have been 155.)
- Total fines assessed for above citations: \$306,000 for this six month period.
- LMPD staff recommendations: expand traffic enforcement function by adding another TEO with a fully-equipped traffic enforcement vehicle.
 - Cost (salary/fringe) for additional TEO (depends on selectee): \$60,000 (estimated)
 - Cost for fully-equipped traffic enforcement vehicle: \$42,000

History (if applicable)

Target Implementation:

Significant Action Dates: August 13, 2012



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Staff’s Recommended Motion:

Fiscal Impact:



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA FORM

Meeting Date: 2-11-13

Agenda item: WORKSHOP 4b

Prepared by: ra

Reviewed by: CJB

Department: Chief Aragon

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Discussion – State of Texas Justice Administration Grant (JAG Grant) to prevent and control crime-Chief R. Aragon



Attachments for Reference

Staff Briefing:

- \$125,000 maximum awarded per grantee.
- Funding Cycle: First year = 100% funding; Year 2 = 80% funding; Year 3 = 60% funding; Year Four = 0 funding. (Annually this grant needs to be resubmitted for approval.)
- Our submission has as its objective: to prevent and control crime (to address “hot-spots”).
- Our submission proposes purchasing one (1) patrol vehicle (\$43,000) in year one and adding one (1) Patrol Officer (approximately \$60,000 salary/fringe) in year one. This Officer will work as a full-time member of the department’s Special Response Team (SRT) and will work in conjunction with our department’s part-time SRT during high-crime hours (nights) conducting preventive patrol missions relating to hot-spots.
- A copy of the our proposed grant submission (our action plan) and the grant’s *solicitation package* will be presented at this workshop

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Staff’s Recommended Motion: N/A

Fiscal Impact: