

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

DEPARTMENT: Police

AGENDA DATE: September 17, 2019

CONTACT PERSON/PHONE: Assistant Chief Peter Pacillas, 212-4308

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: All

STRATEGIC GOAL: NO. 2: Set the Standard for a Safe and Secure City

SUBJECT:

Crisis Intervention Team status briefing for Mayor and Council

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) was implemented to provide a specialized response to a mental health crisis to better serve citizens requiring assistance. CIT also provides assistance to uniformed officers who may already be on scene of a mental health crisis.

SELECTION SUMMARY:

N/A

PROTEST

☐ No protest received for this requirement.

☐ Protest received.

COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE BRIEFING:

Was a briefing provided? ☐ Yes or ☒ No Routine
If yes, select the applicable districts.

- ☐ District 1
- ☐ District 2
- ☐ District 3
- ☐ District 4
- ☐ District 5
- ☐ District 6
- ☐ District 7
- ☐ District 8
- ☐ All Districts

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

The City of El Paso and Emergence Health Network entered into the Crisis Intervention Team Inter-local agreement on December 10, 2018.

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Emergence Health Network grant from SB292 for \$728,902.00

BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION:

N/A

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

DEPARTMENT HEAD:

