



BOARD AGENDA ITEM

TYPE OF AGENDA ITEM:

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PURPOSE OF ITEM:

- INFORMATION / DISCUSSION
- DISCUSSION AND / OR DECISION
 - Resolution
 - Ordinance
 - Motion

PRESENTER: Carol Steele

TITLE: County Administrator

AGENDA TITLE: Request for Approval of FY25 Grant Application Submissions for School Resource and School Security Officers

BACKGROUND / SUMMARY: The Department of Criminal Justice School Resource Officer (SRO) / School Security Officer (SSO) grant program is now open for the FY25 year. The County successfully applied for grants in FY2023 and the continuation in FY2024. The Sheriff’s Office has hired two additional SROs and is in the processing of filling the remaining position.

The school division is also reapplying for grant funding for School Security Officers (SSO). They intend to apply for a continuation of the current grant funding and to submit a new grant application for the two additional SSOs hired for the GHS renovation period. These officers were needed to help with security in the area of the modular units and are currently funded with ESSER funding. This funding will be ending and the school division hopes to receive a grant to continue these positions until the renovation is completed at which point, the positions would no longer be needed. Although their applications will be submitted through the schools, it will require the County Administrator’s signature as the representative of the local government entity.

Staff is asking for the Board’s authorization to submit the application for the continuation of the SRO grant and for support for the submission of the school division’s SSO grant applications.

ATTACHMENTS:

Resolution

REQUESTED ACTION: NO ACTION REQUESTED

Approve resolution

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