



# City Commission Agenda Item

**Meeting Date:** March 21, 2023  
**From:** Eric Burr, Chief of Police  
**Item:** Veterans of Foreign Wars Officer of the Year Award

**Purpose:** Presentation of the VFW Post and State of Kansas Officer of the Year Award to Sgt. Mike Yzquierdo. Also recognize Master Police Officer Ivan Velasquez and Assistant County Attorney Christian Fazel for being nominated for the award.

**Background:**

The Veterans of Foreign Wars will award the Arkansas City Post and State of Kansas Officer of the Year award to Sergeant Mike Yzquierdo. This is only the second time an Arkansas City Police Officer has received both awards.

Master Police officer Ivan Velasquez and Assistant County Attorney Christian Fazel will be recognized for their nomination of the award.

**Commission Options:**

**Fiscal Impact:**

Amount:

Fund: Department: Expense Code:

☒ Included in budget ☐ Grant ☐ Bonds ☐ Other Not Budgeted

**Approved for Agenda by:**

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Randy Frazer, City Manager