



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: October 14, 2025

AGENDA ITEM: Consider termination of Katie LaTourelle, probationary employee with Grand Rapids Police Department.

PREPARED BY: Chery Pierzina, Human Resources Officer

BACKGROUND:

Katie LaTourelle, a probationary employee with the Grand Rapids Police Department, was hired on July 7, 2025. Based on the recommendation from the Grand Rapids Police Department, we are requesting the termination of police officer Katie LaTourelle, a probationary employee, effective October 7, 2025.

Because the GRPD is losing the DWI grant, and the officer currently assigned to the DWI position will be reassigned back into regular rotation, we are not requesting to fill this position.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion to terminate police officer Katie LaTourelle, a probationary employee, effective October 7, 2025.