



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: July 8, 2024

AGENDA ITEM: Consider approving updated Section 314- Pursuit Policy policies for the Grand Rapids Police Department to comply with MN POST Boards mandated polices

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BACKGROUND:

The Minnesota POST Board (Peace Officer Standards and Training Board) establishes law enforcement licensing and training requirements and sets standards for law enforcement agencies and officers throughout the state.

The POST Board currently has seventeen (17) Mandated Policies that all law enforcement agencies in Minnesota must have. The POST Board mandates that such policies are the “same as” or “substantially similar” to the provided model policies. POST often updates language within mandated policies. A policy regarding Police Pursuits is one that is required of all Minnesota police agencies.

Language within the attached **GRPD Section 314- Pursuit Policy** was drafted with heavy influence from POST Board Pursuit model policy and MN State Statutes. Making such a change ensures that we are compliant with the licensing authority.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion to approve updated Section 314- Pursuit Policy policies for the Grand Rapids Police Department to comply with MN POST Boards mandated polices.