

**SUBMITTED BY:** Kraig Fullen, Chief of Police

**MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW:** Ana Urquijo, City Manager

**FOCUS AREA:** Other / NA

**ORGANIZATIONAL IMPROVEMENTS:** N/A

**SUBJECT:** **RESOLUTION NO. 26-1721**, a Resolution of the Mayor and Council of the City of Douglas, Cochise County, Arizona, **AUTHORIZING** the City of Douglas to **ACCEPT GRANT FUNDING** and **ENTER** into a **SUBGRANTEE AGREEMENT** with the **STATE OF ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY** for a **REIMBURSABLE GRANT FUND** allocation in the amount of **\$32,700** for **EQUIPMENT** under **OPERATION STONEGARDEN** Fiscal Year 2023 Grant Program Award - Reallocation.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

The Arizona Department of Homeland Security selected the department to receive \$32,700 in funding under the FFY 2023 Operation Stonegarden Grant program - Reallocation. The performance period for this grant cycle is February 2, 2026 through July 31, 2026.

**BACKGROUND:**

The Department was selected to receive the following equipment under the grant:

- (1) Digital Forensic Software - \$20,200
- (2) Night Vision – Thermal Binoculars - \$12,500

The Operation Stonegarden program was implemented to enhance security along the nation’s border regions. This is achieved through a cooperative and coordinated enforcement effort between state and local law enforcement agencies and the U.S. Border Patrol, targeting specific routes of egress that could potentially be used by criminal organizations to smuggle terrorists, weapons of mass destruction, and other contraband into the United States from Mexico.

The Police Department has participated in the Operation Stonegarden program since its inception and to date all expenditures have been reimbursed in full.

**DISCUSSION:**

Staff recommend approval.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Fiscal Year:** 2025/2026

**Amount Requested:** \$32,700

**Budgeted:** Y / N

**Account (s):**

**“...I MOVE THAT THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL APPROVE RESOLUTION NO. 26-1721.”**