



CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

DATE: October 16, 2023

FROM: Tyson Cheek, Chief of Police

AGENDA ITEM: Consideration and possible action to sign Local Agreement Respecting Forfeited Contraband Under Chapter 59 and Article 18.18, Texas Code, between the Chief of Police of Sanger Texas and the District Attorney's office of Denton County.

SUMMARY:

- The most recent agreement with Denton County regarding forfeitures was cancelled by the Denton County District Attorney's office via written notification.
- The District Attorney's office has delivered the updated version of this agreement.
- Changes to the document cover personal property. Cryptocurrency, jewelry, stocks, bonds, securities, precious metals, negotiable instruments and coins.
- While it has been rare that the Sanger PD has seized assets via forfeiture in the past, this agreement is a necessary part of the process as all forfeitures are done through the District Attorney's office.

FISCAL INFORMATION:

Budgeted: No Amount: GL Account:

RECOMMENDED MOTION OR ACTION:

Staff recommends approval.

ATTACHMENTS:

Copy of document from the District Attorney's office cancelling the prior agreement.
Copy of new local agreement from the District Attorney's office.