



## TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

**MEETING DATE: March 11, 2025**

Agenda Title/Category:	<b>Letter of Support for Grant Funding: PD’s Co-Responder Proposal</b>			
Staff Contact/Presenter:	<b>Chief Hudgins</b>			
Meets Strategic Initiative or Approved Plan:	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	If yes, list:	<b>PD SMP: Evidence-Based Crime &amp; Disorder Prevention; Community Engagement &amp; Protection</b>
	<b>X</b>			
Background:	<b>The PD is partnering with Cornelius, Matthews, and Mint Hill PDs to form four co-responder units. We are jointly seeking grant funding to cover the cost of these programs.</b>			
Discussion:	<b>The Police Department requests the Town Council's support in signing a letter of support for our grant funding request.</b>			
Fiscal impact:	<b>We are applying for three grants. There are no matching funds for two of the grants. One requires matching funds. The fiscal impacts are dependent on the funding that is awarded. If no funds are awarded, it would cost the Town between \$75,640 to \$116,059.</b>			
Attachments:	<b>Two: 1. letter of support &amp; 2. Mecklenburg County Town Police Departments’ Proposed Co-Responder Program letter</b>			