

## City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Police

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: January 2, 2018

Re: Federal Forfeiture Funds Appropriation: Replacement K-9 officer and kennel

#### **Executive Summary**

Staff has prepared for Council consideration an ordinance authorizing the appropriation of \$16,435 from the Federal Asset Forfeiture Fund to Police Budget to purchase a new K-9 officer and kennel to replace retiring K-9 officer Raf.

#### Discussion

K9 Raf is approaching his 9<sup>th</sup> birthday and is experiencing pains in his hips requiring medication by injection. Sadly his time as a police canine is coming to an end as he enters into retirement. The money requested will be used to purchase a new K9 with 6 weeks of pre-service and a kennel to store the animal at the officer's residence.

#### Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: \$16,435 increase to Patrol Operating budget, \$16,435 decrease to Federal Forfeitures revenue.

Long-Term Impact: No additional cost for years beyond two, as this K-9 officer is replacing an existing K-9 officer that will be retiring

#### Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impacts

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Primary Impact: Public Safety, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

#### Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Legislative History	
Date	Action
N/A	N/A



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### Suggested Council Action

Shall Council agree, staff recommends passage of the ordinance authorizing the appropriation of Federal Forfeiture Funds for the purchase of a new K-9 officer and kennel.