



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF POLICE

**TO:** Mayor Thomas R. Kneeland  
City Administrative  
Members of City Council  
City Attorney  
Director of Finance  
Clerk of Council

**FROM:** Lt. S. Murphy #48, Administrative Lieutenant

**DATE:** June 8, 2018

**SUBJECT:** Report to Council, June 25, 2018

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**ACTION ITEMS FROM THE DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATIVE BUREAU**

**ACTION ITEM # 1 – Supplemental Appropriation for AG Peace Officer Training Reimbursement:**

Purpose:

*The Division of Police respectfully requests legislation authorizing the appropriation of \$22,124 of unencumbered funds from the Attorney General's Police Officer Training Fund 237 to account 237.211.5279 from reimbursements for required Continual Professional Training programs as established in 109.802 (ORC) Law Enforcement Assistance Fund.*

Justification

In 2008 Senate Bill 281 was established through the Attorney General's Office in conjunction with the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission mandating continual professional training for Law Enforcement personnel per calendar year under 109.803 of the Ohio Revised Code. A Law Enforcement Assistance Fund was also established under 109.802 of the Ohio Revised Code authorizing the Attorney General to pay reimbursements for continual professional training for peace officers. An annual agency roster report is required from all agencies to be submitted detailing that agency personnel met the requirements set forth. The cost per officer to attend and the amount of reimbursement due to the City for this training is \$22,123.

This request for an ordinance is to use the funds to build upon the training presented by Gordon Graham in 2017 for City of Gahanna employees, members of the Division, Mifflin Township Fire as well as other partner agencies. The request for Council Action is to appropriate \$22,124 for the purposes of police training in accordance with the Ohio Revised Code. This request will not impact the General Fund as these are special revenue funds.

**Requested Legislation and Funding**

- **Legislation Needed:** Ordinance
- **Emergency/Waiver:** N/A
- **Name & Address:** N/A
- **Already Appropriated (Amounts & Accounts):** N/A
- **Supplemental/Transfer (Amounts & Accounts):** N/A
- **Attachments:** N/A