

City Council Meeting

Agenda Item

Data Sheet

Meeting Date: April 20, 2026

Topic:

Approve Resolution 2026-20, a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Tomball, Texas, Designating the Chief of Police as the Authorized Official/Program Director of the City for Grants for the Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority Auxiliary Grant Program and Execute the Necessary Documents, and Designating the Finance Director as the Finance Officer for the Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority Auxiliary Grant.

Background:

The Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority Grant would be used to purchase Peregrine for the Tomball Police Department (TPD). Peregrine is a data and intelligence sharing platform that integrates the multiple record management systems used throughout the police department, to include the computer-aided dispatch software, records software, automatic license plate reader software, AXON's body worn camera, in-car dash camera, and all other platforms and software currently used by TPD to investigate crimes. Peregrine is also used to share intelligence with surrounding agencies to assist in the identification, apprehension, charging, and conviction of suspects who are not already known by the Tomball Police Department. This software also assists investigators in identification of suspects based on consolidation of intelligence both internally and externally with link analysis and live information from license plate readers and police-owned cameras.

Origination: Police Department

Recommendation:

Staff recommend approving Resolution 2026-20 Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority Auxiliary Grant Program

Party(ies) responsible for placing this item on agenda: Jeff Bert, Police Chief

FUNDING (IF APPLICABLE)

Are funds specifically designated in the current budget for the full amount required for this purpose?

Yes: _____ No: X If yes, specify Account Number: # _____

If no, funds will be transferred from account # General Fund To account 100-117-6402

Signed Jeffrey Bert Approved by _____
Staff Member Date City Manager Date