



CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MEMORANDUM

TO: City Council

FROM: Matthew R. Schmitz, MPA - City Manager

DATE OF MEETING: April 7, 2025

ITEM TITLE: K9 Funds

DISCUSSION:

Due to the resignation of the K-9 officer, the K-9 program at the City was terminated. As a result, the City now has funding within the Police Department Budget dedicated to the K9 item, and a discussion is now needed on how to utilize those funds, if at all, moving forward.

Notably, according to Iowa State Law, the return of funds to donors is not permitted. The City Attorney will be present to discuss this.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends discussion of this topic. No action is needed at this meeting, as any decision items needed would be brought forward to a City Council meeting for approval.