

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS  
AGENDA ITEM  
AGENDA SUMMARY FORM**

**DEPARTMENT:** Mayor and Council

**AGENDA DATE:** Tuesday, October 15, 2019

**CONTACT PERSON NAME AND PHONE NUMBER:**  
City Representative Henry Rivera, District 7- 915.212.0007

**DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:** All Districts

**STRATEGIC GOAL:** Goal 4 - Enhance El Paso's Quality of Life through Recreational, Cultural and Educational Environments

**SUBJECT:**

**APPROVE** a resolution / ordinance / lease to do what? **OR AUTHORIZE** the City Manager to do what? Be descriptive of what we want Council to approve. Include \$ amount if applicable.

Discussion and action to direct City Manager and City Attorney to draft and return on October 29, 2019 with an inter-local agreement between the City of El Paso and El Paso Independent School District (EPISD) regarding their request for a decommissioned vehicle at Austin High School Sandra Day O'Connor Public Service Academy and the Center for Career and Technology Education (CTTE)

**BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:**

Discussion of the what, why, where, when, and how to enable Council to have reasonably complete description of the contemplated action. This should include attachment of bid tabulation, or ordinance or resolution if appropriate. What are the benefits to the City of this action? What are the citizen concerns? The Austin High School Sandra Day O'Connor Public Service Academy is a Magnet Program which provides education and training in the Criminal Justice, Forensics and Law Jurisprudence fields; and the Center for Career and Technology Education (CTTE) offers a variety of training to students for careers in Technical field as well as the public service such as Law Enforcement, Fire Technician, Emergency Medical Technician, Nursing, veterinarian tech. and more. A decommissioned vehicle will help the students at both schools by training them in the area of "Traffic Stops" and would expose students with real-world applications that Police Officers encounter on a daily basis through different simulated scenarios. The vehicle would not be registered to be used on the public roadway, would be secured and only instructors and school administration would have access to the keys. . Before and after the donation of Officer Ortiz' bike to the EPMPD, I was approached by a couple of teachers who are former police officers and teach law enforcement courses to afford them a decommissioned EPPD vehicle. It was during this time I thought of an EPPD Car Opportunity Program ( E.P.P.D.C.O.P.). The program's goal is to donate decommissioned EPPD vehicles to area schools that offer a law enforcement program to expose students with real-world applications that Police Officers encounter on a daily basis through different simulated scenarios. This will also enhance the recruitment and interest from area students to become future EPPD recruits.

**PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:**

Has the Council previously considered this item or a closely related one? N/A

**AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

How will this item be funded? N/A Has the item been budgeted? N/A If so, identify funding source by account numbers and description of account. N/A Does it require a budget transfer? N/A

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\*\*\*\*\*REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION\*\*\*\*\*