

COUNCIL ACTION SUMMARY SHEET

MEETING DATE: April 22, 2024

TOPIC Extension of Intergovernmental Law Enforcement Services Contract with Orion

Township

BACKGROUND BRIEF:

Police Chief Lindberg is requesting that Village Council authorize a 60-day extension of the Village's contract with the Charter Township of Orion for Oakland County Sheriff's Office (OCSO) police patrol services to allow the Lake Orion Police Department additional time to bring police staffing to the necessary level. The current contract expires on May 3, 2024, unless extended by mutual written agreement. If authorized by Council, the Village Manager will contact the Orion Township Supervisor to arrange for an extension.

SUMMARY OF PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION:

02/26/2024 – Council authorized the Village Manager to request from the Charter Township of Orion an extension of the Intergovernmental Law Enforcement Services Contract effective December 3, 2023, for an additional period of sixty (60) days from March 4, 2024, until May 3, 2024, and authorized the Village Manager to execute the agreement for extension on behalf of the Village after approval by the Village Attorney.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

The cost for patrol services through Orion Township and OCSO is approximately \$41,000 per month. Costs are partially offset by the wage and benefit appropriations in the Police Fund for currently vacant positions. Costs in excess of those offset by existing appropriations will be covered by the Police Fund unrestricted reserves. The costs for OCSO patrol services continue to decrease as Village police department staffing increases.

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

To authorize the Village Manager to request from the Charter Township of Orion an extension of the Intergovernmental Law Enforcement Services Contract effective December 3, 2023, for an additional period of sixty (60) days from May 4, 2024, until July 3, 2024, and further to authorize the Village Manager to execute the agreement for extension on behalf of the Village after approval by the Village Attorney.