



New Prague Police Department

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Tim Applen, Chief of Police

MEMORANDUM

To: Honorable Mayor, Duane Jirik, members of the City Council, Shawn Ryan, Maggie Bass, Bruce Wolf, Rik Seiler and City Administrator, Joshua Tetzlaff

From: Tim Applen, Chief of Police/Emergency Manager

Date: May 16, 2024

Subject: Purchase of Police Department Duty Handguns

Throughout the last several years the Police Department has recognized the need to replace Sworn Officers duty handguns. Part of the discussion for the replacement was funding the replacement purchase. The City of New Prague was awarded Public Safety funds in December 2023 to assist Law Enforcement and Public Safety agencies with a variety of expenditures. One of the approved expenditures is purchasing equipment. During staff discussions about the use of the Public Safety funding, it was determined that replacing Officer Duty Weapons would be a good use of the funds. Previously, the council was provided with a Public Safety Funds worksheet with proposed expenditures that included the purchase of new handguns. Staff estimated the cost of the new handguns with RMR (red dot) sights would be approximately \$10,000.

City staff obtained a quote for the handguns from Kiesler Police Supply that includes the cost of 14 Glock 45 MOS GEN5 9mm handguns, and trade in credit for the current duty handguns. This quote also includes RMR (red dot) sights. The quote from Kiesler Police Supply for the new duty handguns and RMR sights is \$10,598.80. This price includes the credit for trade in value of the current handguns. Kiesler Police Supply is an authorized Law Enforcement dealer and offers the best pricing for both the guns and RMR sights. The Police Department would like to purchase new Officer Duty Weapons through Kiesler Police Supply for \$10,598.00.

Recommended Action: Purchase 14 Glock 45MOS GEN5 9mm Duty Handguns with RMR sights from Kiesler Police Supply in the amount of \$10,598.80.