

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

City Council



STAFF

David Lindsay, Sergeant, Police Services
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SUBJECT

First Reading of Ordinance No. 074, 2026, Making a Supplemental Appropriation from the Colorado Department of Transportation Office of Transportation Safety and Risk Management for Police Services High Visibility Enforcement Grant Award.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of this item is to appropriate \$28,000 of unanticipated grant revenue from the Colorado Department of Transportation Office of Transportation Safety and Risk Management (“OTSRM”) High Visibility Enforcement Grant Program (the “Grant”). Funding will support officer overtime for enforcement activities and personnel costs during community education and outreach events.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends adoption of the Ordinance on First Reading.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION

The OTSRM provides annual funding for local police enforcement of Colorado’s impaired driving laws during specific “high visibility” time periods. The Grant covers overtime pay for Fort Collins Police Officers enforcing Colorado’s impaired driving laws through saturation patrols, increased patrols, or dedicated enforcement cars during the selected enforcement periods. This grant also provides funding for community engagement and outreach to educate the public on the dangers, risks, and consequences of impaired driving.

CITY FINANCIAL IMPACTS

This item appropriates \$28,000 in unanticipated grant revenue from the Grant. Grant funds will support work performed by Fort Collins Police Services to provide enhanced enforcement, community education, and outreach. No local match is required.

The Grant is reimbursement-based, with funds provided after eligible project expenses have been incurred.

BOARD / COMMISSION / COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

None.

PUBLIC OUTREACH

None.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Award Letter
2. Grant Purchase Order
3. Ordinance No. 074, 2026