



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: January 12, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Consider entering an Itasca County Mental Health Court Memorandum of Understanding

PREPARED BY: Chief Andy Morgan

BACKGROUND:

Grand Rapids Police Department provides a diverse police service. Many police calls are directly connected to or have an underlying mental health element.

PROGRAM GOALS

The goal of the program is to improve the lives of participants with substance use disorders and mental health conditions in the criminal justice system through the integration of intensive supervision, individualized treatment plans, mental health services, alcohol and drug treatment and testing, and case management services with criminal justice system processing.

The following MOU was reviewed by the City Attorney.

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Make a motion to enter an Itasca County Mental Health Court Memorandum of Understanding