



CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

AGENDA DATE: May 21, 2013

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

FROM: Community and Media Relations, Police Department

SUBJECT: Santa Barbara Police Activities League Donation For The Police Department Youth Explorer Program

RECOMMENDATION: That Council:

- A. Accept a donation of \$5,516 from the Santa Barbara Police Activities League for the Police Department Explorer Program; and
- B. Increase appropriations and estimated revenues in the Police Department Miscellaneous Grants Fund for the Explorer Program

DISCUSSION:

On March 10, 2013, the Santa Barbara Police Department's Youth Explorer Program, with assistance from the Santa Barbara Police Activities League, held the 1st Annual Menudo Festival to raise funds for the Explorer Program. A total of \$5,516 was earned from ticket, t-shirt, and beverage sales. This money will be used to purchase uniforms and equipment; and also to pay for travel and expenses associated with the Explorers' participation in multi-agency competitions and attendance at an Explorer Academy.

The Santa Barbara Police Department's Explorer Post currently has 21 Police Explorers, ages 14 -20, preparing for careers in law enforcement.

BUDGET/FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

The funds will be used to cover costs associated with the Explorer Program.

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SUBMITTED BY: Camerino Sanchez, Chief of Police

APPROVED BY: City Administrator's Office