



City of Grass Valley Police Department Agenda Action Sheet

Council Meeting Date: March 9, 2010

Date Prepared: March 1, 2010

Prepared by: John Foster, Chief of Police

Title: Declaration of Surplus of Three Police Department Vehicles and Purchase of Replacement 2010 Chevrolet Tahoe and vehicle changeover costs under Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant

Recommended Action: Approve attached Resolution authorizing the surplus of three patrol vehicles and authorizing the purchase of one replacement patrol vehicle and vehicle changeover costs utilizing the Justice Administration Grant and asset forfeiture funds

Agenda: Staff Report

Background Information: In July of 2009, the Grass Valley Police Department was approved for a Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) for funding one fully equipped patrol vehicle. This non-competitive grant "ear marked" funding in the amount of \$34,866 for our agency.

Since the vehicle desired would exceed \$25,000, a Notice Inviting Bids was published in The Union newspaper on January 30, 2010. In addition, bid packets were mailed to automotive dealers in the local and Yuba City areas. One bid was received and opened on February 18, 2010, at 10:00 a.m. The bid was from Winner Chevrolet in Colfax in the amount of \$31,989.25, net of trade in value.

The vehicle to be purchased is a 2010 Chevrolet Tahoe 4WD. The specifications have been carefully reviewed and meet all bid requirements.

Acceptance of this grant was approved at the City Council meeting of September 8, 2009.

Reviewed by:

____ City Administrator
____ City Attorney

____ City Clerk
____ Finance

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