



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: April 22, 2024

AGENDA ITEM: Consider adopting a resolution accepting an ongoing Purina dog food donation to GRPD Canine Program.

PREPARED BY: Chief Andy Morgan

BACKGROUND:

Grand Rapids Police K9 Murphy is German Shepard assigned K9 Officer Justin Edmundson. This partnership has exceeded department expectations. We have promoted the team's police and community work extensively on multiple media platforms.

Purina Veterinary Consultant Natasha Hilsen has been in contact with K9 Officer Justin Edmundson and has expressed interest in supporting the GRPD K9 program. Purina has graciously agreed to donate dog food to the City of Grand Rapids. This dedication will extend to the working life of Murphy. Partnerships such as this, is greatly needed and appreciated.

Purina Joint Mobility- 25lb bag is valued at \$84.33

Requested council action:

Make a motion to adopt a resolution accepting an ongoing Purina dog food donation to GRPD Canine Program.