

REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

SUBJECT: School Resource Officer Interlocal Agreement – Amendment 1

SUMMARY: This is an amendment to the interlocal agreement between the Jordan School District and the West Jordan Police Department to include the addition of three (3) School Resource Officers for the schools located in West Jordan that are to be largely paid for by Jordan School District.

FISCAL AND/OR

ASSETT IMPACT: The Jordan School District has agreed to pay \$45,000 per full-time School Resource Officer upon receipt of an invoice from the West Jordan Police Department upon completion of the school year. This amendment will result in the City receiving an additional \$135,000 to support the School Resource Officer's compensation.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff has concluded that the request is appropriate and recommends adopting the attached resolution authorizing execution of Amendment 1 to the School Resource Officer Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

MOTION RECOMMENDED:

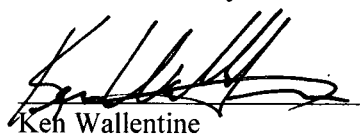
"I move to approve Resolution No. 19-157, authorizing the execution of Amendment 1 to the School Resource Officer Interlocal Cooperation Agreement."

Roll Call vote required

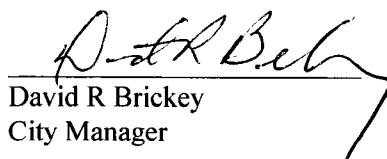
Prepared and to be Presented by:


Ken Wallentine
Chief of Police

Recommended by:


Ken Wallentine
Department Head

Authorized for Council Consideration:


David R Brickey
City Manager

Reviewed for Legal Sufficiency:


City Attorney's Office

BACKGROUND DISCUSSION:

The West Jordan Police Department has provided the middle schools and high schools located in West Jordan with full-time School Resource Officers for many years through an interlocal agreement with the Jordan School District. The Jordan School District recently requested additional resources for elementary schools to initiate a Drug Abuse Resistance Education Program ("D.A.R.E.") program. Amendment 1 to the interlocal agreement adds three School Resource Officers to operate a D.A.R.E. program in elementary schools throughout West Jordan at the same rate the Police Department is currently being reimbursed for the School Resource Officers provided to the West Jordan middle schools and high schools.

THE CITY OF WEST JORDAN, UTAH

A Municipal Corporation

RESOLUTION NO. 19-157

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AMENDMENT 1 TO THE SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE JORDAN SCHOOL DISTRICT AND THE CITY OF WEST JORDAN

WHEREAS, the City of West Jordan and Jordan School District, as governmental entities, are authorized by the Utah Interlocal Cooperation Act, Sections 11-13-1, et seq., U.C.A., 1953 to enter into agreements with each other upon a resolution to do so by their respective governing bodies for the purpose of enabling them to make the most efficient use of their resources; and

WHEREAS, the City of West Jordan has provided School Resource Officers for middle schools and high schools at a mutually agreed upon rate per officer as found in the existing interlocal agreement with Jordan School District;

WHEREAS, the Jordan School District has requested additional School Resource Officers to run a Drug Abuse Resistance Education Program ("D.A.R.E.") program in elementary schools at the same agreed upon rate per officer,

WHEREAS, three additional School Resource Officers will provide a vital community service and will be beneficial to the residents of West Jordan.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST JORDAN, UTAH, THAT:

Section 1. The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute Amendment 1 to the School Resource Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

Section 2. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the City Council of West Jordan, Utah, this _____ day of _____ 2019

JIM RIDING
Mayor

ATTEST:

JAMIE BROOKS, CMC
Interim City Clerk

Voting by the City Council	"Yes"	"No"
Council Member Alan R Anderson	_____	_____
Council Member Dirk Burton	_____	_____
Council Member Zach Jacob	_____	_____
Council Member Chad R Lamb	_____	_____
Council Member Chris McConnehey	_____	_____
Council Member Kayleen Whitelock	_____	_____
Mayor Jim Riding	_____	_____

**AMENDMENT 1 TO SCHOOL RESOURCE
OFFICER INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT**

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of Jordan School District ("School District"), a political subdivision of the State of Utah with its principal place of business located at 7387 South Campus View Drive, West Jordan, 84084, and the City of West Jordan ("City"), a municipal corporation of the State of Utah with its principal place of business located at 8000 South Redwood Road, West Jordan, 84088, entered into a School Resource Officer Interlocal Cooperation Agreement, effective April 26, 2017 ("Agreement"), which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**;

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Agreement is to "jointly provid[e] for School Resource Officers to serve at schools in the City, including the following existing schools: Copper Hills High, West Jordan High, Joel P. Jensen Middle, Sunset Ridge Middle, West Hills Middle, and West Jordan Middle, [{"Schools"}] and one Juvenile Crime Sergeant."

WHEREAS, the Agreement requires the School District to reimburse the City \$45,000.00 per full-time School Resource Officer and Juvenile Crime Sergeant, subject to a pro rata termination provision;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Agreement, the City has been providing the School District with a total of seven (7) officers—one to each of the Schools and one Juvenile Crime Sergeant;

WHEREAS, the School District and City wish to amend the Agreement to include three additional full-time officers to administer a Drug Abuse Resistance Education Program, commonly known as a D.A.R.E. Program,

WHEREAS, Section Sixteen of the Agreement authorizes the School District and City to amend the Agreement in a writing signed by both parties.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to Section Sixteen of the Agreement the School District and City agree to amend Agreement as follows:

1. The third recital in the Agreement is amended to read as follows:

WHEREAS, the School District and City, through their respective governing bodies, have voluntarily determined that the interests and welfare of the public within their respective jurisdictions will best be served by this Agreement to provide for joint and cooperative action in regards to having a School Resource Officer ("SRO") to maintain safe schools, improve school climate, and support educational opportunities for students while serving at Copper Hills High, West Jordan High, Joel P. Jensen Middle, Sunset Ridge Middle, West Hills Middle, and West Jordan Middle in West Jordan, Utah, three officers to establish and operate a Drug Abuse Resistance Education ("D.A.R.E.") Program in West Jordan, Utah, and one Juvenile Crime Sergeant;

2. Section Three of the Agreement is amended to read as follows:

This Agreement is established for the purpose of jointly providing for School Resource Officers to serve at schools in the City, including the following existing schools: Copper Hills High, West Jordan High, Joel P. Jensen Middle, Sunset Ridge Middle, West Hills Middle, and West Jordan Middle, three officers to operate a D.A.R.E. Program in the City, and one Juvenile Crime Sergeant.

3. Remainder Unchanged: All other provisions of the Agreement remain in full force and effect unchanged.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have signed and executed this Amendment 1 to School Resource Officer Interlocal Cooperation Agreement, after resolutions duly and lawfully passed on the dates listed below.

CITY OF WEST JORDAN

Mayor Jim Riding

DATED this _____ of August, 2019

ATTEST:

Jamie Brooks
Interim City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



David Quealy, Assistant City Attorney

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF JORDAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

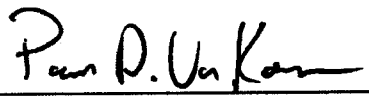

Bryce Dunford, Board President

DATED this 30th day of July, 2019

ATTEST:


John Larsen, Business Administrator

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Paul VanKomen, Legal Counsel for the Board of Education