

SUBMITTED BY: Kraig Fullen, Chief of Police

MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW: Ana Urquijo, City Manager

FOCUS AREA: Organization Improvements

**ORGANIZATIONAL
IMPROVEMENTS:**

SUBJECT: **RESOLUTION NO. 25-1694**, 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 an **AGREEMENT** with the STATE of ARIZONA GOVERNOR'S OFFICE of HIGHWAY SAFETY for a reimbursable grant in the amount of **\$42,466** for the Department's **SELECTIVE TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM (STEP) OVERTIME** and **MATERIALS** and **SUPPLIES**.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The Douglas Police Department has been selected to receive grant funding from the Arizona Governor's Office of Highway Safety (GOHS) for STEP in the amount of \$42,466.

BACKGROUND:

The Arizona Governor's Office of Highway Safety solicited proposals for consideration under the Federal 402-PTS Plan. Sgt. David Acosta prepared a proposal for Personnel Overtime (including ERE's) in addition to speed enforcement equipment – RADARs. The Department's STEP Program allows members of the department to focus on specific traffic related concerns such as occupant safety (seatbelt and child restraint compliance), speed, aggressive driving and pedestrian safety.

The Department was awarded:
\$24,000 for Overtime
\$9,600 for ERE's.
\$8,866 for Materials & Supplies (RADARs)

Previously grant funds have been received from the Governor's Office of Highway Safety for DUI and Selective Traffic Enforcement which has served to increase the number of DUI arrests and raise traffic safety awareness within the city and surrounding areas.

The grant period runs from 10/1/2025 through 9/30/2026. Total anticipated award amount is \$42,466.

DISCUSSION:

Staff recommend approval.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Fiscal Year: 2025/2026

Amount Requested: \$42,466

Budgeted: Y / N

Account (s):

“...I MOVE THAT THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL APPROVE RESOLUTION NO. 25-1694.”