



## AGENDA REPORT

**Meeting Date:** February 15, 2011  
**Item Number:** F-12  
**To:** Honorable Mayor & City Council  
**From:** David L. Snowden  
**Subject:** **APPROPRIATION OF \$31,979.84 TO PURCHASE BALLISTIC VESTS UNDER THE FEDERAL BULLETPROOF VEST PARTNERSHIP**  
**Attachments:** 1. Notification of Award

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### RECOMENDATION

Staff recommends that the City Council move to appropriate \$31,979.84 for the purchase of ballistic vests as follows:

<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
\$31,979.84 Fund 19 Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Revenue 1902105F023-42221	\$31,979.84 Bulletproof Vest Partnership Fire and Other Safety Equipment 1902105F023-74030

### INTRODUCTION

On May 11, 2010, the City submitted an application for the FY2010 Bulletproof Vest Partnership (BVP). On October 7, 2010, the City received notice from the Bureau of Justice Assistance that the City was awarded \$31,979.84 from this federal program.

### DISCUSSION

In 2003, 2008, and in 2009, the Police Department participated in the BVP to replace ballistic vests which had exceeded their life expectancy. The department anticipates the

need to purchase 117 vests for police officers between April 1, 2010 and August 31, 2012. The FY 2010 BVP grant will be used to assist the City with these purchases.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The total cost for purchasing 117 ballistic vests is approximately \$103,000. FY2010 BVP grant funds will be used in conjunction with the Police Department's Fund 40 equipment replacement budget to purchase these vests. The BVP will reimburse the City for 50% of the costs associated with these purchases, up to a maximum of \$31,979.84. After staff completes the formal bidding process for the vests, a request to issue the purchase order will be submitted to the City Council.



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Scott Miller  
Finance Approval



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David L. Snowden  
Approved By

# **Attachment 1**

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**From:** owner-bvp-list@ojp.usdoj.gov on behalf of BVP [bvp@usdoj.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 07, 2010 8:46 AM  
**To:** BVP-list  
**Subject:** Bulletproof Vest Partnership FY 2010 Award Announcement

The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) is pleased to inform you that your agency will receive an award under the Fiscal Year (FY) 2010 Bulletproof Vest Partnership (BVP) solicitation. These funds have been posted to your account in the BVP system. For questions regarding the BVP Program or your award, please do not hesitate to contact the BVP Help Desk at [vests@usdoj.gov](mailto:vests@usdoj.gov) or 1-877-758-3787.

A complete list of FY 2010 BVP awards is available at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bvpbasi/>

The FY 2010 award funds may be used for National Institute of Justice (NIJ) compliant armored vests which were ordered on or after April 1, 2010. The deadline to request payments from the FY 2010 award funds is August 31, 2012, or until all available 2010 awards funds have been requested.

BJA is also announcing a financial hardship waiver request for all FY 2010 BVP funds. Previously, a jurisdiction was only able to request up to 50% the cost of a vest with their available BVP funds. Now, during the payment request process, jurisdictions may request a waiver and receive up to 100% of the cost of each vest submitted for reimbursement.

Jurisdictions requesting a waiver of the 50% match requirement may not use BVP funds toward the purchase of any vest with a total unit cost greater than \$1,200; excluding taxes, shipping and handling fees (if any) to maximize funding for all eligible jurisdictions.

Additionally, jurisdictions requesting a waiver have to meet criteria of financial or natural disaster hardship. The jurisdictions have to cite the source of their financial hardship during the waiver request process. Jurisdictions will be expected to keep documentation substantiating the financial hardship for four years and realize the waiver requests are open to Bureau of Justice Assistance and Office of the Inspector General audits.

Finally, all applicant jurisdictions, requesting a waiver of the 50% match, would be required to certify that the jurisdiction's Chief Executive Officer formally accepts the request for the waiver and confirms the waiver justification provided. The certification must list the highest elected official from the requesting jurisdiction in order to be approved. Thank You.

BVP Program Support Team

State	Jurisdiction Name	Award Amount
AZ	GRAHAM COUNTY	\$5,748.24
AZ	HOLBROOK CITY	\$1,225.00
AZ	HUALAPAI TRIBAL GOVERNMENT	\$5,600.00
AZ	KINGMAN CITY	\$2,100.00
AZ	LAKE HAVASU CITY	\$7,196.25
AZ	MAMMOTH TOWN	\$2,200.00
AZ	MARANA TOWN	\$9,024.55
AZ	MARICOPA CITY	\$2,246.93
AZ	MARICOPA COUNTY	\$154,638.36
AZ	NOGALES CITY	\$8,053.50
AZ	ORO VALLEY TOWN	\$5,600.00
AZ	PAGE CITY	\$2,780.00
AZ	PARADISE VALLEY TOWN	\$534.25
AZ	PASCUA YAQUI TRIBE	\$1,306.81
AZ	PEORIA CITY	\$25,917.14
AZ	PIMA COUNTY	\$55,161.85
AZ	PIMA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT	\$2,006.82
AZ	PINAL COUNTY	\$7,809.85
AZ	PRESCOTT CITY	\$9,574.50
AZ	PRESCOTT VALLEY TOWN	\$4,547.25
AZ	SAFFORD CITY	\$1,505.51
AZ	SANTA CRUZ COUNTY	\$2,748.92
AZ	SIERRA VISTA CITY	\$5,120.24
AZ	WILLIAMS CITY	\$409.65
AZ	WINSLOW CITY	\$4,101.50
AZ	YAVAPAI COLLEGE	\$3,825.00
AZ	YAVAPAI COUNTY	\$10,997.29
AZ	YUMA COUNTY	\$5,145.55
CA	ALAMEDA COUNTY	\$108,785.81
CA	ALTURAS CITY	\$1,092.86
CA	AMADOR COUNTY	\$5,042.18
CA	ANDERSON CITY	\$5,163.45
CA	ANTELOPE VALLEY HOSPITAL DIST	\$5,539.79
CA	ANTIOCH CITY	\$572.46
CA	ARCADIA CITY	\$25,359.94
CA	ARCATA CITY	\$2,687.13
CA	ARROYO GRANDE CITY	\$394.03
CA	ATASCADERO CITY	\$2,049.90
CA	AUBURN CITY	\$2,273.50
CA	BALDWIN PARK UNIF SCHOOL DIST	\$3,596.40
CA	BARSTOW CITY	\$1,250.00
CA	BEAUMONT CITY	\$5,905.78
CA	BELMONT CITY	\$1,750.00
CA	BENICIA CITY	\$4,307.70
CA	BEVERLY HILLS CITY	\$31,979.84
CA	BRAWLEY CITY	\$1,737.88
CA	BREA CITY	\$9,746.43
CA	BUENA PARK CITY	\$5,748.44
CA	BURBANK CITY	\$4,268.44
CA	BURBANK-GLENDALE-PASADENA AIRPORT AUTH	\$1,836.09
CA	BURLINGAME CITY	\$9,996.38
CA	BUTTE COUNTY	\$18,248.21
CA	CALIFORNIA	\$1,598,843.28