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**DEPARTMENT: Police** 

FROM: Billy J. Cordell, Chief of Police

MEETING: November 4, 2024

## SUBJECT:

Consider approval of a cooperative purchasing agreement with M-Pak, through BuyBoard contract #698-23, for the procurement and replacement of uniforms, duty gear, tactical clothing and equipment, and body armor, in an amount not to exceed \$72,000. (Staff Contact: Wes Routson, Support Bureau Captain)

## **SUMMARY:**

The Burleson Police Department utilizes M-Pak for police uniform and equipment services. These services include, but are not limited to body armor (new and replacement), patrol uniforms, SWAT equipment, duty gear, and footwear. Each sworn member of the department is issued an annual clothing allowance to purchase replacement uniforms, footwear, and equipment. Further, the department replaces body armor every five years. Based on the number of clothing allowances to be issued coupled with the amount of body armor to be replaced/issued during FY24-25, the Burleson Police Department anticipates the expense of obtaining uniform and equipment services from M-Pak through a cooperative purchase agreement with BuyBoard #698-23 in the amount not to exceed of \$72,000.

BuyBoard #698-23

Account Numbers: 1012001-61025 and 1012001-61030

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of the request.

#### PRIOR ACTION/INPUT (Council, Boards, Citizens):

October 16, 2023, the previous minute order for \$82,000 was approved by council for FY 23-24.

#### **REFERENCE:**

N/A

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

Amount not to exceed \$72,000 for clothing and body armor is accounted for in the Police Department's FY24-25 general budget. Account Numbers: 1012001-61025 and 1012001-61030.

# **STAFF CONTACT:**

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