



CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

AGENDA DATE: August 4, 2016

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

FROM: Patrol Division, Police Department

SUBJECT: State Of California Office Of Traffic Safety Selective Traffic Enforcement Grant

RECOMMENDATION: That Council:

- A. Accept a grant from the State of California Office of Traffic Safety in the amount of \$280,000 and authorize the Chief of Police to execute the grant agreement; and
- B. Increase appropriations and estimated revenues by \$280,000 in the Miscellaneous Grants Fund for Fiscal Year 2016 for the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program.

DISCUSSION:

The Santa Barbara Police Department applied for and received funding from the State of California, Office of Traffic Safety, for the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program. The primary goals of this program are to reduce the number of victims killed and injured in alcohol-impaired collisions, as well as collisions that result from other common vehicle code violations.

The grant covers the period of October 1, 2015 through September 30, 2016. The grant funds will be used to cover overtime and benefits for first line supervisors, officers, and staff who are assigned to meet the grant reporting requirements.

BUDGET/FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

The funding from these grants will increase the department's Miscellaneous Grants Fund estimated revenue and expenditures by \$280,000.

PREPARED BY: Lt. Duarte, Patrol Assistant Division Commander/lsp

SUBMITTED BY: Camerino Sanchez, Chief of Police

APPROVED BY: City Administrator's Office