

EXECUTIVE BRIEF REGULAR MEETING

AGENDA DATE: July 7, 2020

DEPARTMENT: City Commission

TITLE:

Resolution No. 24-2020 – presenting a request in support of Body Worn Cameras (BWC) and the funding thereof to the Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners

SUMMARY:

The City of Lake Worth Beach encourages the Board of County Commissioners to proceed as soon as can be reasonably expected with the funding and implementation coordination of BWC for the Palm Beach county Sheriff's Office

BACKGROUND AND JUSTIFICATION:

The use of BWC by police agencies became more prevalent after the Ferguson, Missouri shooting in 2014 and following the George Floyd shooting this year, concerns regarding police use of force lead to mass protests and demonstrations across the Country. It is understood that BWC in and of themselves is not a solution but can be an important tool along with best practices in police policies, procedures and training.

MOTION:

Move to approve/disapprove Resolution No. 24-2020 – presenting a request in support of body cameras and the funding thereof to the Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Fiscal Impact Analysis – N/A
Resolution 24-2020