



## REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

**AGENDA DATE:** May 13, 2024

**AGENDA ITEM:** Consider adopting a resolution to accept \$2,450.00 cash donations and \$405 in-kind donations to Grand Rapids Police Department from various sources to support Open-Source INternet (OSINT) Training.

**PREPARED BY:** Police Chief Andy Morgan

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### BACKGROUND:

Grand Rapids Police Department is committed to advancing our knowledge and skills in efforts to better serve this community. With little surprise, technology plays an ever-growing role in many aspects of everyday policing. Recognizing this demand, GRPD jumps at the opportunity to better train staff in the ever-evolving world of technology.

Attached you will find information regarding Open-sourced Intelligence Training (OSINT) provided by the greatly respected Michele Stuart of JAG Investigations. All below donation efforts were achieved by longtime law enforcement supporter Conley Janssen.

### Cash Donations

L&M Fleet Supply	\$400.00
Undem Law	\$500.00
Sons of American Legion	\$500.00
Deerwood Bank	\$250.00
Anonymous Donors total	\$800.00

**In-kind donations**

Timberlake Lodge- Instructor Lodging-Estimated Value \$180.00

MN North College- Venue- Estimated Value \$175

Sammy's- Instructor Meals- Estimated Value \$50

All donations will be utilized toward supporting local OSINT training held on April 30, 2024. Grand Rapids Police Department and Itasca County Sheriff Department will be committing additional funds to satisfy the remaining balance.

This is a non-budgeted item, GRPD will be committing \$1,000.00 from the Public Safety Aid.

**REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:**

Make a motion to adopt a resolution to accept \$2,450.00 of cash donations and \$405 in-kind donations to Grand Rapids Police Department from various sources and authorize the payment of \$6,181.19 to support OSINT Training.