



MEETING DATE: February 24, 2026

PRESENTED BY: Cesar Torres, Chief of Police

AGENDA ITEM: Authorization to enter into an agreement with The Texas Police Chiefs Association Foundation (TPCAF) for participation in the fee-based Best Practices accreditation program – Torres

NATURE OF REQUEST:

The Mission Police Department is requesting authorization to enter into an agreement with the Texas Police Chiefs Association Foundation (TPCAF) for participation in its fee-based Best Practices accreditation program. The department was initially accredited in December 2022. Annual fees are due on the agreement anniversary date and are based on sworn staffing; with 101–200 sworn personnel, the annual fee for our agency is \$3,000.00. The agreement is renewed for 48 months upon successful re-accreditation. Failure to complete re-accreditation, pay required fees, or execute the agreement may result in loss of accredited status. As part of this agreement, the agency also agrees to pay for reasonable costs incurred by TPCAF for on-site assessment completed every 4 years. This includes travel, lodging, meals and any other necessary incidentals to the onsite assessment. The agency will do their best to accommodate the previously mentioned expenses for the person(s) conducting the assessment and should not exceed \$5,000.

BUGETED: Yes **FUND:** General **ACCT. #:** 01-430-54500

BUDGET: \$108,900 **EST. COST:** _____ **CURRENT BUDGET BALANCE:** \$82,152

BUGETED: Yes **FUND:** General **ACCT. #:** 01-430-94700

BUDGET: \$120,000 **EST. COST:** \$8,000.00 **CURRENT BUDGET BALANCE:** \$119,263

BID AMOUNT: \$ _____

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

Departmental Approval: Finance

Advisory Board Recommendation: N/A

City Manager’s Recommendation: Approval *PT*

RECORD OF VOTE: **APPROVED:** _____

DISAPPROVED: _____

TABLED: _____

_____ AYES

_____ NAYS

_____ DISSENTING _____