



CITY COUNCIL CONSIDERATION ITEM

CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH, TEXAS

AGENDA TOPIC: Consideration and possible action accepting a private donation to the City of Fair Oaks Ranch Police Department.

DATE: December 7, 2023

DEPARTMENT: Police Department

PRESENTED BY: Tim Moring, Chief of Police

INTRODUCTION/BACKGROUND:

In December 2021, Mr. and Mrs. John Lolatte presented a donation of \$3,000 to the Fair Oaks Ranch Police Department in appreciation for responding to a burglary in progress call at his residence. The City Council approved acceptance of this donation, which was used to purchase three new ballistic vests to the officers that responded. Mr. and Mrs. Lolatte donated an additional \$2,000 in December of 2022.

In November 2023, Mr. Lolatte reached out to Mayor Maxton to express his desire to provide another donation of \$2,000 to the Fair Oaks Ranch Police Department in appreciation of its service to the City.

If accepted by City Council, Mr. and Mrs. Lolatte's donation will supplement the Police Department's existing budget to provide additional safety enhancements for our officers and residents.

The Police Department would like to thank Mr. & Mrs. Lolatte for their donation and continued support.

POLICY ANALYSIS/BENEFIT(S) TO CITIZENS:

- City staff is prohibited from accepting donations.
- This donation supplements the departments current budget by allowing the purchase of needed equipment earlier than anticipated.

LONGTERM FINANCIAL & BUDGETARY IMPACT:

N/A

LEGAL ANALYSIS:

N/A

RECOMMENDATION/PROPOSED MOTION:

I move to approve the City's acceptance of a private monetary donation to purchase equipment for the Police Department in the amount of \$2,000.