



COBURG CITY COUNCIL ISSUE ITEM

TOPIC: Receiving Property Donation – Police Vehicles:

2012 Dodge Charger

2013 Dodge Charger

2004 Ford Explorer

Meeting Date: September 14, 2021

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REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Authorize the City to accept the donation of a 2012 Dodge Charger, 2013 Dodge Charger (patrol vehicles) and a 2004 Ford Explorer (pool car) from the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office.

Suggested Motion: I move to authorize the City of Coburg to accept the donation of a 2012 Dodge Charger, 2013 Dodge Charger, and a 2004 Ford Explorer to the Coburg Police Department.

BACKGROUND

As you know, the police department is always trying to update its vehicle fleet. Over the last few years Sgt. Joe Wicks has worked with the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office and built a relationship. As the sheriff's office updated its fleet, they had several patrol vehicles they were going to decommission.

The Clackamas County Sheriff's Office generously donated three vehicles to us at no cost with an ample amount of police equipment remaining installed; the vehicles come equipped with approximately \$10,000 to \$15,000 worth of equipment.

We met with their fleet manager and picked the best three vehicles they had scheduled for decommissioning. Two (2) Dodge Chargers to be used for patrol and one (1) Ford Explorer to be used as a pool car for the police department to be used for travel to training, take evidence to the crime lab, and to take evidence to Covanta for destruction, etc.

The acceptance of the donation saves the City thousands of dollars.

RECOMMENDATION AND ALTERNATIVES

The City Council may:

1. Authorize the acceptance of the donation.
 2. Choose to not accept the donation.
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BUDGET / FINANCIAL IMPACT

The total cost for painting, lettering and radio installation is under \$5,000 for all three vehicles.

We have removed one of our patrol vehicles from the vehicle fleet as a donation to Oakridge Police Department. We will also be disposing of two of our older decommissioned patrol vehicles. One has a bad transmission and the other has a blown engine.

PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

There has been no public involvement.

NEXT STEPS

If adopted, the next steps would be to implement moving the vehicles into the Police fleet.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Photographs of donated vehicles.
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REVIEWED THROUGH:

Sammy, City Recorder

Anne Heath, City Administrator

ATTACHMENT A



